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Date: May 31, 2023

Subject: Broadmark Realty Capital Inc. - Contract Adjustment

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06/01/2023 - BRMK becomes RC1

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below)

06/01/2023 - BRMK changes to RC1

Strike Divisor: 1

Contracts

Multiplier: 1

**New Multiplier:** 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 5 yields \$500.00)

New Deliverable

Per Contract: 1) 47 Ready Capital Corporation (RC) Common Shares

2) Cash in lieu of 0.233 fractional RC Common Shares

Note: Once determined the cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any

security.

**CUSIP:** RC: 75574U101

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Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for RC1 will be determined as follows:

RC1 = 0.47233 (RC)

## **Delayed Settlement**

The RC component of the RC1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the RC1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of

fractional RC shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

## Background

On May 30, 2023, Shareholders of Broadmark Realty Capital Inc. (BRMK) will vote concerning the proposed merger with Ready Capital Corporation (RC). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated before the open on May 31, 2023. As a result, each existing BRMK Common Share will be converted into the right to receive 0.47233 RC Common Shares. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional RC shares.

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