

**ATTACHMENT 1**  
**MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE AND WAIVER OF CLASS ACTION CLAIMS**

THIS MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE AND WAIVER OF CLASS ACTION CLAIMS (this “**Arbitration Agreement**”) is made as of the date set forth on the Company’s signature page below, by and between FlashFund 8, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the “**Company**”), and the “**Investor**” set forth on the Investor Acceptance page below (“**Investor**”). The words “you” and “your” in this Arbitration Agreement refer to the undersigned Investor and anyone acting on the Investor’s behalf including, without limitation, the Investor’s family, heirs, agents and assigns.

**RECITALS**

**A.** You and the Company have entered into a Limited Liability Company Agreement dated on or prior to the date of this Arbitration Agreement (as modified or amended, the “**Purchase Agreement**”), and it is a condition to the closing of the sale of the securities of the Company under the Purchase Agreement that you and the Company execute and deliver this Arbitration Agreement.

**B.** You and the Company are executing this Arbitration Agreement to obtain the benefit of a speedy, impartial and cost-effective dispute resolution procedure.

**AGREEMENT**

NOW, THEREFORE, for the right to resolve your claims by arbitration rather than through the courts, you agree with the Company as follows:

**1. Agreement to Arbitrate.** Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Arbitration Agreement, you and the Company agree to settle by final and binding arbitration any claims and controversies arising out of or relating to your investment in the Company (“**Arbitrable Claims**”), which the Company may have against you or you may have against the Company or any third party (each and every such party is referred to herein as a “**Covered Party**”), including but not limited to the following: (a) any claim involving conduct alleged to be in violation of any local, state or federal constitution, regulation, ordinance, statute or common law; (b) any claim for breach of any contract, covenant or duty owed, express or implied; and (c) any claim for fraud, misrepresentation, or any other tort. This Agreement is enforceable under and subject to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. Sec 1 *et. seq.* (the “**FAA**”). For avoidance of doubt, and not as a limitation, FlashFunders, Inc. and its affiliates and other related or associated persons are intended to be Covered Parties.

**2. Waiver of Class Action Claims.** **THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THEY MAY BRING CLAIMS AGAINST THE OTHER ONLY IN THEIR RESPECTIVE INDIVIDUAL CAPACITIES, AND NOT AS A PLAINTIFF OR CLASS MEMBER IN ANY PURPORTED CLASS, REPRESENTATIVE, OR COLLECTIVE ACTION.**

**3. Arbitration Procedures.** Arbitration shall be filed with JAMS, Inc. (“**JAMS**”), and heard by one arbitrator (the “**Arbitrator**”) in the County in which the Company’s principal executive offices are located (unless otherwise agreed by the parties to the arbitration). The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules & Procedures (the “**Rules**”) in effect at the time the claim is made. The Rules can be found and obtained at <http://www.jamsadr.com/rules-comprehensive-arbitration/> or alternatively can be obtained by requesting a copy from the Company. By signing this Agreement, you acknowledge that you have had an opportunity to review the Rules before signing this Agreement. The Arbitrator shall have the authority to order discovery by way of deposition, interrogatory, document production, or otherwise, as the Arbitrator considers necessary to a full and fair exploration of the issues in dispute, consistent with the expedited nature of arbitration. The Arbitrator shall apply, as applicable, federal or Delaware substantive law and law of remedies. The Arbitrator’s remedial authority shall be no greater than that available under each statutory or common law theory asserted and is authorized to award any remedy or relief available under applicable law that the Arbitrator deems just and equitable, including any remedy or relief that would have been available to the parties had the matter been heard in a court. The Arbitrator shall have the authority to provide for the award of attorneys’ fees and costs if such award is separately authorized by applicable law. The Arbitrator shall issue a written opinion that includes the factual and legal basis for any decision and award, unless the parties agree otherwise. A judgment upon any award rendered by the Arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. You, the Company, any other Covered Party that is a party to the arbitration, legal counsel and the Arbitrator shall treat all arbitration proceedings, including any

decision, award and opinion in support thereof, as confidential, and the Arbitrator shall issue such orders as are reasonably necessary to maintain such confidentiality. You will be obligated to pay the then-current Superior Court of California filing fee towards the costs of the arbitration and shall not be required to pay any cost or expense of the arbitration that you would not be required to pay if the matter had been heard in a court. The Company shall bear all other costs unique to arbitration in compliance with applicable law.

**4. Claims Not Covered By This Arbitration Agreement.** This Arbitration Agreement does not apply to or cover the following claims related to your investment in the Company: (a) claims brought in a court of competent jurisdiction to compel arbitration under this Arbitration Agreement, to enforce or vacate an arbitration award, or to obtain preliminary, injunctive and/or other equitable relief in support of claims to be prosecuted in an arbitration by any party; (b) any claim by the Company or other Covered Person seeking to enforce or protect, or concerning the validity of, any of their respective intellectual property rights; and (c) any other claim not properly arbitrable under the law or otherwise prohibited by law from being arbitrated.

**5. Survival of Provisions.** This Arbitration Agreement shall continue in effect after your investment in the Company is consummated and shall apply to any arbitrable claim whether it arises or is asserted before, during or after any period in which you hold the Company's securities. You and the Company agree that this Arbitration Agreement can be modified or revoked only by a writing signed by you, the Company, and each other Covered Party against which or whom an arbitrable claim may be asserted hereunder, which specifically states that you, the Company, and such Covered Parties intend to modify or revoke this Arbitration Agreement.

**6. Severability.** If any one or more provisions of this Arbitration Agreement is found, for any reason, invalid, voidable or unenforceable, in whole or in part, with respect to any claim or class of claims, the finding shall in no way affect any other provision of this Arbitration Agreement or the validity or enforcement of the remainder of this Arbitration Agreement, and any provision thus affected shall itself be modified only to the extent necessary to bring the provision within the applicable requirements of the law.

**7. Third Parties Beneficiaries.** The parties expressly acknowledge, agree and confirm that each and every Covered Party are express third party beneficiaries of this Arbitration Agreement, and each such Covered Party shall have and possess all rights and remedies hereunder as if they each were an original party hereto.

**8. Electronic Execution and Delivery.** A digital reproduction, portable document format (".pdf") or other reproduction of this Arbitration Agreement may be executed by one or more parties hereto and delivered by such party by electronic signature (including signature via *DocuSign* or similar services), electronic mail or any similar electronic transmission device pursuant to which the signature of or on behalf of such party can be seen. Such execution and delivery shall be considered valid, binding and effective for all purposes.

**9. Sole and Entire Agreement.** The parties acknowledge that this Arbitration Agreement constitutes the complete agreement of the parties on the subject matter contained herein, and supersedes any prior or contemporaneous oral or written agreement or understanding on the subject matter contained herein.

**10. Consideration.** The parties agree that there is good and valuable consideration for the execution of this Arbitration Agreement, including but not limited to, the requirement that the agreement to arbitrate all claims is mutual between the parties, and other good and valuable consideration.

**FLASHFUND 8, LLC**

**By: Initiate Advisors, LLC, its Manager**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:           Brian Park          

Title:           Director of Operations          

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

INVESTOR'S ACCEPTANCE

The undersigned Investor acknowledges that it has carefully read and understands the foregoing Arbitration Agreement, that it has received the advice of independent counsel with respect to the foregoing Arbitration Agreement, and that it agrees to be bound by and comply with all of its terms. The Investor acknowledges that it has entered into this Arbitration Agreement voluntarily and that it is not relying on any representation, oral or written, as to the effect, enforceability or meaning of this Arbitration Agreement, except as specifically set forth in this Arbitration Agreement. THE UNDERSIGNED INVESTOR UNDERSTANDS AND ACKNOWLEDGES THAT BY SIGNING THIS ARBITRATION AGREEMENT, THE COMPANY AND THE INVESTOR, AND THE OTHER COVERED PARTIES REFERENCED HEREIN, ARE GIVING UP THE RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL AND TO A TRIAL IN A COURT OF LAW WITH RESPECT TO ANY ARBITRABLE CLAIM ANY OF THEM MAY HAVE AGAINST THE OTHERS. THE INVESTOR ALSO UNDERSTANDS AND ACKNOWLEDGES THAT, BY SIGNING THIS ARBITRATION AGREEMENT, **THE COMPANY AND THE INVESTOR EACH EXPRESSLY WAIVE THE RIGHT TO PURSUE ANY ARBITRABLE CLAIM AGAINST THE OTHER AND AGAINST THE OTHER COVERED PARTIES, THROUGH ANY PURPORTED CLASS OR COLLECTIVE ACTION OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVE ACTION.**

**INVESTOR:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_