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Cadwalader a Finalist for LendIt 'Top Law Firm' Award

New York, NY, January 20, 2017 — Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, a leading counselor to global financial institutions and corporations, has been named a finalist for “top law firm” by LendIt as part of the first annual LendIt Awards for lending and fintech.

The firm was selected from among several hundred applicants worldwide. A panel comprising more than 30 industry experts judged finalists representing innovation, emerging talent and top performers.

Cadwalader’s Fintech Practice advises a broad range of banks, private equity and hedge funds, and marketplace lenders, from large, established market participants to platforms that are preparing to move beyond venture capital or pure equity funding.

“We are honored by this recognition,” said Bruce Bloomingdale, a partner in the firm’s Capital Markets Group. “Cadwalader is well known for its capabilities as a global leader in securitization, and as marketplace lending continues to evolve and attract new sources of funding, we will continue to be at the forefront of exploring innovative securitization models.”

LendIt is the world’s largest event series dedicated to connecting the fintech and lending community. LendIt’s conferences bring together the leading lending platforms, investors, and service providers in the industry for unparalleled educational, networking, and business development opportunities.

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Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, established in 1792, serves a diverse client base, including many of the world's leading financial institutions and corporations in more than 50 countries. With offices in New York, London, Charlotte, Washington and Brussels, Cadwalader

offers legal expertise in antitrust, banking, corporate finance, corporate governance, energy, environmental, executive compensation, financial restructuring, health care, intellectual property, litigation, mergers and acquisitions, private equity, private wealth, real estate, regulation, securitization, structured finance, tax and white collar defense. For more information, visit www.cadwalader.com.