TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: SECURITY INTEREST

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Ballast Research, LLC		06/22/2021	Limited Liability Company: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Maranon Capital, L.P., as Administrative Agent		
Street Address:	303 W. Madison St., Suite 2500		
City:	Chicago		
State/Country:	ILLINOIS		
Postal Code:	60606		
Entity Type:	Limited Partnership: DELAWARE		

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	5645528	POLICY BRAND	
Registration Number:	5645527	POLICY BRANDS ROUNDTABLE	
Registration Number:	5938435	BALLAST	

CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Oscar Ruiz
SIGNATURE:	/Oscar Ruiz/
DATE SIGNED:	06/22/2021

Total Attachments: 5

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TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT, dated as of June 22, 2021, is made by Ballast Research, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "<u>Grantor</u>"), in favor of Maranon Capital, L.P. ("<u>Maranon</u>"), as administrative agent (in such capacity, together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "<u>Administrative Agent</u>") for the Lenders (as defined in the Credit Agreement referred to below) and the other Secured Parties.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Credit Agreement, dated as of June 22, 2021 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "<u>Credit Agreement</u>", capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Credit Agreement), among the Borrowers, Holdings, the other Loan Parties, the Lenders and Maranon, as Administrative Agent for the Lenders, the Lenders have severally agreed to make extensions of credit to the Borrowers upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, the Grantor has agreed, pursuant to a Security Agreement dated as of June 22, 2021 in favor of the Administrative Agent (the "Security Agreement"), to guarantee the Obligations (as defined in the Credit Agreement) of each Borrower; and

WHEREAS, the Grantor is party to the Security Agreement pursuant to which the Grantor is required to execute and deliver this Trademark Security Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and to induce the Lenders, and the Administrative Agent to enter into the Credit Agreement and to induce the Lenders to make their respective extensions of credit to the Borrowers thereunder, the Grantor hereby agrees with the Administrative Agent as follows:

- <u>Section 1.</u> <u>Defined Terms</u>. Capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Security Agreement.
- Section 2. Grant of Security Interest in Trademark Collateral. The Grantor, as collateral security for the prompt and complete payment and performance when due (whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) of the Secured Obligations of the Grantor, hereby mortgages, pledges and hypothecates to the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties, and grants to the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties a Lien on and security interest in, all of its right, title and interest in, to and under the following Collateral of the Grantor (the "Trademark Collateral"):
- (a) all of its Trademarks and all IP Licenses providing for the grant by or to the Grantor of any right under any Trademark, including, without limitation, those referred to on <u>Schedule 1</u> hereto;

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- (b) all renewals and extensions of the foregoing;
- (c) all goodwill of the business connected with the use of, and symbolized by, each such Trademark; and
- (d) all income, royalties, proceeds and liabilities at any time due or payable or asserted under and with respect to any of the foregoing, including, without limitation, all rights to sue and recover at law or in equity for any past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, dilution, violation or other impairment thereof.
- Section 3. Security Agreement. The security interest granted pursuant to this Trademark Security Agreement is granted in conjunction with the security interest granted to the Administrative Agent pursuant to the Security Agreement and the Grantor hereby acknowledges and agrees that the rights and remedies of the Administrative Agent with respect to the security interest in the Trademark Collateral made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated by reference herein as if fully set forth herein.
- Section 4. Grantor Remains Liable. The Grantor hereby agrees that, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, the Grantor shall assume full and complete responsibility for the prosecution, defense, enforcement or any other necessary or desirable actions in connection with their Trademarks and IP Licenses subject to a security interest hereunder.
- Section 5. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Trademark Security Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Signature pages may be detached from multiple separate counterparts and attached to a single counterpart.
- Section 6. Governing Law. This Trademark Security Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties hereto shall be governed by, and construed and interpreted in accordance with, the law of the State of New York.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each Grantor has caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be executed and delivered by its duly authorized officer as of the date first set forth above.

Very truly yours,

BALLAST RESEARCH, LLC

as Grantor

y: Name: Joseph J. Schonberg

Title: Treasurer

ACCEPTED AND AGREED as of the date first above written:

MARANON CAPITAL, L.P. as Administrative Agent

By:	
wy.	Name:
	Title:

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT]

ACCEPTED AND AGREED as of the date first above written:

MARANON CAPITAL, L.P. as Administrative Agent

By:

Name: Rommel Garcia Title: Managing Director

SCHEDULE I TO TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

Trademark Registrations

1. REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

RECORDED: 06/22/2021

Owner	<u>Mark</u>	Application Number	Registration Number	Registration Date
Ballast Research, LLC	POLICY BRAND	87/372,101	5645528	1/1/2019
Ballast Research, LLC	POLICY BRAND ROUNDTABLE	87/363,588	5645527	1/1/2019
Ballast Research, LLC	BALLAST	87/354,504	5938435	12/17/2019

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