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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

In re:	§	
	§	Chapter 11
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P., ¹	§	
	§	Case No. 19-34054-sgj11
Reorganized Debtor.	§	
	§	

**HIGHLAND CLAIMANT TRUST'S WITNESS AND EXHIBIT LIST WITH RESPECT
TO HEARING TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 18, 2025**

Highland Capital Trust (the "Claimant Trust") for the above-captioned chapter 11 case (the "Bankruptcy Case"), by and through its undersigned counsel, submits the following witness and exhibit list with respect to its *Motion for Order Fixing Allowed Amount of Class 11 Interests*

¹ Highland's last four digits of its taxpayer identification number are (8357). The headquarters and service address for Highland is 100 Crescent Court, Suite 1850, Dallas, TX 75201.



[Docket No. 4362], which the Court has set for hearing at 2:30 p.m. (Central Time) on September 18, 2025 (the “Hearing”) in the Bankruptcy Case.

A. Witnesses:

1. James P. Seery, Jr.;
2. Any witness identified by or called by any other party; and
3. Any witness necessary for rebuttal.

B. Exhibits:

Number	Exhibit	Offered	Admitted
1.	<i>Fourth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Highland Capital Management, L.P.</i> [HCMLPHMIT00002641-HCMLPHMIT00002676] [Docket No. 4255-114]		
2.	Excerpts from the <i>Fifth Amended Plan of Reorganization of Highland Capital Management, L.P. (as Modified)</i> [Docket No. 4255-121; <i>see also</i> Docket No. 1943, Ex. A (complete Plan)]		
3.	Excerpts from the <i>Claimant Trust Agreement</i> [Docket No. 4255-122; <i>see also</i> Docket No. 1811, Ex. R (complete CTA), as amended by Docket No. 1875, Ex. EE]		
4.	<i>Highland Capital Management, L.P. Consolidated Financial Statements and Supplemental Information, December 31, 2018</i> [HCMLPHMIT00002548-HCMLPHMIT00002593] [Docket No. 4255-113]		
5.	Excerpts from <i>2018 Tax Return for Highland Capital Management, LP</i> (sig page, p. 1 of return, p. 1 of each partner’s Schedule K-1 (Strand, Okada, MAP 1, MAP 2, Dugaboy, HMIT) [HCMLPHMIT00001332; HCMLPHMIT00001336; HCMLPHMIT00001414; HCMLPHMIT00001419; HCMLPHMIT00001424; HCMLPHMIT00001429; HCMLPHMIT00001434; HCMLPHMIT00001439] [Docket No. 4255-115] ²		

² Highland Capital Management, L.P.’s complete tax return for 2018 was previously produced to Dugaboy.

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6.	Excerpts from <i>2019 Tax Return for Highland Capital Management, LP</i> (sig page, p. 1 of return, p. 1 of each partners' Schedule K-1 (Strand, Okada, MAP 1, MAP 2, Dugaboy, HMIT) [HCMLPHMIT00001726; HCMLPHMIT00001766; HCMLPHMIT00001865; HCMLPHMIT00001870; HCMLPHMIT00001875; HCMLPHMIT00001880; HCMLPHMIT00001885; HCMLPHMIT00001890] [Docket No. 4255-116] ³		
7.	<i>Monthly Operating Report – FINAL November 2019</i> [Docket No. 4255-117]		
8.	<i>Stipulated and Agreed Order Resolving (A) HCLOM, Ltd. 's Scheduled Claims 3.65 and 3.66; and (B) Highland Capital Management, L.P. 's (1) Objection and (2) Motion for a Bad Faith Finding and an Award for Attorney's Fees Against HCLOM, Ltd. and James Dondero in Connection Therewith</i> [HCMLPHMIT00003860-HCMLPHMIT00003866] [Docket Nos. 4199, 4255-68]		
9.	<i>Intercreditor and Participation Agreement with HCLOM</i> dated January 10, 2025 [HCMLPHMIT00003868-HCMLPHMIT00003871] [Docket No. 4255-69]		
10.	Email string from July 5, 2025 through September 3, 2025 concerning "Distributions to HCLOM"		
11.	Any document entered or filed in Highland Capital Management, L.P.'s chapter 11 bankruptcy case, including any exhibits thereto		
12.	All exhibits necessary for impeachment and/or rebuttal purposes		
13.	All exhibits identified by or offered by any other party at the Hearing		

³ Highland Capital Management, L.P.'s complete tax return for 2019 was previously produced to Dugaboy.

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EXHIBIT 1

**FOURTH AMENDED AND RESTATED
AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
OF
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.**

THE PARTNERSHIP INTERESTS REPRESENTED BY THIS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 OR UNDER ANY STATE SECURITIES ACTS IN RELIANCE UPON EXEMPTIONS UNDER THOSE ACTS. THE SALE OR OTHER DISPOSITION OF THE PARTNERSHIP INTERESTS IS PROHIBITED UNLESS THAT SALE OR DISPOSITION IS MADE IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL SUCH APPLICABLE ACTS. ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OF THE PARTNERSHIP INTERESTS ARE SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT.

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**FOURTH AMENDED AND RESTATED
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OF
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.**

THIS FOURTH AMENDED AND RESTATED AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP is entered into on this 24th day of December, 2015, to be effective as of December 24, 2015, by and among Strand Advisors, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("*Strand*"), as General Partner, the Limited Partners party hereto, and any Person hereinafter admitted as a Limited Partner.

Certain terms used in this Agreement are defined in Article 2.

ARTICLE 1

GENERAL

1.1. Continuation. Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, the Partners hereby continue the Partnership as a limited partnership pursuant to the provisions of the Delaware Act. Except as expressly provided herein, the rights and obligations of the Partners and the administration and termination of the Partnership shall be governed by the Delaware Act.

1.2. Name. The name of the Partnership shall be, and the business of the Partnership shall be conducted under the name of Highland Capital Management, L.P. The General Partner, in its sole and unfettered discretion, may change the name of the Partnership at any time and from time to time and shall provide Limited Partners with written notice of such name change within twenty (20) days after such name change.

1.3. Purpose. The purpose and business of the Partnership shall be the conduct of any business or activity that may lawfully be conducted by a limited partnership organized pursuant to the Delaware Act. Any or all of the foregoing activities may be conducted directly by the Partnership or indirectly through another partnership, joint venture, or other arrangement.

1.4. Term. The Partnership was formed as a limited partnership on July 7, 1997, and shall continue until terminated pursuant to this Agreement.

1.5. Partnership Offices; Addresses of Partners.

(a) Partnership Offices. The registered office of the Partnership in the State of Delaware shall be 1013 Centre Road, Wilmington, Delaware 19805-1297, and its registered agent for service of process on the Partnership at that registered office shall be Corporation Service Company, or such other registered office or registered agent as the General Partner may from time to time designate. The principal office of the Partnership shall be 300 Crescent Court, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas 75201, or such other place as the General Partner may from time to time designate. The Partnership may maintain offices at such other place or places as the General Partner deems advisable.

(b) Addresses of Partners. The address of the General Partner is 300 Crescent Court, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas 75201. The address of each Limited Partner shall be the address of that Limited Partner appearing on the books and records of the Partnership. Each Limited Partner agrees to provide the General Partner with prompt written notice of any change in his/her/its address.

ARTICLE 2

DEFINITIONS

2.1. Definitions. The following definitions shall apply to the terms used in this Agreement, unless otherwise clearly indicated to the contrary in this Agreement:

“Additional Capital Contribution” has the meaning set forth in Section 3.1(b) of this Agreement.

“Adjusted Capital Account Deficit” means, with respect to any Partner, the deficit balance, if any, in the Capital Account of that Partner as of the end of the relevant Fiscal Year, or other relevant period, giving effect to all adjustments previously made thereto pursuant to Section 3.7 and further adjusted as follows: (i) credit to that Capital Account, any amounts which that Partner is obligated or deemed obligated to restore pursuant to any provision of this Agreement or pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(c); (ii) debit to that Capital Account, the items described in Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d)(4), (5) and (6); and (iii) to the extent required under the Treasury Regulations, credit to that Capital Account (A) that Partner’s share of “minimum gain” and (B) that Partner’s share of “partner nonrecourse debt minimum gain.” (Each Partner’s share of the minimum gain and partner nonrecourse debt minimum gain shall be determined under Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-2(g) and 1.704-2(i)(5), respectively.)

“Affiliate” means any Person that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Person in question. As used in this definition, the term “*control*” means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a Person, whether through ownership of voting Securities, by contract or otherwise.

“Agreement” means this Fourth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership, as it may be amended, supplemented, or restated from time to time.

“Business Day” means Monday through Friday of each week, except that a legal holiday recognized as such by the government of the United States or the State of Texas shall not be regarded as a Business Day.

“Capital Account” means the capital account maintained for a Partner pursuant to Section 3.7(a).

“Capital Contribution” means, with respect to any Partner, the amount of money or property contributed to the Partnership with respect to the interest in the Partnership held by that Person.

“Certificate of Limited Partnership” means the Certificate of Limited Partnership filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware by the General Partner, as that Certificate may be amended, supplemented or restated from time to time.

“Class A Limited Partners” means those Partners holding a Class A Limited Partnership Interest, as shown on Exhibit A.

“Class A Limited Partnership Interest” means a Partnership Interest held by a Partner in its capacity as a Class A Limited Partner.”

“**Record Date**” means the date established by the General Partner for determining the identity of Limited Partners entitled to vote or give consent to Partnership action or entitled to exercise rights in respect of any other lawful action of Limited Partners.

“**Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement**” means that certain Second Amended and Restated Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement, dated December 21, 2015, to be effective as of December 21, 2015 by and between the Partnership and its Partners, as may be amended, supplemented, or restated from time to time.

“**Securities**” means the following: (i) securities of any kind (including, without limitation, “securities” as that term is defined in Section 2(a)(1) of the Securities Act; (ii) commodities of any kind (as that term is defined by the U.S. Securities Laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder); (iii) any contracts for future or forward delivery of any security, commodity or currency; (iv) any contracts based on any securities or group of securities, commodities or currencies; (v) any options on any contracts referred to in clauses (iii) or (iv); or (vi) any evidences of indebtedness (including participations in or assignments of bank loans or trade credit claims). The items set forth in clauses (i) through (vi) herein include, but are not limited to, capital stock, common stock, preferred stock, convertible securities, reorganization certificates, subscriptions, warrants, rights, options, puts, calls, bonds, mutual fund interests, debentures, notes, certificates of deposit, letters of credit, bankers acceptances, trust receipts and other securities of any corporation or other entity, whether readily marketable or not, rights and options, whether granted or written by the Partnership or by others, treasury bills, bonds and notes, any securities or obligations issued or guaranteed by the United States or any foreign country or any state or possession of the United States or any foreign country or any political subdivision or agency or instrumentality of any of the foregoing, and derivatives of any of the foregoing.

“**Securities Act**” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any successor to such statute.

“**Substitute Limited Partner**” has the meaning set forth in Section 4.6(a).

“**Transfer**” or derivations thereof, of a Partnership Interest means, as a noun, the transfer, sale, assignment, exchange, pledge, hypothecation or other disposition of a Partnership Interest, or any part thereof, directly or indirectly, and as a verb, voluntarily or involuntarily to transfer, sell, assign, exchange, pledge, hypothecate or otherwise dispose of.

“**Treasury Regulations**” means the Department of Treasury Regulations promulgated under the Code, as amended and in effect (including corresponding provisions of succeeding regulations).

2.2. Other Definitions. All terms used in this Agreement that are not defined in this Article 2 have the meanings contained elsewhere in this Agreement.

ARTICLE 3

FINANCIAL MATTERS

3.1. Capital Contributions.

(a) Initial Capital Contributions. The initial Capital Contribution of each Partner shall be set forth in the books and records of the Partnership.

(b) Additional Capital Contributions.

(i) Default Loans. If the Defaulting Partner so elects, the General Partner shall make a loan to the Defaulting Partner in an amount equal to that Defaulting Partner's additional capital contribution (a "**Default Loan**"). A Default Loan shall be deemed advanced on the date actually advanced. Default Loans shall earn interest on the outstanding principal amount thereof at a rate equal to the Applicable Federal Mid-Term Rate (determined by the Internal Revenue Service for the month in which the loan is deemed made) from the date actually advanced until the same is repaid in full. The term of any Default Loan shall be six (6) months, unless otherwise extended by the General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion. If the General Partner makes a Default Loan, the Defaulting Partner shall not receive any distributions pursuant to Section 3.9(a) or Section 5.3 or any proceeds from the Transfer of all or any part of its Partnership Interest while the Default Loan remains unpaid. Instead, the Defaulting Partner's share of distributions or such other proceeds shall (until all Default Loans and interest thereon shall have been repaid in full) first be paid to the General Partner. Such payments shall be applied first to the payment of interest on such Default Loans and then to the repayment of the principal amounts thereof, but shall be considered, for all other purposes of this Agreement, to have been distributed to the Defaulting Partner. The Defaulting Partner shall be liable for the reasonable fees and expenses incurred by the General Partner (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and disbursements) in connection with any enforcement or foreclosure upon any Default Loan and such costs shall, to the extent enforceable under applicable law, be added to the principal amount of the applicable Default Loan. In addition, at any time during the term of such Default Loan, the Defaulting Partner shall have the right to repay, in full, the Default Loan (including interest and any other charges). If the General Partner makes a Default Loan, the Defaulting Partner shall be deemed to have pledged to the General Partner and granted to the General Partner a continuing first priority security interest in, all of the Defaulting Partner's Partnership Interest to secure the payment of the principal of, and interest on, such Default Loan in accordance with the provisions hereof, and for such purpose this Agreement shall constitute a security agreement. The Defaulting Partner shall promptly execute, acknowledge and deliver such financing statements, continuation statements or other documents and take such other actions as the General Partner shall request in writing in order to perfect or continue the perfection of such security interest; and, if the Defaulting Partner shall fail to do so within seven (7) days after the Defaulting Partner's receipt of a notice making demand therefor, the General Partner is hereby appointed the attorney-in-fact of, and is hereby authorized on behalf of, the Defaulting Partner, to execute, acknowledge and deliver all such documents and take all such other actions as may be required to perfect such security interest. Such appointment and authorization are coupled with an interest and shall be irrevocable. The General Partner shall, prior to exercising any right or remedy (whether at law, in equity or pursuant to the terms hereof) available to it in connection with such security interest, provide to the Defaulting Partner a notice, in reasonable detail, of the right or remedy to be exercised and the intended timing of such exercise which shall not be less than five (5) days following the date of such notice.

(f) Partner Nonrecourse Deductions. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, any Partner Nonrecourse Deductions for any taxable year or other period for which allocations are made will be allocated to the Partner who bears the economic risk of loss with respect to the Partner Nonrecourse Debt to which the Partner Nonrecourse Deductions are attributable in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i).

(h) Section 481 Adjustments. Any allocable items of income, gain, expense, deduction or credit required to be made by Section 481 of the Code as the result of the sale, transfer, exchange or issuance of a Partnership Interest will be specially allocated to the Partner receiving said Partnership Interest whether such items are positive or negative in amount.

3.6. Code Section 704(c) Allocations. In accordance with Code Section 704(c) and the Treasury Regulations thereunder, income, gain, loss and deduction with respect to property contributed to the capital of the Partnership shall, solely for tax purposes, be allocated among the Partners so as to take account of any variation at the time of the contribution between the tax basis of the property to the Partnership and the fair market value of that property. Except as otherwise provided herein, any elections or other decisions relating to those allocations shall be made by the General Partner in any manner that reasonably reflects the purpose and intent of this Agreement. Allocations of income, gain, loss and deduction pursuant to this Section 3.6 are solely for purposes of federal, state and local taxes and shall not affect, or in any way be taken into account in computing, the Capital Account of any Partner or the share

3.8. Distributive Share for Tax Purpose. All items of income, deduction, gain, loss or credit that are recognized for federal income tax purposes will be allocated among the Partners in accordance with the allocations of Profits and Losses hereunder as determined by the General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the General Partner may (i) as to each New Issue, specially allocate to the Partners who were allocated New Issue Profit from that New Issue any short-term capital gains realized during the Fiscal Year upon the disposition of such New Issue during that Fiscal Year, and (ii) specially allocate items of gain (or loss) to Partners who withdraw capital during any Fiscal Year in a manner designed to ensure that each withdrawing Partner is allocated gain (or loss) in an amount equal to the difference between that Partner's Capital Account balance (or portion thereof being withdrawn) at the time of the withdrawal and the tax basis for his/her/ its Partnership Interest at that time (or proportionate amount thereof); *provided, however*, that the General Partner may, without the consent of any other Partner, (a) alter the allocation of any item of taxable income, gain, loss, deduction or credit in any specific instance where the General Partner, in its sole and unfettered discretion, determines such alteration to be necessary or appropriate to avoid a materially inequitable result (e.g., where the allocation would create an inappropriate tax liability); and/or (b) adopt whatever other method of allocating tax items as the General Partner determines is necessary or appropriate in order to be consistent with the spirit and intent of the Treasury Regulations under Code Sections 704(b) and 704(c).

3.9. Distributions.

(a) General. The General Partner may make such pro rata or non-pro rata distributions as it may determine in its sole and unfettered discretion, without being limited to current or accumulated income or gains, but no such distribution shall be made out of funds required to make current payments on Partnership indebtedness; *provided, however*, that the General Partner may not make non-pro rata distributions under this Section 3.9(a) during an NAV Ratio Trigger Period without the consent of the Class B Limited Partner (in the case of a Class B NAV Ratio Trigger Period) and/or the Class C Limited Partner (in the case of a Class C NAV Ratio Trigger Period); *provided*, further this provision should not be interpreted to limit in any way the General Partner's ability to make non-pro rata tax distributions under Section 3.9(c) and Section 3.9(f). The Partnership has entered into one or more credit facilities with financial institutions that may limit the amount and timing of distributions to the Partners. Thus, the Partners acknowledge that distributions from the Partnership may be limited. Any distributions made to the Class B Limited Partner or the Class C Limited Partner pursuant to Section 3.9(b) shall reduce distributions otherwise allocable to such Partners under this Section 3.9(a) until such aggregate reductions are equal to the aggregate distributions made to the Class B Partners and the Class C Partners under Section 3.9(b).

(b) Priority Distributions. Prior to the distribution of any amounts to Partners pursuant to Section 3.9(a), and notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement to the contrary, the Partnership shall make the following distributions ("**Priority Distributions**") pro-rata among the Class B Limited Partner and the Class C Limited Partner in accordance with their relative Percentage Interests:

(i) No later than March 31st of each calendar year, commencing March 31, 2017, an amount equal to \$1,600,000.00;

(ii) No later than March 31st of each year, commencing March 31, 2017, an amount equal to three percent (3%) of the Partnership's investment gain for the prior year, as reflected in the Partnership's books and records within ledger account number 90100 plus three percent (3%) of the gross realized investment gains for the prior year of Highland Select Equity Fund, as reflected in its books and records;

(a) Compensation. The General Partner and any Affiliate of the General Partner shall receive no compensation from the Partnership for services rendered pursuant to this Agreement or any other agreements unless approved by a Majority Interest; provided, however, that no compensation above five million dollars per year may be approved, even by a Majority Interest, during a NAV Ratio Trigger Period.

3.11. Books, Records, Accounting, and Reports.

(b) Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the Partnership shall be the calendar year unless otherwise determined by the General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion.

(d) Distribution Reporting to Class B Limited Partner and Class C Limited Partner. Upon request, the Partnership shall provide the Class B Limited Partner and/or the Class C Limited Partner information on any non-pro rata distributions made under Section 3.9 to Partners other than the Partner requesting the information.

(a) Tax Returns. The General Partner shall arrange for the preparation and timely filing of all returns of Partnership income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and other items necessary for federal, state and local income tax purposes. The General Partner shall deliver to each Partner as copy of his/her/its IRS Form K-1 as soon as practicable after the end of the Fiscal Year, but in no event later than October 1. The classification, realization, and recognition of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and

other items shall be on the cash or accrual method of accounting for federal income tax purposes, as the General Partner shall determine in its sole and unfettered discretion. The General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion may pay state and local income taxes attributable to operations of the Partnership and treat such taxes as an expense of the Partnership.

(b) Tax Elections. Except as otherwise provided herein, the General Partner shall, in its sole and unfettered discretion, determine whether to make any available tax election.

(c) Tax Controversies. Subject to the provisions hereof, the General Partner is designated the Tax Matters Partner (as defined in Code Section 6231), and is authorized and required to represent the Partnership, at the Partnership's expense, in connection with all examinations of the Partnership's affairs by tax authorities, including resulting administrative and judicial proceedings, and to expend Partnership funds for professional services and costs associated therewith. Each Partner agrees to cooperate with the General Partner in connection with such proceedings.

(d) Taxation as a Partnership. No election shall be made by the Partnership or any Partner for the Partnership to be excluded from the application of any of the provisions of Subchapter K, Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code or from any similar provisions of any state tax laws.

ARTICLE 4

RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF PARTNERS

4.1. Rights and Obligations of the General Partner. In addition to the rights and obligations set forth elsewhere in this Agreement, the General Partner shall have the following rights and obligations:

(a) Management. The General Partner shall conduct, direct, and exercise full control of over all activities of the Partnership. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement, all management powers over the business and affairs of the Partnership shall be exclusively vested in the General Partner, and Limited Partners shall have no right of control over the business and affairs of the Partnership. In addition to the powers now or hereafter granted to a general partner of a limited partnership under applicable law or that are granted to the General Partner under any provision of this Agreement, the General Partner shall have full power and authority to do all things deemed necessary or desirable by it to conduct the business of the Partnership, including, without limitation: (i) the determination of the activities in which the Partnership will participate; (ii) the performance of any and all acts necessary or appropriate to the operation of any business of the Partnership (including, without limitation, purchasing and selling any asset, any debt instruments, any equity interests, any commercial paper, any note receivables and any other obligations); (iii) the procuring and maintaining of such insurance as may be available in such amounts and covering such risks as are deemed appropriate by the General Partner; (iv) the acquisition, disposition, sale, mortgage, pledge, encumbrance, hypothecation, of exchange of any or all of the assets of the Partnership; (v) the execution and delivery on behalf of, and in the name of the Partnership, deeds, deeds of trust, notes, leases, subleases, mortgages, bills of sale and any and all other contracts or instruments necessary or incidental to the conduct of the Partnership's business; (vi) the making of any expenditures, the borrowing of money, the guaranteeing of indebtedness and other liabilities, the issuance of evidences of indebtedness, and the incurrence of any obligations it deems necessary or advisable for the conduct of the activities of the Partnership, including, without limitation, the payment of compensation and reimbursement to the General Partner and its Affiliates pursuant to Section 3.10; (vii) the use of the assets of the Partnership (including, without limitation, cash on hand) for any Partnership purpose on any terms it sees fit, including, without limitation, the financing of operations of the Partnership, the lending of funds to other Persons, and the repayment of obligations

of the Partnership; (viii) the negotiation, execution, and performance of any contracts that it considers desirable, useful, or necessary to the conduct of the business or operations of the Partnership or the implementation of the General Partner's powers under this Agreement; (ix) the distribution of Partnership cash or other assets; (x) the selection, hiring and dismissal of employees, attorneys, accountants, consultants, contractors, agents and representatives and the determination of their compensation and other terms of employment or hiring; (xi) the formation of any further limited or general partnerships, joint ventures, or other relationships that it deems desirable and the contribution to such partnerships, ventures, or relationships of assets and properties of the Partnership; and (xii) the control of any matters affecting the rights and obligations of the Partnership, including, without limitation, the conduct of any litigation, the incurring of legal expenses, and the settlement of claims and suits.

(b) Certificate of Limited Partnership. The General Partner caused the Certificate of Limited Partnership of the Partnership to be filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware as required by the Delaware Act and shall cause to be filed such other certificates or documents (including, without limitation, copies, amendments, or restatements of this Agreement) as may be determined by the General Partner to be reasonable and necessary or appropriate for the formation, qualification, or registration and operation of a limited partnership (or a partnership in which Limited Partners have limited liability) in the State of Delaware and in any other state where the Partnership may elect to do business.

(c) Reliance by Third Parties. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, no lender or purchaser or other Person, including any purchaser of property from the Partnership or any other Person dealing with the Partnership, shall be required to verify any representation by the General Partner as to its authority to encumber, sell, or otherwise use any assets or properties of the Partnership, and any such lender, purchaser, or other Person shall be entitled to rely exclusively on such representations and shall be entitled to deal with the General Partner as if it were the sole party in interest therein, both legally and beneficially. Each Limited Partner hereby waives any and all defenses or other remedies that may be available against any such lender, purchaser, or other Person to contest, negate, or disaffirm any action of the General Partner in connection with any such sale or financing. In no event shall any Person dealing with the General Partner or the General Partner's representative with respect to any business or property of the Partnership be obligated to ascertain that the terms of this Agreement have been complied with, and each such Person shall be entitled to rely on the assumptions that the Partnership has been duly formed and is validly in existence. In no event shall any such Person be obligated to inquire into the necessity or expedience of any act or action of the General Partner or the General Partner's representative, and every contract, agreement, deed, mortgage, security agreement, promissory note, or other instrument or document executed by the General Partner or the General Partner's representative with respect to any business or property of the Partnership shall be conclusive evidence in favor of any and every Person relying thereon or claiming thereunder that (i), at the time of the execution and delivery thereof, this Agreement was in full force and effect; (ii) such instrument or document was duly executed in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Agreement and is binding upon the Partnership; and (iii) the General Partner or the General Partner's representative was duly authorized and empowered to execute and deliver any and every such instrument or document for and on behalf of the Partnership.

(d) Partnership Funds. The funds of the Partnership shall be deposited in such account or accounts as are designated by the General Partner. The General Partner may, in its sole and unfettered discretion, deposit funds of the Partnership in a central disbursing account maintained by or in the name of the General Partner, the Partnership, or any other Person into which funds of the General Partner, the Partnership, or other Persons are also deposited; *provided, however*, at all times books of account are maintained that show the amount of funds of the Partnership on deposit in such account and interest accrued with respect to such funds as credited to the Partnership. The General Partner may use the funds of the Partnership as compensating balances for its benefit; *provided, however*, such funds do

(i) The General Partner or any Affiliate of the General Partner may lend to the Partnership funds needed by the Partnership for such periods of time as the General Partner may determine; *provided, however*, the General Partner or its Affiliate may not charge the Partnership interest at a rate greater than the rate (including points or other financing charges or fees) that would be charged the Partnership (without reference to the General Partner's financial abilities or guaranties) by unrelated lenders on comparable loans. The Partnership shall reimburse the General Partner or its Affiliate, as the case may be, for any costs incurred by the General Partner or that Affiliate in connection with the borrowing of funds obtained by the General Partner or that Affiliate and loaned to the Partnership. The Partnership may loan funds to the General Partner and any member of the Founding Partner Group at the General Partner's sole and exclusive discretion.

(iii) The Partnership may Transfer any assets to joint ventures or other partnerships in which it is or thereby becomes a participant upon terms and subject to such conditions consistent with applicable law as the General Partner deems appropriate; provided, however, that the Partnership may not transfer any asset to the General Partner or one of its Affiliates during any NAV Ratio Trigger Period for consideration less than such asset's fair market value.

(g) Resolution of Conflicts of Interest. Unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement or any other agreement contemplated herein, whenever a conflict of interest exists or arises between the General Partner or any of its Affiliates, on the one hand, and the Partnership or any Limited Partner, on the other hand, any action taken by the General Partner, in the absence of bad faith by the General Partner, shall not constitute a breach of this Agreement or any other agreement contemplated herein or a breach of any standard of care or duty imposed herein or therein or under the Delaware Act or any other applicable law, rule, or regulation.

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the “*GP Party*”), against all liabilities, losses, and damages incurred by any of them by reason of any act performed or omitted to be performed in the name of or on behalf of the Partnership, or in connection with the Partnership’s business, including, without limitation, attorneys’ fees and any amounts expended in the settlement of any claims or liabilities, losses, or damages, to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware Act; *provided, however*, the Partnership shall have no obligation to indemnify and hold harmless a GP Party for any action or inaction that constitutes gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct. The Partnership, in the sole and unfettered discretion of the General Partner, may indemnify and hold harmless any Limited Partner, employee, agent, or representative of the Partnership, any Person who is or was serving at the request of the Partnership acting through the General Partner as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, agent, or representative of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, or other enterprise, and any other Person to the extent determined by the General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion, but in no event shall such indemnification exceed the indemnification permitted by the Delaware Act. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 4.1(h) or elsewhere in this Agreement, no amendment to the Delaware Act after the date of this Agreement shall reduce or limit in any manner the indemnification provided for or permitted by this Section 4.1(h) unless such reduction or limitation is mandated by such amendment for limited partnerships formed prior to the enactment of such amendment. In no event shall Limited Partners be subject to personal liability by reason of the indemnification provisions of this Agreement.

(i) Liability of General Partner.

(i) Neither the General Partner nor its directors, officers, employees, agents, or representatives shall be liable to the Partnership or any Limited Partner for errors in judgment or for any acts or omissions that do not constitute gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct.

(ii) The General Partner may exercise any of the powers granted to it by this Agreement and perform any of the duties imposed upon it hereunder either directly or by or through its directors, officers, employees, agents, or representatives, and the General Partner shall not be responsible for any misconduct or negligence on the part of any agent or representative appointed by the General Partner.

(j) Reliance by General Partner.

(i) The General Partner may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, consent, order, bond, debenture, or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties.

(ii) The General Partner may consult with legal counsel, accountants, appraisers, management consultants, investment bankers, and other consultants and advisers selected by it, and any opinion of any such Person as to matters which the General Partner believes to be within such Person’s professional or expert competence shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken or suffered or omitted by the General Partner hereunder in good faith and in accordance with such opinion.

(k) The General Partner may, from time to time, designate one or more Persons to be officers of the Partnership. No officer need be a Partner. Any officers so designated shall have such authority and perform such duties as the General Partner may, from time to time, delegate to them. The General Partner may assign titles to particular officers, including, without limitation, president, vice president, secretary, assistant secretary, treasurer and assistant treasurer. Each officer shall hold office until such Person’s successor shall be duly designated and shall qualify or until such Person’s death or

until such Person shall resign or shall have been removed in the manner hereinafter provided. Any number of offices may be held by the same Person. The salaries or other compensation, if any, of the officers and agents of the Partnership shall be fixed from time to time by the General Partner. Any officer may be removed as such, either with or without cause, by the General Partner whenever in the General Partner's judgment the best interests of the Partnership will be served thereby. Any vacancy occurring in any office of the Partnership may be filled by the General Partner.

4.2. Rights and Obligations of Limited Partners. In addition to the rights and obligations of Limited Partners set forth elsewhere in this Agreement, Limited Partners shall have the following rights and obligations:

(a) Limitation of Liability. Limited Partners shall have no liability under this Agreement except as provided herein or under the Delaware Act.

(b) Management of Business. No Limited Partner shall take part in the control (within the meaning of the Delaware Act) of the Partnership's business, transact any business in the Partnership's name, or have the power to sign documents for or otherwise bind the Partnership other than as specifically set forth in this Agreement.

(c) Return of Capital. No Limited Partner shall be entitled to the withdrawal or return of its Capital Contribution except to the extent, if any, that distributions made pursuant to this Agreement or upon termination of the Partnership may be considered as such by law and then only to the extent provided for in this Agreement.

(d) Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement. Each Limited Partner shall comply with the terms and conditions of the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement.

(e) Default on Priority Distributions. If the Partnership fails to timely pay Priority Distributions pursuant to Section 3.9(b), and the Partnership does not subsequently make such Priority Distribution within ninety days of its due date, the Class B Limited Partner or the Class C Limited Partner may require the Partnership to liquidate publicly traded securities held by the Partnership or Highland Select Equity Master Fund, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership controlled by the Partnership; provided, however, that the General Partner may in its sole discretion elect instead to liquidate other non-publicly traded securities owned by the Partnership in order to satisfy the Partnership's obligations under Section 3.9(b) and this Section 4.2(e). In either case, Affiliates of the General Partner shall have the right of first offer to purchase any securities liquidated under this Section 4.2(e).

4.3. Transfer of Partnership Interests.

(a) Transfer. No Partnership Interest shall be Transferred, in whole or in part, except in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 4.3 and the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement. Any Transfer or purported Transfer of any Partnership Interest not made in accordance with this Section 4.3 and the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement shall be null and void. An alleged transferee shall have no right to require any information or account of the Partnership's transactions or to inspect the Partnership's books. The Partnership shall be entitled to treat the alleged transferor of a Partnership Interest as the absolute owner thereof in all respects, and shall incur no liability to any alleged transferee for distributions to the Partner owning that Partnership Interest of record or for allocations of Profits, Losses, deductions or credits or for transmittal of reports and notices required to be given to holders of Partnership Interests.

(b) Transfers by General Partner. The General Partner may Transfer all, but not less than all, of its Partnership Interest to any Person only with the approval of a Majority Interest; provided, however, that the General Partner may not Transfer its Partnership Interest during any NAV Ratio Trigger Period except to the extent such Transfers are for estate planning purposes or resulting from the death of the individual owner of the General Partner. Any Transfer by the General Partner of its Partnership Interest under this Section 4.3(b) to an Affiliate of the General Partner or any other Person shall not constitute a withdrawal of the General Partner under Section 4.5(a), Section 5.1(b), or any other provision of this Agreement. If any such Transfer is deemed to constitute a withdrawal under such provisions or otherwise and results in the dissolution of the Partnership under this Agreement or the laws of any jurisdiction to which the Partnership of this Agreement is subject, the Partners hereby unanimously consent to the reconstitution and continuation of the Partnership immediately following such dissolution, pursuant to Section 5.2.

(c) Transfers by Limited Partners. The Partnership Interest of a Limited Partner may not be Transferred without the consent of the General Partner (which consent may be withheld in the sole and unfettered discretion of the General Partner), and in accordance with the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement.

(d) Distributions and Allocations in Respect of Transferred Partnership Interests. If any Partnership Interest is Transferred during any Fiscal Year in compliance with the provisions of Article 4 and the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement, Profits, Losses, and all other items attributable to the transferred interest for that period shall be divided and allocated between the transferor and the transferee by taking into account their varying interests during the period in accordance with Code Section 706(d), using any conventions permitted by law and selected by the General Partner; provided that no allocations shall be made under this Section 4.3(d) that would affect any special allocations made under Section 3.4. All distributions declared on or before the date of that Transfer shall be made to the transferor. Solely for purposes of making such allocations and distributions, the Partnership shall recognize that Transfer not later than the end of the calendar month during which it is given notice of that Transfer; *provided, however*, if the Partnership does not receive a notice stating the date that Partnership Interest was Transferred and such other information as the General Partner may reasonably require within thirty (30) days after the end of the Fiscal Year during which the Transfer occurs, then all of such items shall be allocated, and all distributions shall be made, to the person who, according to the books and records of the Partnership, on the last day of the Fiscal Year during which the Transfer occurs, was the owner of the Partnership Interest. Neither the Partnership nor any Partner shall incur any liability for making allocations and distributions in accordance with the provisions of this Section 4.3(d), whether or not any Partner or the Partnership has knowledge of any Transfer of ownership of any Partnership Interest.

(e) Forfeiture of Partnership Interests Pursuant to the Contribution Note. In the event any Class B Limited Partnership Interests are forfeited in favor of the Partnership as a result of any default on the Contribution Note, the Capital Accounts and Percentage Interests associated with such Class B Limited Partnership Interests shall be allocated pro rata among the Class A Partners. The Priority Distributions in Section 3.9(b) made after the date of such forfeiture shall each be reduced by an amount equal to the ratio of the Percentage Interest associated with the Class B Limited Partnership Interest transferred pursuant to this Section 4.3(e) over the aggregate Percentage Interests of all Class B Limited Partnership Interests and Class C Limited Partnership Interests, calculated immediately prior to any forfeiture of such Class B Limited Partnership Interest.

(f) Transfers of Partnership Interests Pursuant to the Purchase Notes. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, the Partnership shall respect, and the General Partner hereby provides automatic consent for, any transfers (in whole or transfers of partial interests) of

(a) Issuance of Partnership Interests to New Limited Partners. The General Partner may admit one or more additional Persons as Limited Partners (“Additional Limited Partners”) to the Partnership at such times and upon such terms as it deems appropriate in its sole and unfettered discretion; provided, however, that the General Partner may only admit additional Persons as Limited Partners in relation to the issuance of equity incentives to key employees of the Partnership; provided, further that the General Partner may not issue such equity incentives to the extent they entitle the holders, in the aggregate, to a Percentage Interest in excess of twenty percent without the consent of the Class B Limited Partner and the Class C Limited Partner. All Class A Limited Partners, the Class B Limited Partner and the Class C Limited Partner shall be diluted proportionately by the issuance of such limited partnership interests. No Person may be admitted to the Partnership as a Limited Partner until he/she/it executes an Addendum to this Agreement in the form attached as Exhibit B (which may be modified by the General Partner in its sole and unfettered discretion) and an addendum to the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement.

4.5. Withdrawal of General Partner

(b) Conversion. If the successor to a Departing Partner does not exercise the option described in Section 4.5(a), the Partnership Interest of the Departing Partner as the General Partner of the Partnership shall be converted into a Partnership Interest as a Limited Partner.

(a) Admission of Substitute Limited Partners. A transferee (which may be the heir or legatee of a Limited Partner) or assignee of a Limited Partner's Partnership Interest shall be entitled to receive only the distributive share of the Partnership's Profits, Losses, deductions, and credits attributable to that Partnership Interest. To become a substitute Limited Partner (a "*Substitute Limited Partner*"),

(c) Action by General Partner. In connection with the admission of any substitute Limited Partner or successor General Partner or any additional Limited Partner, the General Partner shall have the authority to take all such actions as it deems necessary or advisable in connection therewith, including the amendment of Exhibit A and the execution and filing with appropriate authorities of any necessary documentation.

DISSOLUTION AND WINDING UP

(b) An election to dissolve the Partnership by the General Partner that is approved by the affirmative vote of a Majority Interest; *provided, however*, the General Partner may dissolve the Partnership without the approval of the Limited Partners in order to comply with Section 14 of the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement; or

For purposes of this Section 5.1, the bankruptcy of the General Partner shall be deemed to have occurred when the General Partner: (i) makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors; (ii) files a voluntary bankruptcy petition; (iii) becomes the subject of an order for relief or is declared insolvent in any federal or state bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding; (iv) files a petition or answer seeking a reorganization, arrangement, composition, readjustment, liquidation, dissolution, or similar relief under any law; (v) files an answer or other pleading admitting or failing to contest the material allegations of a petition filed against the General Partner in a proceeding of the type described in clauses (i) through (iv) of this paragraph; (vi) seeks, consents to, or acquiesces in the appointment of a trustee, receiver, or liquidator of the General Partner or of all or any substantial part of the General Partner's properties; or (vii) one hundred twenty (120) days expire after the date of the commencement of a proceeding against the General Partner seeking reorganization, arrangement, composition, readjustment, liquidation, dissolution, or

(d) All necessary steps shall be taken to amend or restate this Agreement and the Certificate of Limited Partnership, and the successor General Partner may for this purpose amend this Agreement and the Certificate of Limited Partnership, as appropriate, without the consent of any Partner.

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(a) To the payment of the expenses of the terminating transactions including, without limitation, brokerage commission, legal fees, accounting fees and closing costs;

(b) To the payment of creditors of the Partnership, including Partners, in order of priority provided by law;

(c) To the Partners and assignees to the extent of, and in proportion to, the positive balances in their respective Capital Accounts as provided in Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(b)(2); *provided, however*, the Liquidator may place in escrow a reserve of cash or other assets of the Partnership for contingent liabilities in an amount determined by the Liquidator to be appropriate for such purposes; and

(d) To the Partners in proportion to their respective Percentage Interests.

5.4. Distribution in Kind. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 5.3 that require the liquidation of the assets of the Partnership, but subject to the order of priorities set forth therein, if on dissolution of the Partnership the Liquidator determines that an immediate sale of part or all of the Partnership's assets would be impractical or would cause undue loss to the Partners and assignees, the Liquidator may defer for a reasonable time the liquidation of any assets except those necessary to satisfy liabilities of the Partnership (other than those to Partners) and/or may distribute to the Partners and assignees, in lieu of cash, as tenants in common and in accordance with the provisions of Section 5.3, undivided interests in such Partnership assets as the Liquidator deems not suitable for liquidation. Any such distributions in kind shall be subject to such conditions relating to the disposition and management of such properties as the Liquidator deems reasonable and equitable and to any joint operating agreements or other agreements governing the operation of such properties at such time. The Liquidator shall determine the fair market value of any property distributed in kind using such reasonable method of valuation as it may adopt.

5.5. Cancellation of Certificate of Limited Partnership. Upon the completion of the distribution of Partnership property as provided in Sections 5.3 and 5.4, the Partnership shall be terminated, and the Liquidator (or the General Partner and Limited Partners if necessary) shall cause the cancellation of the Certificate of Limited Partnership in the State of Delaware and of all qualifications and registrations of the Partnership as a foreign limited partnership in jurisdictions other than the State of Delaware and shall take such other actions as may be necessary to terminate the Partnership.

5.6. Return of Capital. The General Partner shall not be personally liable for the return of the Capital Contributions of Limited Partners, or any portion thereof, it being expressly understood that any such return shall be made solely from Partnership assets.

5.7. Waiver of Partition. Each Partner hereby waives any rights to partition of the Partnership property.

ARTICLE 6

GENERAL PROVISIONS

6.1. Amendments to Agreement. The General Partner may amend this Agreement without the consent of any Partner if the General Partner reasonably determines that such amendment is necessary and appropriate; *provided, however*, any action taken by the General Partner shall be subject to its fiduciary duties to the Limited Partners under the Delaware Act; provided further that any amendments

that adversely affect the Class B Limited Partner or the Class C Limited Partner may only be made with the consent of such Partner adversely affected.

6.2. Addresses and Notices. Any notice, demand, request, or report required or permitted to be given or made to a Partner under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given or made when delivered in person or when sent by United States registered or certified mail to the Partner at his/her/its address as shown on the records of the Partnership, regardless of any claim of any Person who may have an interest in any Partnership Interest by reason of an assignment or otherwise.

6.3. Titles and Captions. All article and section titles and captions in the Agreement are for convenience only, shall not be deemed part of this Agreement, and in no way shall define, limit, extend, or describe the scope or intent of any provisions hereof. Except as specifically provided otherwise, references to "Articles," "Sections" and "Exhibits" are to "Articles," "Sections" and "Exhibits" of this Agreement. All Exhibits hereto are incorporated herein by reference.

6.4. Pronouns and Plurals. Whenever the context may require, any pronoun used in this Agreement shall include the corresponding masculine, feminine, or neuter forms, and the singular form of nouns, pronouns, and verbs shall include the plural and vice versa.

6.5. Further Action. The parties shall execute all documents, provide all information, and take or refrain from taking all actions as may be necessary or appropriate to achieve the purposes of this Agreement.

6.6. Binding Effect. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, legal representatives, and permitted assigns.

6.7. Integration. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement among the parties hereto pertaining to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings pertaining thereto.

6.8. Creditors. None of the provisions of this Agreement shall be for the benefit of or enforceable by any creditors of the Partnership.

6.9. Waiver. No failure by any party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement, or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a breach thereof shall constitute waiver of any such breach or any other covenant, duty, agreement, or condition.

6.10. Counterparts. This agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one agreement binding on all the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all such parties are not signatories to the original or the same counterpart.

6.11. Applicable Law. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Delaware, without regard to the principles of conflicts of law.

6.12. Invalidity of Provisions. If any provision of this Agreement is declared or found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void, in whole or in part, then the parties shall be relieved of all obligations arising under that provision, but only to the extent that it is illegal, unenforceable, or void, it being the intent and agreement of the parties that this Agreement shall be deemed amended by modifying that provision to the extent necessary to make it legal and enforceable while preserving its intent or, if that is

not possible, by substituting therefor another provision that is legal and enforceable and achieves the same objectives.

6.13. General Partner Discretion. Whenever the General Partner may use its sole discretion, the General Partner may consider any items it deems relevant, including its own interest and that of its affiliates.

6.14. Mandatory Arbitration. In the event there is an unresolved legal dispute between the parties and/or any of their respective officers, directors, partners, employees, agents, affiliates or other representatives that involves legal rights or remedies arising from this Agreement, the parties agree to submit their dispute to binding arbitration under the authority of the Federal Arbitration Act; provided, however, that the Partnership or such applicable affiliate thereof may pursue a temporary restraining order and /or preliminary injunctive relief in connection with any confidentiality covenants or agreements binding on the other party, with related expedited discovery for the parties, in a court of law, and thereafter, require arbitration of all issues of final relief. The arbitration will be conducted by the American Arbitration Association, or another mutually agreeable arbitration service. A panel of three arbitrators will preside over the arbitration and will together deliberate, decide and issue the final award. The arbitrators shall be duly licensed to practice law in the state of Texas. The discovery process shall be limited to the following: Each side shall be permitted no more than (i) two party depositions of six hours each, each deposition to be taken pursuant to the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure; (ii) one non-party deposition of six hours; (iii) twenty-five interrogatories; (iv) twenty-five requests for admissions; (v) ten request for production (in response, the producing party shall not be obligated to produce in excess of 5,000 total pages of documents, including electronic documents); and (vi) one request for disclosure pursuant to the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure. Any discovery not specifically provided for in this paragraph, whether to parties or non-parties, shall not be permitted. The arbitrators shall be required to state in a written opinion all facts and conclusions of law relied upon to support any decision rendered. The arbitrators will not have the authority to render a decision that contains an outcome based on error of state or federal law or to fashion a cause of action or remedy not otherwise provided for under applicable state or federal law. Any dispute over whether the arbitrators have failed to comply with the foregoing will be resolved by summary judgment in a court of law. In all other respects, the arbitration process will be conducted in accordance with the American Arbitration Association's dispute resolution rules or other mutually agreeable arbitration services rules. All proceedings shall be conducted in Dallas, Texas or another mutually agreeable site. Each party shall bear its own attorneys fees, costs and expenses, including any costs of experts, witnesses and /or travel, subject to a final arbitration award on who should bear costs and fees. The duty to arbitrate described above shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Except as otherwise provided above, the parties hereby waive trial in a court of law or by jury. All other rights, remedies, statutes of limitation and defenses applicable to claims asserted in a court of law will apply in the arbitration.

Signature Page Follows.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have entered into this Agreement as of the date and year first written above.

GENERAL PARTNER:

STRAND-ADVISORS, INC.,
a Delaware corporation

By: _____

James D. Dondero,
President

LIMITED PARTNERS:

THE DUGABOY INVESTMENT TRUST

By: _____

Name: Nancy M. Dondero
Its: Trustee

THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA FAMILY
TRUST - EXEMPT TRUST #1

By: _____

Name: Lawrence Tonomura
Its: Trustee

THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA FAMILY
TRUST - EXEMPT TRUST #2

By: _____

Name: Lawrence Tonomura
Its: Trustee

MARK K. OKADA

Mark K. Okada

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have entered into this Agreement as of the date and year first written above.

GENERAL PARTNER:

STRAND ADVISORS, INC.,
a Delaware corporation

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James D. Dondero,
President

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By: _____

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Its: Trustee

MARK K. OKADA

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EXHIBIT B

**ADDENDUM
TO THE**

**FOURTH AMENDED AND RESTATED AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
OF
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.**

THIS ADDENDUM (this "Addendum") to that certain Fourth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Highland Capital Management, L.P., dated December 24, 2015, to be effective as of December 24, 2015, as amended from time to time (the "Agreement"), is made and entered into as of the ____ day of _____, 20__, by and between Strand Advisors, Inc., as the sole General Partner (the "General Partner") of Highland Capital Management, L.P. (the "Partnership") and _____ ("____") (except as otherwise provided herein, all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Agreement).

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, the General Partner, in its sole and unfettered discretion, and without the consent of any Limited Partner, has the authority under (i) Section 4.4 of the Agreement to admit Additional Limited Partners, (ii) Section 4.6 of the Agreement to admit Substitute Limited Partners and (iii) Section 6.1 of the Agreement to amend the Agreement;

WHEREAS, the General Partner desires to admit _____ as a Class ____ Limited Partner holding a ____% Percentage Interest in the Partnership as of the date hereof;

WHEREAS, _____ desires to become a Class ____ Limited Partner and be bound by the terms and conditions of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the General Partner desires to amend the Agreement to add _____ as a party thereto.

AGREEMENT:

RESOLVED, as a condition to receiving a Partnership Interest in the Partnership, _____ acknowledges and agrees that he/she/it (i) has received and read a copy of the Agreement, (ii) shall be bound by the terms and conditions of the Agreement; and (iii) shall promptly execute an addendum to the Second Amended Buy-Sell and Redemption Agreement; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, the General Partner hereby amends the Agreement to add _____ as a Limited Partner, and the General Partner shall attach this Addendum to the Agreement and make it a part thereof; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, this Addendum may be executed in any number of counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one Addendum binding on all the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all such parties are not signatories to the original or the same counterpart.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Addendum as of the day and year above written.

GENERAL PARTNER:

STRAND ADVISORS, INC.

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

NEW LIMITED PARTNER:

[_____]

AGREED AND ACCEPTED:

In consideration of the terms of this Addendum and the Agreement, in consideration of the Partnership's allowing the above signed Person to become a Limited Partner of the Partnership, and for other good and valuable consideration receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned shall be bound by the terms and conditions of the Agreement as though a party thereto.

SPOUSE OF NEW LIMITED PARTNER:

[_____]

EXHIBIT 2

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

In re:

HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,¹

Debtor.

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) Chapter 11
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) Case No. 19-34054-sgj11
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**FIFTH AMENDED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION OF HIGHLAND
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. (AS MODIFIED)**

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cost effective.

The Reorganized Debtor will distribute all proceeds from the wind down to the Claimant Trust, as its limited partner, and New GP LLC, as its general partner, in each case in accordance with the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement. Such proceeds, along with the proceeds of the Claimant Trust Assets, will ultimately be distributed to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries as set forth in this Plan and the Claimant Trust Agreement.

B. The Claimant Trust²

1. Creation and Governance of the Claimant Trust and Litigation Sub-Trust.

On or prior to the Effective Date, the Debtor and the Claimant Trustee shall execute the Claimant Trust Agreement and shall take all steps necessary to establish the Claimant Trust and the Litigation Sub-Trust in accordance with the Plan in each case for the benefit of the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries. Additionally, on or prior to the Effective Date, the Debtor shall irrevocably transfer and shall be deemed to have irrevocably transferred to the Claimant Trust all of its rights, title, and interest in and to all of the Claimant Trust Assets, and in accordance with section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Claimant Trust Assets shall automatically vest in the Claimant Trust free and clear of all Claims, Liens, encumbrances, or interests subject only to the Claimant Trust Interests and the Claimant Trust Expenses, as provided for in the Claimant Trust Agreement, and such transfer shall be exempt from any stamp, real estate transfer, mortgage from any stamp, transfer, reporting, sales, use, or other similar tax.

The Claimant Trustee shall be the exclusive trustee of the Claimant Trust Assets, excluding the Estate Claims and the Litigation Trustee shall be the exclusive trustee with respect to the Estate Claims in each case for purposes of 31 U.S.C. § 3713(b) and 26 U.S.C. § 6012(b)(3), as well as the representative of the Estate appointed pursuant to section 1123(b)(3)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets. The Claimant Trustee shall also be responsible for resolving all Claims and Equity Interests in Class 8 through Class 11, under the supervision of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee.

On the Effective Date, the Claimant Trustee and Litigation Trustee shall execute the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement and shall take all steps necessary to establish the Litigation Sub-Trust. Upon the creation of the Litigation Sub-Trust, the Claimant Trust shall irrevocably transfer and assign to the Litigation Sub-Trust the Estate Claims. The Claimant Trust shall be governed by the Claimant Trust Agreement and administered by the Claimant Trustee. The powers, rights, and responsibilities of the Claimant Trustee shall be specified in the Claimant Trust Agreement and shall include the authority and responsibility to, among other things, take the actions set forth in this ARTICLE IV, subject to any required reporting to the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee as may be set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement. The Claimant Trust shall hold and distribute the Claimant Trust Assets (including the proceeds from the Estate Claims, if any) in accordance with the provisions of the Plan and the Claimant Trust Agreement; *provided* that the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee may direct the Claimant Trust to reserve

² In the event of a conflict between the terms of this summary and the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement and the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement, the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement or the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement, as applicable, shall control.

Cash from distributions as necessary to fund the Claimant Trust and Litigation Sub-Trust. Other rights and duties of the Claimant Trustee and the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries shall be as set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement. After the Effective Date, neither the Debtor nor the Reorganized Debtor shall have any interest in the Claimant Trust Assets.

The Litigation Sub-Trust shall be governed by the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement and administered by the Litigation Trustee. The powers, rights, and responsibilities of the Litigation Trustee shall be specified in the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement and shall include the authority and responsibility to, among other things, take the actions set forth in this ARTICLE IV, subject to any required reporting as may be set forth in the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement. The Litigation Sub-Trust shall investigate, prosecute, settle, or otherwise resolve the Estate Claims in accordance with the provisions of the Plan and the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement and shall distribute the proceeds therefrom to the Claimant Trust for distribution. Other rights and duties of the Litigation Trustee shall be as set forth in the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement.

2. Claimant Trust Oversight Committee

The Claimant Trust, the Claimant Trustee, the management and monetization of the Claimant Trust Assets, and the management of the Reorganized Debtor (through the Claimant Trust's role as managing member of New GP LLC) and the Litigation Sub-Trust will be overseen by the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee, subject to the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement and the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement, as applicable.

The Claimant Trust Oversight Committee will initially consist of five members. Four of the five members will be representatives of the members of the Committee: (i) the Redeemer Committee of Highland Crusader Fund, (ii) UBS, (iii) Acis, and (iv) Meta-e Discovery. The fifth member will be an independent, natural Person chosen by the Committee and reasonably acceptable to the Debtor. The members of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee may be replaced as set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement. The identity of the members of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee will be disclosed in the Plan Supplement.

As set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement, in no event will any member of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee with a Claim against the Estate be entitled to vote, opine, or otherwise be involved in any matters related to such member's Claim.

The independent member(s) of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee may be entitled to compensation for their services as set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement. Any member of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee may be removed, and successor chosen, in the manner set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement.

3. Purpose of the Claimant Trust.

The Claimant Trust shall be established for the purpose of (i) managing and monetizing the Claimant Trust Assets, subject to the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement and the oversight of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee, (ii) serving as the limited partner of, and holding the limited partnership interests in, the Reorganized Debtor, (iii) serving as the sole member and manager of New GP LLC, the Reorganized Debtor's general partner, (iv) in its capacity as the sole member and manager of New GP LLC, overseeing the management and

monetization of the Reorganized Debtor Assets pursuant to the terms of the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement; and (v) administering the Disputed Claims Reserve and serving as Distribution Agent with respect to Disputed Claims in Class 7 or Class 8.

In its management of the Claimant Trust Assets, the Claimant Trust will also reconcile and object to the General Unsecured Claims, Subordinated Claims, Class B/C Limited Partnership Interests, and Class A Limited Partnership Interests, as provided for in this Plan and the Claimant Trust Agreement, and make Trust Distributions to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries in accordance with Treasury Regulation section 301.7701-4(d), with no objective to continue or engage in the conduct of a trade or business.

The purpose of the Reorganized Debtor is discussed at greater length in ARTICLE IV.C.

4. Purpose of the Litigation Sub-Trust.

The Litigation Sub-Trust shall be established for the purpose of investigating, prosecuting, settling, or otherwise resolving the Estate Claims. Any proceeds therefrom shall be distributed by the Litigation Sub-Trust to the Claimant Trust for distribution to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries pursuant to the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement.

5. Claimant Trust Agreement and Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement.

The Claimant Trust Agreement generally will provide for, among other things:

- (i) the payment of the Claimant Trust Expenses;
- (ii) the payment of other reasonable expenses of the Claimant Trust;
- (iii) the retention of employees, counsel, accountants, financial advisors, or other professionals and the payment of their reasonable compensation;
- (iv) the investment of Cash by the Claimant Trustee within certain limitations, including those specified in the Plan;
- (v) the orderly monetization of the Claimant Trust Assets;
- (vi) litigation of any Causes of Action, which may include the prosecution, settlement, abandonment, or dismissal of any such Causes of Action, subject to reporting and oversight by the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee;
- (vii) the resolution of Claims and Equity Interests in Class 8 through Class 11, subject to reporting and oversight by the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee;
- (viii) the administration of the Disputed Claims Reserve and distributions to be made therefrom; and
- (ix) the management of the Reorganized Debtor, including the utilization of a Sub-Servicer, with the Claimant Trust serving as the managing member of New GP LLC.

Except as otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, the Claimant Trust Expenses shall be paid from the Claimant Trust Assets in accordance with the Plan and Claimant Trust Agreement. The Claimant Trustee may establish a reserve for the payment of Claimant Trust Expense (including, without limitation, any reserve for potential indemnification claims as authorized and provided under the Claimant Trust Agreement), and shall periodically replenish such reserve, as necessary.

In furtherance of, and consistent with the purpose of, the Claimant Trust and the Plan, the Trustees, for the benefit of the Claimant Trust, shall, subject to reporting and oversight by the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee as set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement: (i) hold the Claimant Trust Assets for the benefit of the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries, (ii) make Distributions to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries as provided herein and in the Claimant Trust Agreement, and (iii) have the sole power and authority to prosecute and resolve any Causes of Action and objections to Claims and Equity Interests (other than those assigned to the Litigation Sub-Trust), without approval of the Bankruptcy Court. Except as otherwise provided in the Claimant Trust Agreement, the Claimant Trustee shall be responsible for all decisions and duties with respect to the Claimant Trust and the Claimant Trust Assets; *provided, however*, that the prosecution and resolution of any Estate Claims included in the Claimant Trust Assets shall be the responsibility of the Litigation Trustee. The Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement generally will provide for, among other things:

- (i) the payment of other reasonable expenses of the Litigation Sub-Trust;
- (ii) the retention of employees, counsel, accountants, financial advisors, or other professionals and the payment of their reasonable compensation; and
- (iii) the investigation and prosecution of Estate Claims, which may include the prosecution, settlement, abandonment, or dismissal of any such Estate Claims, subject to reporting and oversight as set forth in the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement.

The Trustees, on behalf of the Claimant Trust and Litigation Sub-Trust, as applicable, may each employ, without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, employees and other professionals (including those previously retained by the Debtor and the Committee) to assist in carrying out the Trustees' duties hereunder and may compensate and reimburse the reasonable expenses of these professionals without further Order of the Bankruptcy Court from the Claimant Trust Assets in accordance with the Plan and the Claimant Trust Agreement.

The Claimant Trust Agreement and Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement may include reasonable and customary provisions that allow for indemnification by the Claimant Trust in favor of the Claimant Trustee, Litigation Trustee, and the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee. Any such indemnification shall be the sole responsibility of the Claimant Trust and payable solely from the Claimant Trust Assets.

6. Compensation and Duties of Trustees.

The salient terms of each Trustee's employment, including such Trustee's duties and compensation shall be set forth in the Claimant Trust Agreement and the Litigation Sub-Trust

Agreement, as appropriate. The Trustees shall each be entitled to reasonable compensation in an amount consistent with that of similar functionaries in similar types of bankruptcy cases.

7. Cooperation of Debtor and Reorganized Debtor.

To effectively investigate, prosecute, compromise and/or settle the Claims and/or Causes of Action that constitute Claimant Trust Assets (including Estate Claims), the Claimant Trustee, Litigation Trustee, and each of their professionals may require reasonable access to the Debtor's and Reorganized Debtor's documents, information, and work product relating to the Claimant Trust Assets. Accordingly, the Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor, as applicable, shall reasonably cooperate with the Claimant Trustee and Litigation Trustee, as applicable, in their prosecution of Causes of Action and in providing the Claimant Trustee and Litigation Trustee with copies of documents and information in the Debtor's possession, custody, or control on the Effective Date that either Trustee indicates relates to the Estate Claims or other Causes of Action.

The Debtor and Reorganized Debtor shall preserve all records, documents or work product (including all electronic records, documents, or work product) related to the Claims and Causes of Action, including Estate Claims, until the earlier of (a) the dissolution of the Reorganized Debtor or (b) termination of the Claimant Trust and Litigation Sub-Trust.

8. United States Federal Income Tax Treatment of the Claimant Trust.

Unless the IRS requires otherwise, for all United States federal income tax purposes, the parties shall treat the transfer of the Claimant Trust Assets to the Claimant Trust as: (a) a transfer of the Claimant Trust Assets (other than the amounts set aside in the Disputed Claims Reserve, if the Claimant Trustee makes the election described in Section 7 below) directly to the applicable Claimant Trust Beneficiaries followed by (b) the transfer by the such Claimant Trust Beneficiaries to the Claimant Trust of such Claimant Trust Assets in exchange for the Claimant Trust Interests. Accordingly, the applicable Claimant Trust Beneficiaries shall be treated for United States federal income tax purposes as the grantors and owners of their respective share of the Claimant Trust Assets. The foregoing treatment shall also apply, to the extent permitted by applicable law, for state and local income tax purposes.

9. Tax Reporting.

(a) The Claimant Trustee shall file tax returns for the Claimant Trust treating the Claimant Trust as a grantor trust pursuant to Treasury Regulation section 1.671-4(a). The Claimant Trustee may file an election pursuant to Treasury Regulation 1.468B-9(c) to treat the Disputed Claims Reserve as a disputed ownership fund, in which case the Claimant Trustee will file federal income tax returns and pay taxes for the Disputed Claims Reserve as a separate taxable entity.

(b) The Claimant Trustee shall be responsible for payment, out of the Claimant Trust Assets, of any taxes imposed on the Claimant Trust or its assets.

(c) The Claimant Trustee shall determine the fair market value of the Claimant Trust Assets as of the Effective Date and notify the applicable Claimant Trust Beneficiaries of such valuation, and such valuation shall be used consistently for all federal income tax purposes.

(d) The Claimant Trustee shall distribute such tax information to the applicable Claimant Trust Beneficiaries as the Claimant Trustee determines is required by applicable law.

10. Claimant Trust Assets.

The Claimant Trustee shall have the exclusive right, on behalf of the Claimant Trust, to institute, file, prosecute, enforce, abandon, settle, compromise, release, or withdraw any and all Causes of Action included in the Claimant Trust Assets (except for the Estate Claims) without any further order of the Bankruptcy Court, and the Claimant Trustee shall have the exclusive right, on behalf of the Claimant Trust, to sell, liquidate, or otherwise monetize all Claimant Trust Assets, except as otherwise provided in this Plan or in the Claimant Trust Agreement, without any further order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Litigation Trustee shall have the exclusive right to institute, file, prosecute, enforce, abandon, settle, compromise, release, or withdraw any and all Estate Claims included in the Claimant Trust Assets without any further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

From and after the Effective Date, the Trustees, in accordance with section 1123(b)(3) and (4) of the Bankruptcy Code, and on behalf of the Claimant Trust, shall each serve as a representative of the Estate with respect to any and all Claimant Trust Assets, including the Causes of Action and Estate Claims, as appropriate, and shall retain and possess the right to (a) commence, pursue, settle, compromise, or abandon, as appropriate, any and all Causes of Action in any court or other tribunal and (b) sell, liquidate, or otherwise monetize all Claimant Trust Assets.

11. Claimant Trust Expenses.

From and after the Effective Date, the Claimant Trust shall, in the ordinary course of business and without the necessity of any approval by the Bankruptcy Court, pay the reasonable professional fees and expenses incurred by the Claimant Trust, the Litigation Sub-Trust, and any professionals retained by such parties and entities from the Claimant Trust Assets, except as otherwise provided in the Claimant Trust Agreement.

12. Trust Distributions to Claimant Trust Beneficiaries.

The Claimant Trustee, in its discretion, may make Trust Distributions to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries at any time and/or use the Claimant Trust Assets or proceeds thereof, *provided* that such Trust Distributions or use is otherwise permitted under the terms of the Plan, the Claimant Trust Agreement, and applicable law.

13. Cash Investments.

With the consent of the Claimant Trust Oversight Committee, the Claimant Trustee may invest Cash (including any earnings thereon or proceeds therefrom) in a manner consistent with the terms of the Claimant Trust Agreement; *provided, however*, that such investments are

5. Vesting of Assets in the Reorganized Debtor

Except as otherwise provided in this Plan or the Confirmation Order, on or after the Effective Date, all Reorganized Debtor Assets will vest in the Reorganized Debtor, free and clear of all Liens, Claims, charges or other encumbrances pursuant to section 1141(c) of the Bankruptcy Code except with respect to such Liens, Claims, charges and other encumbrances that are specifically preserved under this Plan upon the Effective Date.

The Reorganized Debtor shall be the exclusive trustee of the Reorganized Debtor Assets for purposes of 31 U.S.C. § 3713(b) and 26 U.S.C. § 6012(b)(3), as well as the representative of the Estate appointed pursuant to section 1123(b)(3)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to the Reorganized Debtor Assets.

6. Purpose of the Reorganized Debtor

Except as may be otherwise provided in this Plan or the Confirmation Order, the Reorganized Debtor will continue to manage the Reorganized Debtor Assets (which shall include, for the avoidance of doubt, serving as the investment manager of the Managed Funds) and may use, acquire or dispose of the Reorganized Debtor Assets and compromise or settle any Claims with respect to the Reorganized Debtor Assets without supervision or approval by the Bankruptcy Court and free of any restrictions of the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules. The Reorganized Debtor shall oversee the resolution of Claims in Class 1 through Class 7.

Without limiting the foregoing, the Reorganized Debtor will pay the charges that it incurs after the Effective Date for Professionals' fees, disbursements, expenses or related support services (including reasonable fees relating to the preparation of Professional fee applications) in the ordinary course of business and without application or notice to, or order of, the Bankruptcy Court.

7. Distribution of Proceeds from the Reorganized Debtor Assets; Transfer of Reorganized Debtor Assets

Any proceeds received by the Reorganized Debtor will be distributed to the Claimant Trust, as limited partner, and New GP LLC, as general partner, in the manner set forth in the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement. As set forth in the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement, the Reorganized Debtor may, from time to time distribute Reorganized Debtor Assets to the Claimant Trust either in Cash or in-kind, including to institute the wind-down and dissolution of the Reorganized Debtor. Any assets distributed to the Claimant Trust will be (i) deemed transferred in all respects as forth in ARTICLE IV.B.1, (ii) deemed Claimant Trust Assets, and (iii) administered as Claimant Trust Assets.

D. Company Action

Each of the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, and the Trustees, as applicable, may take any and all actions to execute, deliver, File or record such contracts, instruments, releases and other agreements or documents and take such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and implement the provisions of this Plan, the Claimant Trust Agreement, the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement, or the New GP LLC Documents, as applicable, in

the name of and on behalf of the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Trustees, as applicable, and in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by the security holders, officers, or directors of the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor, as applicable, or by any other Person.

Prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate), all matters provided for pursuant to this Plan that would otherwise require approval of the stockholders, partners, directors, managers, or members of the Debtor, any Related Entity, or any Affiliate thereof (as of prior to the Effective Date) will be deemed to have been so approved and will be in effect prior to, on or after the Effective Date (as appropriate) pursuant to applicable law and without any requirement of further action by the stockholders, partners, directors, managers or members of such Persons, or the need for any approvals, authorizations, actions or consents of any Person.

All matters provided for in this Plan involving the legal or corporate structure of the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, and any legal or corporate action required by the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, in connection with this Plan, will be deemed to have occurred and will be in full force and effect in all respects, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by the security holders, partners, directors, managers, or members of the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, or by any other Person. On the Effective Date, the appropriate officers of the Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor, as applicable, as well as the Trustees, are authorized to issue, execute, deliver, and consummate the transactions contemplated by, the contracts, agreements, documents, guarantees, pledges, consents, securities, certificates, resolutions and instruments contemplated by or described in this Plan in the name of and on behalf of the Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor, as well as the Trustees, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or any requirement of further action, vote or other approval or authorization by any Person. The appropriate officer of the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, as well as the Trustees, will be authorized to certify or attest to any of the foregoing actions.

E. Release of Liens, Claims and Equity Interests

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan or in any contract, instrument, release or other agreement or document entered into or delivered in connection with the Plan, from and after the Effective Date and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to the Plan, all Liens, Claims, Equity Interests, mortgages, deeds of trust, or other security interests against the property of the Estate will be fully released, terminated, extinguished and discharged, in each case without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or the vote, consent, authorization or approval of any Entity. Any Entity holding such Liens or Equity Interests extinguished pursuant to the prior sentence will, pursuant to section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, promptly execute and deliver to the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Claimant Trustee, as applicable, such instruments of termination, release, satisfaction and/or assignment (in recordable form) as may be reasonably requested by the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or the Claimant Trustee, as applicable. For the avoidance of

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damages, liabilities, or costs incurred in treating such individual as a Holder of an Allowed Claim or Equity Interest. Upon compliance with ARTICLE VI.O of this Plan as determined by the Distribution Agent, by a Holder of a Claim evidenced by a security or note, such Holder will, for all purposes under this Plan, be deemed to have surrendered such security or note to the Distribution Agent.

ARTICLE VII.
PROCEDURES FOR RESOLVING CONTINGENT,
UNLIQUIDATED AND DISPUTED CLAIMS

A. Filing of Proofs of Claim

Unless such Claim appeared in the Schedules and is not listed as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated, or such Claim has otherwise been Allowed or paid, each Holder of a Claim was required to file a Proof of Claim on or prior to the Bar Date.

B. Disputed Claims

Following the Effective Date, each of the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trustee, as applicable, may File with the Bankruptcy Court an objection to the allowance of any Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest, request the Bankruptcy Court subordinate any Claims to Subordinated Claims, or any other appropriate motion or adversary proceeding with respect to the foregoing by the Claims Objection Deadline or, at the discretion of the Reorganized Debtor or Claimant Trustee, as applicable, compromised, settled, withdrew or resolved without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, and (ii) unless otherwise provided in the Confirmation Order, the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, are authorized to settle, or withdraw any objections to, any Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interests following the Effective Date without further notice to creditors (other than the Entity holding such Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest) or authorization of the Bankruptcy Court, in which event such Claim or Equity Interest shall be deemed to be an Allowed Claim or Equity Interest in the amount compromised for purposes of this Plan.

C. Procedures Regarding Disputed Claims or Disputed Equity Interests

No payment or other distribution or treatment shall be made on account of a Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest unless and until such Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest becomes an Allowed Claim or Equity Interests and the amount of such Allowed Claim or Equity Interest, as applicable, is determined by order of the Bankruptcy Court or by stipulation between the Reorganized Debtor or Claimant Trust, as applicable, and the Holder of the Claim or Equity Interest.

D. Allowance of Claims and Equity Interests

Following the date on which a Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest becomes an Allowed Claim or Equity Interest after the Distribution Date, the Distribution Agent shall make a distribution to the Holder of such Allowed Claim or Equity Interest in accordance with the Plan.

1. Allowance of Claims

After the Effective Date and subject to the other provisions of this Plan, the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, will have and will retain any and all rights and defenses under bankruptcy or nonbankruptcy law that the Debtor had with respect to any Claim. Except as expressly provided in this Plan or in any order entered in the Chapter 11 Case prior to the Effective Date (including, without limitation, the Confirmation Order), no Claim or Equity Interest will become an Allowed Claim or Equity Interest unless and until such Claim or Equity Interest is deemed Allowed under this Plan or the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Court has entered an order, including, without limitation, the Confirmation Order, in the Chapter 11 Case allowing such Claim or Equity Interest.

2. Estimation

Subject to the other provisions of this Plan, the Debtor, prior to the Effective Date, and the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trustee, as applicable, after the Effective Date, may, at any time, request that the Bankruptcy Court estimate (a) any Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest pursuant to applicable law and in accordance with this Plan and (b) any contingent or unliquidated Claim pursuant to applicable law, including, without limitation, section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Court will retain jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 to estimate any Disputed Claim or Disputed Equity Interest, contingent Claim or unliquidated Claim, including during the litigation concerning any objection to any Claim or Equity Interest or during the pendency of any appeal relating to any such objection. All of the aforementioned objection, estimation and resolution procedures are cumulative and not exclusive of one another. Claims or Equity Interests may be estimated and subsequently compromised, settled, withdrawn or resolved by any mechanism approved by the Bankruptcy Court. The rights and objections of all parties are reserved in connection with any such estimation proceeding.

3. Disallowance of Claims

Any Claims or Equity Interests held by Entities from which property is recoverable under sections 542, 543, 550, or 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, or that are a transferee of a transfer avoidable under sections 522(f), 522(h), 544, 545, 547, 548, 549, or 724(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, shall be deemed disallowed pursuant to section 502(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, and holders of such Claims or Interests may not receive any distributions on account of such Claims or Interests until such time as such Causes of Action against that Entity have been settled or a Bankruptcy Court Order with respect thereto has been entered and all sums due, if any, to the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trust, as applicable, by that Entity have been turned over or paid to the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trust, as applicable.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN OR AS AGREED TO BY THE DEBTOR, REORGANIZED DEBTOR, OR CLAIMANT TRUSTEE, AS APPLICABLE, ANY AND ALL PROOFS OF CLAIM FILED AFTER THE BAR DATE SHALL BE DEEMED DISALLOWED AND EXPUNGED AS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE WITHOUT ANY FURTHER NOTICE TO OR ACTION, ORDER, OR APPROVAL OF THE BANKRUPTCY COURT, AND HOLDERS OF SUCH CLAIMS MAY NOT RECEIVE ANY DISTRIBUTIONS ON ACCOUNT OF SUCH CLAIMS, UNLESS SUCH

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Governmental Unit or parish in which any instrument related to the Plan or related to any transaction contemplated thereby is to be recorded with respect to nay taxes of the kind specified in Bankruptcy Code section 1146(a).

ARTICLE XI.

RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

Pursuant to sections 105 and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall, after the Effective Date, retain such jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case and all Entities with respect to all matters related to the Chapter 11 Case, the Reorganized Debtor, the Claimant Trust, and this Plan to the maximum extent legally permissible, including, without limitation, jurisdiction to:

- allow, disallow, determine, liquidate, classify, estimate or establish the priority, secured, unsecured, or subordinated status of any Claim or Equity Interest, including, without limitation, the resolution of any request for payment of any Administrative Expense Claim and the resolution of any and all objections to the allowance or priority of any Claim or Equity Interest;
- grant or deny any applications for allowance of compensation or reimbursement of expenses authorized pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or this Plan, for periods ending on or before the Effective Date; *provided, however*, that, from and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtor shall pay Professionals in the ordinary course of business for any work performed after the Effective Date subject to the terms of this Plan and the Confirmation Order, and such payment shall not be subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court;
- resolve any matters related to the assumption, assignment or rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to which the Debtor is party or with respect to which the Debtor, Reorganized Debtor, or Claimant Trust may be liable and to adjudicate and, if necessary, liquidate, any Claims arising therefrom, including, without limitation, any dispute regarding whether a contract or lease is or was executory or expired;
- make any determination with respect to a claim or cause of action against a Protected Party as set forth in ARTICLE IX;
- resolve any claim or cause of action against an Exculpated Party or Protected Party arising from or related to the Chapter 11 Case, the negotiation of this Plan, the administration of the Plan or property to be distributed under the Plan, the wind down of the business of the Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, or the transactions in furtherance of the foregoing;
- if requested by the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trustee, authorize, approve, and allow any sale, disposition, assignment or other transfer of the Reorganized Debtor Assets or Claimant Trust Assets, including any break-up compensation or

expense reimbursement that may be requested by a purchaser thereof; *provided, however*, that neither the Reorganized Debtor nor the Claimant Trustee shall be required to seek such authority or approval from the Bankruptcy Court unless otherwise specifically required by this Plan or the Confirmation Order;

- if requested by the Reorganized Debtor or the Claimant Trustee, authorize, approve, and allow any borrowing or the incurrence of indebtedness, whether secured or unsecured by the Reorganized Debtor or Claimant Trust; *provided, however*, that neither the Reorganized Debtor nor the Claimant Trustee shall be required to seek such authority or approval from the Bankruptcy Court unless otherwise specifically required by this Plan or the Confirmation Order;
- resolve any issues related to any matters adjudicated in the Chapter 11 Case;
- ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Equity Interests are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of this Plan;
- decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters and any other Causes of Action (including Estate Claims) that are pending as of the Effective Date or that may be commenced in the future, including approval of any settlements, compromises, or other resolutions as may be requested by the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, the Claimant Trustee, or the Litigation Trustee whether under Bankruptcy Rule 9019 or otherwise, and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtor that may be pending on the Effective Date or instituted by the Reorganized Debtor, the Claimant Trustee, or Litigation Trustee after the Effective Date, provided that the Reorganized Debtor, the Claimant Trustee, and the Litigation Trustee shall reserve the right to commence actions in all appropriate forums and jurisdictions;
- enter such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to implement, effectuate, or consummate the provisions of this Plan, the Plan Documents, and all other contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents adopted in connection with this Plan, the Plan Documents, or the Disclosure Statement;
- resolve any cases, controversies, suits or disputes that may arise in connection with the implementation, effectiveness, consummation, interpretation, or enforcement of this Plan or any Entity's obligations incurred in connection with this Plan;
- issue injunctions and enforce them, enter and implement other orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Entity with implementation, effectiveness, consummation, or enforcement of this Plan, except as otherwise provided in this Plan;
- enforce the terms and conditions of this Plan and the Confirmation Order;
- resolve any cases, controversies, suits or disputes with respect to the release, exculpation, indemnification, and other provisions contained herein and enter such

orders or take such others actions as may be necessary or appropriate to implement or enforce all such releases, injunctions and other provisions;

- enter and implement such orders or take such others actions as may be necessary or appropriate if the Confirmation Order is modified, stayed, reversed, revoked or vacated;
- resolve any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, the Plan Documents, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture or other agreement or document adopted in connection with this Plan or the Disclosure Statement; and
- enter an order concluding or closing the Chapter 11 Case after the Effective Date.

ARTICLE XII.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Payment of Statutory Fees and Filing of Reports

All outstanding Statutory Fees shall be paid on the Effective Date. All such fees payable, and all such fees that become due and payable, after the Effective Date shall be paid by the Reorganized Debtor when due or as soon thereafter as practicable until the Chapter 11 Case is closed, converted, or dismissed. The Claimant Trustee shall File all quarterly reports due prior to the Effective Date when they become due, in a form reasonably acceptable to the U.S. Trustee. After the Effective Date, the Claimant Trustee shall File with the Bankruptcy Court quarterly reports when they become due, in a form reasonably acceptable to the U.S. Trustee. The Reorganized Debtor shall remain obligated to pay Statutory Fees to the Office of the U.S. Trustee until the earliest of the Debtor's case being closed, dismissed, or converted to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code.

B. Modification of Plan

Effective as of the date hereof and subject to the limitations and rights contained in this Plan: (a) the Debtor reserves the right, in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules, to amend or modify this Plan prior to the entry of the Confirmation Order with the consent of the Committee, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld; and (b) after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Debtor may, after notice and hearing and entry of an order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify this Plan, in accordance with section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code or remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in this Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Plan.

C. Revocation of Plan

The Debtor reserves the right to revoke or withdraw this Plan prior to the Confirmation Date and to File a subsequent chapter 11 plan with the consent of the Committee. If the Debtor revokes or withdraws this Plan prior to the Confirmation Date, then: (i) this Plan shall be null and void in all respects; (ii) any settlement or compromise embodied in this Plan, assumption of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases effected by this Plan and any document or agreement

EXHIBIT 3

CLAIMANT TRUST AGREEMENT

This Claimant Trust Agreement, effective as of _____, 2021 (as may be amended, supplemented, or otherwise modified in accordance with the terms hereof, this “Agreement”), by and among Highland Capital Management, L.P. (as debtor and debtor-in-possession, the “Debtor”), as settlor, and James P. Seery, Jr., as trustee (the “Claimant Trustee”), and [____] as Delaware trustee (the “Delaware Trustee,” and together with the Debtor and the Claimant Trustee, the “Parties”) for the benefit of the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries entitled to the Claimant Trust Assets.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2019, Highland Capital Management, L.P. filed with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, a voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, which case was subsequently transferred to the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas, Dallas Division (the “Bankruptcy Court”) and captioned *In re Highland Capital Management, L.P.*, Case No. 19-34054-sgj11 (the “Chapter 11 Case”);

WHEREAS, on November 24, 2020, the Debtor filed the *Fifth Amended Plan of Reorganization of Highland Capital Management, L.P.* [Docket No. 1472] (as may be amended, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time, the “Plan”),¹ which was confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court on _____, 2021, pursuant to the Findings of Fact and Order Confirming Plan of Reorganization for the Debtor [Docket No. •] (the “Confirmation Order”);

WHEREAS, this Agreement, including all exhibits hereto, is the “Claimant Trust Agreement” described in the Plan and shall be executed on or before the Effective Date in order to facilitate implementation of the Plan; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Plan and Confirmation Order, the Claimant Trust Assets are to be transferred to the Claimant Trust (each as defined herein) created and evidenced by this Agreement so that (i) the Claimant Trust Assets can be held in a trust for the benefit of the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries entitled thereto in accordance with Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-4(d) for the objectives and purposes set forth herein and in the Plan; (ii) the Claimant Trust Assets can be monetized; (iii) the Claimant Trust will transfer Estate Claims to the Litigation Sub-Trust to be prosecuted, settled, abandoned, or resolved as may be determined by the Litigation Trustee in accordance with the terms of the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement, for the benefit of the Claimant Trust; (iv) proceeds of the Claimant Trust Assets, including Estate Claims, may be distributed to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries² in accordance with the Plan; (v) the Claimant Trustee can resolve Disputed Claims as set forth herein and in the Plan; and

¹ Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Plan.

² For the avoidance of doubt, and as set forth in the Plan, Holders of Class A Limited Partnership Interests and Class B/C Limited Partnership Interests will be Claimant Trust Beneficiaries only upon certification by the Claimant Trustee that the Holders of such Claims have been paid indefeasibly in full plus, to the extent applicable, post-petition interest in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein and in the Plan.

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2.5 Principal Office. The principal office of the Claimant Trust shall be maintained by the Claimant Trustee at the following address:[_____].

2.6 Acceptance. The Claimant Trustee accepts the Claimant Trust imposed by this Agreement and agrees to observe and perform that Claimant Trust, on and subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein and in the Plan.

2.7 Further Assurances. The Debtor, Reorganized Debtor, and any successors thereof will, upon reasonable request of the Claimant Trustee, execute, acknowledge and deliver such further instruments and do such further acts as may be necessary or proper to transfer to the Claimant Trustee any portion of the Claimant Trust Assets intended to be conveyed hereby and in the Plan in the form and manner provided for hereby and in the Plan and to vest in the Claimant Trustee the powers, instruments or funds in trust hereunder.

2.8 Incidents of Ownership. The Claimant Trust Beneficiaries shall be the sole beneficiaries of the Claimant Trust and the Claimant Trustee shall retain only such incidents of ownership as are necessary to undertake the actions and transactions authorized herein.

ARTICLE III. **THE TRUSTEES**

3.1 Role. In furtherance of and consistent with the purpose of the Claimant Trust, the Plan, and this Agreement, the Claimant Trustee, subject to the terms and conditions contained herein, in the Plan, and in the Confirmation Order, shall serve as Claimant Trustee with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets for the benefit of the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries and maintain, manage, and take action on behalf of the Claimant Trust.

3.2 Authority.

(a) In connection with the administration of the Claimant Trust, in addition to any and all of the powers enumerated elsewhere herein, the Claimant Trustee shall, in an expeditious but orderly manner, monetize the Claimant Trust Assets, make timely distributions and not unduly prolong the duration of the Claimant Trust. The Claimant Trustee shall have the power and authority and is authorized to perform any and all acts necessary and desirable to accomplish the purposes of this Agreement and the provisions of the Plan and the Confirmation Order relating to the Claimant Trust, within the bounds of this Agreement, the Plan, the Confirmation Order, and applicable law. The Claimant Trustee will monetize the Claimant Trust Assets with a view toward maximizing value in a reasonable time.

(b) The Claimant Trustee, subject to the limitations set forth in Section 3.3 of this Agreement shall have the right to prosecute, defend, compromise, adjust, arbitrate, abandon, estimate, or otherwise deal with and settle any and all Claims and Causes of Action that are part of the Claimant Trust Assets, other than the Estate Claims transferred to the Litigation Sub-Trust, as the Claimant Trustee determines is in the best interests of the Claimant Trust; provided, however, that if the Claimant Trustee proposes a settlement of an Employee Claim and does not obtain unanimous consent of the Oversight Board of such settlement, such Employee Claim shall be transferred to the Litigation Sub-Trust for the Litigation Trustee to litigate. To the extent that any action has been taken to prosecute, defend, compromise, adjust, arbitrate, abandon, or

otherwise deal with and settle any such Claims and Causes of Action prior to the Effective Date, on the Effective Date the Claimant Trustee shall be substituted for the Debtor in connection therewith in accordance with Rule 25 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, made applicable by Rule 7025 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, and the caption with respect to such pending action shall be changed to the following “[Claimant Trustee], not individually but solely as Claimant Trustee for the Claimant Trust, et al. v. [Defendant]”.

(c) Subject in all cases to any limitations contained herein, in the Confirmation Order, or in the Plan, the Claimant Trustee shall have the power and authority to:

(i) solely as required by Section 2.4(c), hold legal title to any and all rights of the Claimant Trust and Beneficiaries in or arising from the Claimant Trust Assets, including collecting and receiving any and all money and other property belonging to the Claimant Trust and the right to vote or exercise any other right with respect to any claim or interest relating to the Claimant Trust Assets in any case under the Bankruptcy Code and receive any distribution with respect thereto;

(ii) open accounts for the Claimant Trust and make distributions of Claimant Trust Assets in accordance herewith;

(iii) as set forth in Section 3.11, exercise and perform the rights, powers, and duties held by the Debtor with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets (other than Estate Claims), including the authority under section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, and shall be deemed to be acting as a representative of the Debtor’s Estate with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets, including with respect to the sale, transfer, or other disposition of the Claimant Trust Assets;

(iv) settle or resolve any Claims in Class 8 and Class 9 other than the Material Claims and any Equity Interests;

(v) sell or otherwise monetize any publicly-traded asset for which there is a marketplace and any other assets (other than the Other Assets (as defined below)) valued less than or equal to \$3,000,000 (over a thirty-day period);

(vi) upon the direction of the Oversight Board, fund the Litigation Sub-Trust on the Effective Date and as necessary thereafter;

(vii) exercise and perform the rights, powers, and duties arising from the Claimant Trust’s role as sole member of New GP LLC, and the role of New GP LLC, as general partner of the Reorganized Debtor, including the management of the Managed Funds;

(viii) protect and enforce the rights to the Claimant Trust Assets by any method deemed appropriate, including by judicial proceedings or pursuant to any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or similar law and general principles of equity;

(ix) obtain reasonable insurance coverage with respect to any liabilities and obligations of the Trustees, Litigation Trustee, and the Members of the Oversight Board solely in their capacities as such, in the form of fiduciary liability insurance, a directors and

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otherwise deal with and settle any such Claims and Causes of Action prior to the Effective Date, on the Effective Date the Claimant Trustee shall be substituted for the Debtor in connection therewith in accordance with Rule 25 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, made applicable by Rule 7025 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, and the caption with respect to such pending action shall be changed to the following “[Claimant Trustee], not individually but solely as Claimant Trustee for the Claimant Trust, et al. v. [Defendant]”.

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(ii) open accounts for the Claimant Trust and make distributions of Claimant Trust Assets in accordance herewith;

(iii) as set forth in Section 3.11, exercise and perform the rights, powers, and duties held by the Debtor with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets (other than Estate Claims), including the authority under section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, and shall be deemed to be acting as a representative of the Debtor’s Estate with respect to the Claimant Trust Assets, including with respect to the sale, transfer, or other disposition of the Claimant Trust Assets;

(iv) settle or resolve any Claims in Class 8 and Class 9 other than the Material Claims and any Equity Interests;

(v) sell or otherwise monetize any publicly-traded asset for which there is a marketplace and any other assets (other than the Other Assets (as defined below)) valued less than or equal to \$3,000,000 (over a thirty-day period);

(vi) upon the direction of the Oversight Board, fund the Litigation Sub-Trust on the Effective Date and as necessary thereafter;

(vii) exercise and perform the rights, powers, and duties arising from the Claimant Trust’s role as sole member of New GP LLC, and the role of New GP LLC, as general partner of the Reorganized Debtor, including the management of the Managed Funds;

(viii) protect and enforce the rights to the Claimant Trust Assets by any method deemed appropriate, including by judicial proceedings or pursuant to any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or similar law and general principles of equity;

(ix) obtain reasonable insurance coverage with respect to any liabilities and obligations of the Trustees, Litigation Trustee, and the Members of the Oversight Board solely in their capacities as such, in the form of fiduciary liability insurance, a directors and

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pursuant to section 1123(b)(3)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code and applicable state trust law, is appointed as the successor-in-interest to, and representative of, the Debtor and its Estate for the retention, enforcement, settlement, and adjustment of all Claims other than Estate Claims, the Employee Claims, and those Claims constituting Reorganized Debtor Assets.

(b) The Claimant Trust shall be administered by the Claimant Trustee, in accordance with this Agreement, for the following purposes:

(i) to manage and monetize the Claimant Trust Assets in an expeditious but orderly manner with a view towards maximizing value within a reasonable time period;

(ii) to litigate and settle Claims in Class 8 and Class 9 (other than the Employee Claims, which shall be litigated and/or settled by the Litigation Trustee if the Oversight Board does not unanimously approve of any proposed settlement of such Employee Claim by the Claimant Trustee) and any of the Causes of Action included in the Claimant Trust Assets (including any cross-claims and counter-claims); provided, however, that Estate Claims transferred to the Litigation Sub-Trust shall be litigated and settled by the Litigation Trustee pursuant to the terms of the Litigation Sub-Trust Agreement;

(iii) to distribute net proceeds of the Claimant Trust Assets to the Claimant Trust Beneficiaries;

(iv) to distribute funds from the Disputed Claims Reserve to Holders of Trust Interests or to the Reorganized Debtor for distribution to Holders of Disputed Claims in each case in accordance with the Plan from time to time as any such Holder's Disputed Claim becomes an Allowed Claim under the Plan;

(v) to distribute funds to the Litigation Sub-Trust at the direction the Oversight Board;

(vi) to serve as the limited partner of, and to hold the limited partnership interests in, the Reorganized Debtor;

(vii) to serve as the sole member and manager of New GP LLC, the Reorganized Debtor's general partner;

(viii) to oversee the management and monetization of the Reorganized Debtor Assets pursuant to the terms of the Reorganized Limited Partnership Agreement, in its capacity as the sole member and manager of New GP LLC pursuant to the terms of the New GP LLC Documents, all with a view toward maximizing value in a reasonable time in a manner consistent with the Reorganized Debtor's fiduciary duties as investment adviser to the Managed Funds; and

(ix) to perform any other functions and take any other actions provided for or permitted by this Agreement and the Plan, and in any other agreement executed by the Claimant Trustee.

EXHIBIT 4

Highland Capital Management, L.P.

(A Delaware Limited Partnership)

Consolidated Financial Statements and Supplemental Information December 31, 2018



Report of Independent Auditors

To the General Partner of Highland Capital Management, L.P.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Highland Capital Management, L.P. and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Partnership"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2018, and the related consolidated statements of income, of changes in partners' capital and of cash flows for the year then ended.

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the Partnership's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Partnership's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Highland Capital Management, L.P. and its subsidiaries as of December 31, 2018, and the results of their operations, changes in their partners' capital and their cash flows for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole. The Supplemental Consolidating Balance Sheet, the Supplemental Consolidating Statement of Income, the Supplemental Unconsolidated Balance Sheet and the Supplemental Unconsolidated Statement of Income are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. The information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves and other additional procedures, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

June 3, 2019

Consolidated Statement of Income

Year Ended December 31, 2018

The Partnership consolidates the following entities as it has a controlling majority interest:

- 100% interest in Highland Capital Special Allocation, LLC (“HCSA”), a Delaware limited liability company that commenced operations on December 21, 2006;
- 100% interest in Highland Receivables Finance 1, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company that commenced operations on December 29, 2006;
- 100% interest in Highland Multi-Strategy Onshore Master SubFund, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company that commenced operations on July 19, 2006;
- 100% interest in Highland Multi-Strategy Onshore Master Subfund II, LLC, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company that commenced operations on February 22, 2007;
- 100% interest in Highland Brasil, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company that commenced operations on January 28, 2014;
- 100% interest in Highland Capital Management (Singapore) Pte, Ltd. (“HCM Singapore”), a company organized in the Republic of Singapore that commenced operations on April 2, 2008;
- 100% interest in Highland Capital Management Korea, Ltd. (“HCM Korea”), a company organized in the Republic of Korea that commenced operations on August 2, 2012;
- 100% interest in Highland Capital Management Latin America, L.P., (“HCM Latin America”), a Cayman company that was formed on April 13, 2017;
- 100% interest in HE Capital, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company that was formed on March 22, 2007;
- 100% interest in De Kooning, Ltd, a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;
- 100% interest in Hirst, Ltd., a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;
- 100% interest in Hockney, Ltd., a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;
- 100% interest in Oldenburg, Ltd., a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;
- 100% interest in Eames, Ltd, a Cayman company that was formed on December 12, 2012;
- 99.9% interest in Penant Management, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership that was formed on December 12, 2012;
- 100% interest in Pollack, Ltd., a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;
- 100% interest in Warhol, Ltd., a Cayman company that was formed on December 1, 2012;

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- All inter-partnership and intercompany accounts and transactions involving the above listed Consolidated Entities have been eliminated in all of the aforementioned consolidating schedules. All the Consolidated Investment Funds are, for U.S. GAAP purposes, investment companies under the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Audit and Accounting Guide - Investment Companies. The Partnership has retained the specialized accounting of these funds required under U.S. GAAP.

(in thousands)

Highland Capital Management, L.P.

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Income and Expense Recognition

Interest on currently paying debt instruments is accrued as earned and dividend income and dividends on securities sold, not yet purchased are recorded on the ex-dividend date, net of withholding taxes. In certain instances where the asset has defaulted or some amount of the interest payment is deemed uncollectable, interest is recognized when received. Discounts and premiums associated with purchases of investments are accreted and amortized to interest income, except for deep-discounted debt where ultimate collection of interest and principal may be in doubt. Such accretion/amortization is calculated on an effective-yield basis over the life of the investment. Amendment fees are recognized when agreed to by the underlying company and all settlement contingencies are met. Operating expenses, including interest on securities sold short, not yet purchased, are recorded on the accrual basis as incurred.

Income Taxes

The Partnership is not subject to federal income taxes, and therefore, no provision has been made for such taxes in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. Income taxes are the responsibility of the partners. Certain consolidated subsidiaries are subject to federal income taxes.

Certain entities that are included in these consolidated financial statements are subject to federal and/or state income taxes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in the period that includes the enactment date. See further discussion in Note 13.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash held at U.S. and foreign banks, deposits with original maturities of less than 90 days, and money market funds. Cash equivalents are carried at cost, which approximates market value. At December 31, 2018, the Partnership and Consolidated Entities held cash balances at certain financial institutions in excess of the federally insured limit of \$0.3 million. The Partnership and Consolidated Entities regularly monitor the credit quality of these institutions.

Notes Receivable

Notes receivable consists of secured promissory notes with maturities greater than one year. When available, the Partnership uses observable market data, including pricing on recent closed transactions to value notes. When appropriate, these notes may be valued using collateral values. Adjustments to the value may be performed in circumstances where attributes specific to the collateral exist suggesting impairment.

Other Intangible Assets

Goodwill and other intangible assets are recorded on the Consolidated Balance Sheet at current carrying values. The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities perform an impairment test on an annual basis. Any impairment in the value of other intangible assets is accounted for in the year when it occurs.

Fixed Assets and Leasehold Improvements

Fixed assets and leasehold improvements are carried at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over the shorter of the estimated useful life of the assets or the lease term.

	<u>Period</u>
Leasehold improvements	Lease term
Buildings	29 - 40 years
Furniture and fixtures	7 years
Computer and equipment	3 - 5 years
Computer software	3 years

Certain of the Partnership's Consolidated Investment Funds engage in "short sales" as part of their investment strategies. Short selling is the practice of selling securities that are borrowed from a third party. The Consolidated Investment Funds are required to return securities equivalent to those borrowed for the short sale at the lender's demand.

Due to and from broker balances recorded on the Consolidated Balance Sheet include liquid assets maintained with brokers and counterparties for margin account balances and the amounts due for or due from the settlement of purchase and sales transactions. Certain due to and from broker balances have been reported on a net-by-counterparty basis where, in accordance with contractual rights and the Partnership's opinion, there is a right of offset in the event of bankruptcy or default by a counterparty.

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(in thousands)

Leasehold improvements	\$ 7,193
Buildings	2,595
Furniture and fixtures	2,796
Computer and equipment	2,863
Computer software	331
Accumulated depreciation	(11,197)
	<u>\$ 4,581</u>

Depreciation expense in 2018 totaled approximately \$1.3 million for the Partnership and its subsidiaries.

4. Investments

Detailed below is a summary of the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investments at December 31, 2018:

(in thousands)

(in thousands)	Amortized Cost/Cost	Fair Value
Common equity securities	\$ 423,306	\$ 535,374
Closed-end mutual funds	100,788	94,845
Floating rate syndicated bank loans	142,586	72,622
Real Estate Investment Trusts	28,271	57,475
Life settlement contracts	65,276	35,744
Limited partnership interests	24,892	30,521
Rights & warrants	26,661	7,446
LLC interests	10,629	2,775
Preferred equity	258	8,282
Asset-backed securities	7,350	102
Participation interests	6,590	-
Corporate bonds	85,421	-
Total investments	\$ 922,027	\$ 845,186
	Proceeds	Fair Value
Securities sold, not yet purchased	\$ (26,135)	\$ (32,357)

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As of December 31, 2018, the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investments consisted primarily of common equity securities, closed-end mutual funds, floating rate syndicated bank loans, real estate investment trusts, life settlement contracts, limited partnership interests, rights and warrants, LLC interests, asset-backed securities, and preferred equity. In addition, certain of the Consolidated Entities engage in short sale transactions. The majority of these financial instruments are not listed on national securities exchanges and management is required to use significant judgment to estimate their values.

Public Equity Investments

Publicly traded equities, including closed-end mutual funds and publicly traded REITs are valued at the closing price at the date of the financial statements. The fair value of equity investments that are not traded on national exchanges or through real-time quotation services are derived from methodologies that provide appropriate fair value estimates. Equity investments with quotes that are based on actual trades with a sufficient level of activity on or near the valuation date are classified as Level 2 assets.

Private Equity Investments

The Partnership and Consolidated Entities hold private equity investments which often resulted from the restructuring of other instruments which are classified as common equity securities. These assets are valued using market data obtained from a third-party pricing service and/or quotes from other parties dealing in the specific assets when available. In the event both a reliable market quote and third-party pricing service data are not available for such assets, the Partnership and Consolidated Entities will fair value the assets using various methodologies, as appropriate for individual investments, including comparable transaction multiples, comparable trading multiples, and/or discounted cash flow analysis. When utilizing comparable trading multiples, the Investment Manager determines comparable public companies (peers) based on industry, size, developmental stage, strategy, etc., and then calculates a trading multiple for each comparable company identified by using either a price to book ratio based on publically available information about the underlying comparable company or by dividing the enterprise value of the comparable company by its earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) or similar metrics. In certain instances, the inputs used in the calculation of the trading multiples may vary based on the industry or development stage of the company. A multiple determined by the Investment Manager to be within a reasonable range as calculated amongst its peers is then applied to the underlying company's price to book ratio or EBITDA (which may be normalized to adjust for certain nonrecurring events), to calculate the fair value of the underlying company. The fair value may be further adjusted for entity specific facts and circumstances. Private equity investments with quotes that are based on actual trades with a sufficient level of activity on or near the valuation date are classified as Level 2 assets. Private equity investments that are priced using quotes derived from implied values, bid/ask prices for trades that were never consummated, or a limited amount of actual trades are classified as Level 3 assets because the inputs used by the brokers and pricing services to derive the values are not readily observable.

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Debt Securities

Absent both a reliable market quote and third-party pricing service date, the Partnership and Consolidated Entities may use various models to establish an estimated exit price. These investments are classified as Level 3 assets. Models used for debt securities are primarily based on identifying comparable assets for which market data is available and pricing the target asset consistent with the yields of the comparable assets. As circumstances require, other industry accepted techniques may be used in modeling debt assets.

Life Settlement contracts are valued using mortality tables and interest rate assumptions that are deemed by management to be appropriate for the demographic characteristics of the parties insured under the policies. Management generally utilizes an independent third party firm to perform these calculations and provide the relevant inputs. Management evaluates the results based on visible market activity and market research. Since these inputs are not readily observable, these contracts are classified as Level 3 assets.

(U.S. dollars in thousands, except number of policies)

(in years)	Number of Policies	Face Value	Fair Value
1-2	-	\$ -	\$ -
2-3	3	33,785	16,940
3-4	-	-	-
4-5	-	-	-
Thereafter	10	111,500	18,804
Total	13	\$ 145,285	\$ 35,744

The Consolidated Entities invest in a variety of asset-backed securities. Asset-backed securities are generally valued based on complex cash flow models that analyze the cash flows generated by the investment's underlying assets after adjusting for expected default rates, prepayment rates, collateral quality, market liquidity among other factors. These models are then adjusted based on spreads available in the market place from various research firms, dealers, and trading activity. The Consolidated Entities generally utilize an independent third parties to provide the relevant inputs. The Consolidated Entities evaluate the results based on visible market activity and market research. When appropriate, the Consolidated Entities may apply other techniques based on a specific asset's characteristics. Asset-backed securities with quotes that are based on actual trades with a sufficient level of activity on or near the valuation date are classified as Level 2 assets. Asset-backed securities that are priced using quotes derived from implied values, bid/ask prices for trades that were never consummated, or a limited amount of actual trades are classified as Level 3 assets because the inputs used by the brokers and pricing services to derive the values are not readily observable.

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities hold limited partnership and LLC interests in various entities. These assets are valued as the net asset value of the limited partnership interests because the entities utilize fair value accounting for their own financial statements. These interests are classified as Level 3 assets.

The Partnership categorizes investments recorded at fair value in accordance with the hierarchy established under U.S. GAAP. The following table provides a summary of the financial instruments recorded at fair value on a recurring basis by level within the hierarchy as of December 31, 2018:

(in thousands)

				Total Fair Value at 12/31/18
Assets	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Common equity securities	\$ 139,236	\$ 296,695	\$ 99,443	\$ 535,374
Closed-end mutual funds	94,845	-	-	94,845
Floating rate syndicated bank loans	-	21	72,601	72,622
Real Estate Investment Trusts	46,594	10,881	-	57,475
Life settlement contracts	-	-	35,744	35,744
Limited partnership interests	-	-	30,521	30,521
Rights & warrants	20	123	7,303	7,446
LLC interests	-	-	2,775	2,775
Preferred equity	8,282	-	-	8,282
Asset-backed securities	-	-	102	102
Total	\$ 288,977	\$ 307,720	\$ 248,489	\$ 845,186
Liabilities				
Common stock & Options sold short	\$ 32,357	\$ -	-	\$ 32,357

(in thousands)

The following page includes a summary of significant unobservable inputs used in the fair valuations of assets and liabilities categorized within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

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Category	Ending Balance at 12/31/2018	Valuation Technique	Unobservable Inputs	Input Value(s)
Common equity securities	\$ 99,443	Multiples Analysis	Multiple of EBITDA	2.5x - 7.0x
			Cap Rate	8.0 - 10.0%
			Multiple of Revenue	0.20x - 0.30x
		Discounted Cash Flow	Liquidity Discount	25%
			Discount Rate	10.5 - 40.0%
			Terminal Multiple	1.25x - 6.50x
			Long-Term Growth Rate	2%
		Transaction Analysis	Multiple of EBITDA	4.0x - 7.75x
			Cap Rate	8 - 10%
		Bid Indications	Enterprise Value (\$mm)	\$720.0 - \$765.0
Floating rate syndicated bank loans	72,601	Multiples Analysis	Multiple of EBITDA	2.0x - 5.0x
			Multiple of Revenue	0.35x - 0.50x
			Risk Discount	40%
		Escrow Recovery Analysis	NA	NA
			NA	NA
		Appraisal	Transaction Price	10%
			Discount Rate	6.0%
		Sales Proceeds Analysis	Discount Rate	12.3% - 40.0%
			Terminal Multiple	1.25x
		Discounted Cash Flow	Spread Adjustment	0.0% - 6.3%
Life settlement contracts	35,744	Discounted Cash Flow	Discount Rate	15.0 - 16.0%
Limited partnership interests	30,521	Net Asset Value	Various models including liquidation analysis, and third-party pricing vendor	N/A
Rights & w warrants	7,303	Discounted Cash Flow	Discount Rate	11.0% - 17.0%
			Terminal Multiple	6.5x
		Multiples Analysis	Multiple of EBITDA	6.0x - 7.0x
			Multiple of EBITDA	7.25x - 7.75x
			Enterprise Value (in millions)	\$720.0 - \$765.0
LLC interests	2,775	Discounted Cash Flow	Discount Rate	6%
			Minority Discount	25%
		Adjusted Appraisal	Total Purchase Price (in millions)	\$130.00
Asset-backed securities	102	Adjusted NAV	NA	N/A
Total	<u>\$ 248,489</u>			

In addition to the unobservable inputs utilized for various valuation methodologies, the Partnership often uses a combination of two or more valuation methodologies to determine fair value for a single holding. In such instances, the Partnership assesses the methodologies and ascribes weightings to each methodology. The selection of weightings is an inherently subjective process, dependent on professional judgement. These selections may have a material impact to the concluded fair value for such holdings.

The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Partnership's assets could fluctuate significantly, resulting in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

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6. Financial Instruments with Concentration of Credit and Other Risks

Financial Instruments

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investments include, among other things, equity securities, debt securities (both investment and non-investment grade) and bank loans. The Consolidated Entities may also invest in derivative instruments, including total return and credit default swaps. Investments in these derivative instruments throughout the year subject the Consolidated Entities to off-balance sheet market risk, where changes in the market or fair value of the financial instruments underlying the derivative instruments may be in excess of the amounts recognized in the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

Market Risk

Market risk represents the potential loss that may be incurred by the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities due to a change in the market value of its investments or the value of the investments underlying swap agreements. The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' exposure to market risk is affected by a number of macroeconomic factors, such as interest rates, availability of credit, inflation rates, economic uncertainty and changes in laws and regulations. These factors may affect the level and volatility of securities prices and the liquidity of the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities investments. Volatility or illiquidity could impair the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities performance or result in losses. The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities may maintain substantial trading positions that can be adversely affected by the level of volatility in the financial markets. The performance of life settlement contracts may be adversely impacted by the under estimation of mortality and other rates.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the potential loss the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities may incur as a result of the failure of a counterparty or an issuer to make payments according to the terms of a contract. Because the Consolidated Entities enter into over-the-counter derivatives such as swaps, it is exposed to the credit risk of their counterparties. To limit the credit risk associated with such transactions, the Consolidated Entities execute transactions with financial institutions that the Investment Manager believes to be financially viable.

Liquidity Risk

The Consolidated Entities' limited partner interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933 or any other applicable securities law. There is no public market for the interests, and neither the Consolidated Entities nor their manager expects such a market to develop.

Business Risk

The Partnership provides advisory services to the Consolidated Entities. Consolidated Entities could be materially affected by the liquidity, credit and other events of the Partnership.

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High Yield Bonds and Loans

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investment portfolios consist of floating rate syndicated bank loans and fixed income securities that are not listed on a national securities exchange. These investments trade in a limited market and it may not be possible to immediately liquidate them if needed. In addition, certain of the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investments have resale or transfer restrictions that further reduce their liquidity. Because of the inherent uncertainty of these investments, the Investment Manager's best estimates may differ significantly from values that would have been used had a broader market for the investments existed.

When the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities purchase a senior secured syndicated bank loan, it enters into a contractual relationship directly with the corporate borrower, and as such, is exposed to certain degrees of risk, including interest rate risk, market risk and the potential non-payment of principal and interest, including default or bankruptcy of the corporate borrower or early payment by the corporate borrower. Typically, senior secured syndicated bank loans are secured by the assets of the corporate borrower and the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities have a policy of regularly reviewing the adequacy of each corporate borrower's collateral.

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities may invest in high-yield bonds that have been assigned lower rating categories or are not rated by the various credit rating agencies. Bonds in the lower rating categories are generally considered to be speculative with respect to the issuer's ability to repay principal and pay interest. They are also subject to greater risks than bonds with higher ratings in the case of deterioration of general economic conditions. Due to these risks, the yields and prices of lower-rated bonds are generally volatile, and the market for them is limited, which may affect the ability to liquidate them if needed.

Debt Obligations

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' investment portfolio consists of collateralized loan obligations that are not listed on a national securities exchange. These investments trade in a limited market and it may not be possible to immediately liquidate them if needed. Because of the inherent uncertainty of these investments, the Partnership's best estimates may differ significantly from values that would have been used had broader market for the investments existed.

Distressed Investments

A portion of the high yield corporate bonds and senior secured syndicated bank loans in which the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities invest have been issued by distressed companies in an unstable financial condition that have experienced poor operating performance and may be involved in bankruptcy or other reorganization and liquidation proceedings. These investments have substantial inherent risks. Many of these distressed companies are likely to have significantly leveraged capital structures, which make them highly sensitive to declines in revenue and to increases in expenses and interest rates. The leveraged capital structure also exposes the companies to adverse economic factors, including macroeconomic conditions, which may affect their ability to repay borrowed amounts on schedule.

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The Consolidated Entities may borrow funds from brokers, banks and other lenders to finance its trading operations. The use of leverage can, in certain circumstances, magnify the losses to which the Consolidated Entities' investment portfolio may be subject. The use of margin and short-term borrowings creates several risks for the Consolidated Entities. If the value of the Consolidated Entities' securities fall below the margin level required by a counterparty, additional margin deposits would be required. If the Consolidated Entities are unable to satisfy a margin call, the counterparty could liquidate the Consolidated Entities' positions in some or all of the financial instruments that are in the account at the prime broker and cause the Consolidated Entities to incur significant losses. In addition, to the extent the Consolidated Entities have posted excess collateral for margin transactions, there is a risk that the counterparty will fail to fulfill its obligation to return the full value of that collateral.

The failure to satisfy a margin call, or the occurrence of other material defaults under margin or other financing agreements, may trigger cross-defaults under the Consolidated Entities' agreements with other brokers, lenders, clearing firms or other counterparties, multiplying the adverse impact to the Consolidated Entities. In addition, because the use of leverage allows the Consolidated Entities to control positions worth significantly more than its investment in those positions, the amount that the Consolidated Entities may lose in the event of adverse price movements is high in relation to the amount of their investment.

In the event of a sudden drop in the value of the Consolidated Entities' assets, the Consolidated Entities may not be able to liquidate assets quickly enough to satisfy their margin or collateral requirements. As a result, the Consolidated Entities may become subject to claims of financial intermediaries, and such claims could exceed the value of its assets. The banks and dealers that provide financing to the Consolidated Entities have the ability to apply discretionary margin, haircut, and financing and collateral valuation policies. Changes by banks and dealers in any of the foregoing may result in large margin calls, loss of financing and forced liquidations of positions and disadvantageous prices.

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities may invest in securities or maintain cash denominated in currencies other than the U.S. dollar. The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities are exposed to risk that the exchange rate of the U.S. dollar relative to other currencies may change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the reported value of the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities' assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the U.S. dollar.

At December 31, 2018, the Consolidated Entities' investments and derivative contracts were predominantly concentrated in the United States and Cayman Islands and across several industries.

The Partnership and its Consolidated Entities are periodically subject to legal actions arising from the ordinary course of business. The ultimate outcome of these cases is inherently uncertain and could result in additional losses to the Partnership and/or its Consolidated Entities. Refer to Note 14 for a discussion of open litigation.

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On May 12, 2017, HCM Latin America, as manager, purchased all rights and obligations for management of a certain hedge fund. As of December 31, 2018, the current carrying value of these rights and obligations is \$3.0 million, which consists of the original purchase price of \$2.0 million and a deferred purchase price of \$1.0 million and is reflected in the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

8. Related Party Transactions

Certain members of the Partnership's management serve as members on the Boards of Directors for some of the companies with which it invests. Because these individuals participate in the management of these companies, investments held by the Partnership and its subsidiaries in these companies may, from time to time, not be freely tradable. As of December 31, 2018, the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities held the following investments in these companies:

Issuer	Type of Investment	Fair Value
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Inc.	Common Stock	296,695
Cornerstone Healthcare Group Holding, Inc.	Common Equity	59,539
OmniMax International, Inc.	Term Loan	52,464
JHT Holdings Inc.	Common Stock	25,099
OmniMax International, Inc.	Common Equity	7,804
Carey International, Inc.	Term Loan	5,401
CCS Medical, Inc.	Loan	5,960
Trussway Holdings, LLC	Common Equity	4,582
JHT Holdings Inc.	Term Loan	4,160
OmniMax International, Inc.	Warrants	551

(in thousands)

Issuer	Type of Investment	Fair Value
Harko, LLC	LLC Units	\$ 2,721
Highland CLO Funding	Partnership Interest	610
Highland Energy MLP Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	1,363
Highland Floating Rate Opportunities Fund	Closed-end mutual fund shares	832
Highland Global Allocation Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	2,173
Highland Long/Short Equity Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	267
Highland Long/Short Healthcare Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	2,963
Highland Master Loan Fund	Limited Partnership interest	106
Highland Merger Arbitrage Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	1,321
Highland Opportunistic Credit Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	5,477
Highland Premier Growth Equity Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	64
Highland Small Cap Equity Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	465
NexPoint Strategic Opportunities Fund	Mutual Fund Shares	36,563
NexPoint Multi Family Capital Trust	REIT	10,881
NexPoint Real Estate Strategies Fund	Closed-end mutual fund shares	1,454
NexPoint Residential Trust	REIT	85,223

Expenses Reimbursable by Funds Managed

In the normal course of business, the Partnership typically pays invoices it receives from vendors for various services provided to the investment funds the Partnership manages. A summary of these eligible reimbursable expenses are then submitted to the trustee/administrator for each respective fund, typically on a quarterly basis, and the Partnership receives payment as reimbursement for paying the invoices on behalf of the respective funds. As of December 31, 2018, approximately \$6.4 million in reimbursable expenses were due from various affiliated funds and entities for these eligible expenses, and is included in *Other Assets* in the accompanying Consolidated Balance Sheet.

Accounts Held with Related Party

During the year the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities maintained bank accounts at NexBank, SSB ("NexBank"), a related party by way of common control. As of December 31, 2018, balances in these accounts were approximately \$0.5 million, a portion of which exceeds Federal deposit insurance limits.

Investment in Affiliated Loans

During the year, certain subsidiaries of the Partnership were invested in several bank loans in which NexBank was the agent bank. Interest earned on the loans during the year was approximately \$10.4 million and is included in interest and investment income in the Consolidated Statement of Income. At December 31, 2018, these subsidiaries were invested in NexBank agented loans with commitments and market values totaling approximately \$83.3 million and \$56.5 million, respectively.

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On May 1, 2018, Multi Strategy Master executed a loan agreement (the “Loan Agreement”) with NexBank SSB, an affiliate of the Partnership. The original principal borrowed under the Loan Agreement was \$36.5 million. The loan bears interest at the 1-month LIBOR rate plus 3.25%. The maturity date is May 1, 2021. For the year ended December 31, 2018, the Multi Strategy Master incurred and paid approximately \$1.3 million of interest expense, and made aggregate principal payments of approximately \$1.9 million. Shares of Metro-Goldwyn Mayer, Inc. are pledged as collateral on the loan. The loan was used to purchase an outstanding redemption of \$38.7 million at a discount resulting in a reallocation of partners’ capital on the Statement of Changes in Partners’ Capital. As of December 31, 2018 the remaining principal payable on the loan was \$34.6 million. The fair value of Multi Strategy Master’s outstanding loan approximates the carrying value of the loan.

As of December 31, 2018 the due to broker balance of approximately \$116.6 million is payable to financing counterparties for margin transactions.

The Partnership is a named co-borrower in a Bridge Loan Agreement (“Loan”) dated September 26, 2018 with Key Bank for \$556.3 million. The Loan accrues interest at the 3 month LIBOR rate plus 3.75%, per annum. Accrued interest shall be paid monthly by a borrower other than the Partnership (“Lead Borrower”). The Loan will mature on September 26, 2019. The carrying value of the Loan is reflected on the financial statements of the Lead Borrower.

The Partnership is a party to various legal proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business. While any proceeding or litigation has an element of uncertainty, management believes that the final outcome will not have a materially adverse effect on the Partnership's Consolidated Balance Sheet, Consolidated statement of Income, or its liquidity. See Note 14.

The Partnership has an operating lease and associated commitments related to its main office space. Future minimum lease payments under operating lease commitments with initial or non-cancelable terms in excess of one year, at inception, are as follows:

(in thousands)

Years Ending December 31,	
2019	1,550
2020	1,566
2021	1,567
2022	522
Total	<u>\$ 5,205</u>

Total rental expense of the Partnership and its Consolidated Entities for operating leases was approximately \$1.5 million for the year ended December 31, 2018.

12. Post Retirement Benefits

In December 2006, the Partnership created a defined benefit plan to which all employees and certain affiliated persons could participate if they met the eligibility requirements. The Partnership uses a December 31 measurement date for its defined benefit plan.

Effective December 31, 2008, the Partnership amended the plan by freezing it to new participants and additional benefit accruals. A new amendment became effective on January 1, 2011 in which a named participant was admitted to the plan and is eligible to earn benefit accrual. 2018 expense reflects a service cost charge for the value of the new participant's benefit earned during 2018.

The Partnership's benefit plan obligation and plan assets for the year ended December 31, 2018 are reconciled in the tables below.

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Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost at December 31, 2018:

Discount rate	3.19%
Expected long-term return on plan assets	3.19%
Rate of compensation increase	N/A

As of December 31, 2018, there were no plan assets categorized as Level 3.

13. Income Taxes

The Partnership

For U.S. income tax purposes, the Partnership is treated as a pass-through-entity, which means it is not subject to income taxes under current Internal Revenue Service or state and local guidelines. Each partner is individually liable for income taxes, if any, on their share of the Partnership's net taxable income.

The Partnership files tax returns as prescribed by the tax laws of the jurisdictions in which it operates. In the normal course of business, the Partnership is subject to examination by federal and foreign jurisdictions, where applicable. As of December 31, 2018, the tax years that remain subject to examination by the major tax jurisdictions under the statute of limitations is from the year 2015 forward (with limited exceptions).

Authoritative guidance on accounting for and disclosure of uncertainty in tax positions requires the General Partner to determine whether a tax position of the Partnership is more likely than not to be sustained upon examination, including resolution of any related appeals or litigation processes, based on the technical merits of the position. For tax positions meeting the more likely than not threshold, the tax amount recognized in the financial statements is the largest benefit that as a greater than fifty percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement with the relative taxing authority. The General Partner does not expect a significant change in uncertain tax positions during the twelve months subsequent to December 31, 2018.

Multi Strategy Master

For U.S. income tax purposes, Multi Strategy Master is treated as a pass-through entity, which means it is not subject to federal income taxes under current Internal Revenue Service guidelines. However, each investor may be individually liable for income taxes, if any, on its share of the partnership's net taxable income.

Multi Strategy Master trades in senior secured syndicated bank loans for its own account and, as such, non-U.S. Investment Vehicle investors are generally not subject to U.S. tax on such earnings (other than certain withholding taxes indicated below). The Partnership intends to conduct Multi Strategy Master business in such a manner that it does not constitute a U.S. trade or business, nor does it create a taxable presence in any of the jurisdictions in which the Partnership has offices.

Dividends as well as certain interest and other income received by Multi Strategy Master from sources within the United States may be subject to, and reflected net of, United States withholding tax at a rate of 30% for non-U.S. Investment Vehicles. Interest, dividend and other income realized by Multi Strategy Master from non-U.S. sources and capital gains realized on the sale of securities of non-U.S. issuers may be subject to withholding and other taxes levied by the jurisdiction in which the income is sourced. As of December 31, 2018, a minimal withholding tax liability of \$0.9 million is classified within accrued and other liabilities on the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

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The remaining entities consolidated by the Partnership had no uncertain tax positions which required accrual under U.S. GAAP.

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On March 28, 2019, the Partnership distributed equity to its partners in the aggregate amount of \$3.7 million.

On March 28, 2019, the Partnership received a \$3.7 million pay down on the outstanding Contribution Agreement.

Over the course of 2019, through the report date, HCMFA issued promissory notes to the Partnership in the aggregate amount of \$7.4 million. The notes accrue interest at a rate of 2.39%.

The Partnership has performed an evaluation of subsequent events through June 3, 2019, which is the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued, and has determined that there are no other material subsequent events that would require disclosure in the Partnership's consolidated financial statements.

Supplemental Information

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Supplemental Unconsolidated Balance Sheet

December 31, 2018

Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,567
Investments at fair value (cost \$263,008*)	259,460
Equity method investees	24,415
Management and incentive fees receivable	2,242
Intangible assets	8,421
Notes and other amounts due from affiliates	176,963
Fixed assets and leasehold improvements, net of accumulated depreciation of \$11,177	4,538
Total assets	\$ 478,606

Liabilities

Accounts payable	\$	4,838
Due to affiliate		4,542
Due to brokers		31,194
Due to brokers for securities purchased not yet settled		1,640
Accrued and other liabilities		35,574
Notes payable		16,722
Investment liabilities		12,135
Total liabilities		<u>106,645</u>

371,961

\$ 478,606

The above information was derived from the audited December 31, 2018 consolidated financial statements of Highland Capital Management, L.P. This information should be read in conjunction with such audited financial statements.

Supplemental Unconsolidated Statement of Income Year Ended December 31, 2018

Revenue:

Expenses:

Other Income/(Expense):

Loss before investment activities	(12,087)
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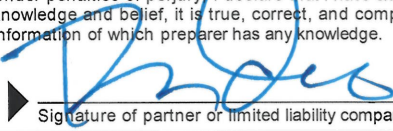
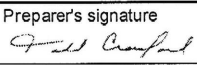
Realized and unrealized gains/losses on investments:

Loss from equity method investees:	(17,959)
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Net loss	\$ (73,178)
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The above information was derived from the audited December 31, 2018 consolidated financial statements of Highland Capital Management, L.P. This information should be read in conjunction with such audited consolidated financial statements.

EXHIBIT 5

Form 1065		U.S. Return of Partnership Income		OMB No. 1545-0123	
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service		For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning _____, 2018, ending _____, 20_____. ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form1065 for instructions and the latest information.		2018	
A Principal business activity	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	Name of partnership	HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP		
B Principal product or service	INVESTMENT SERVICES	Type or Print	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.	D Employer identification number	75-2716725
C Business code number	523900	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code	300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201	E Date business started	07/07/1997
				F Total assets (see instructions)	\$ 1,043,466,149.
G Check applicable boxes: (1) ☐ Initial return (2) ☐ Final return (3) ☐ Name change (4) ☐ Address change (5) ☐ Amended return					
H Check accounting method: (1) ☐ Cash (2) ☒ Accrual (3) ☐ Other (specify) ▶					
I Number of Schedules K-1. Attach one for each person who was a partner at any time during the tax year. ▶ 6					
J Check if Schedules C and M-3 are attached. ▶ ☒					
Caution: Include only trade or business income and expenses on lines 1a through 22 below. See instructions for more information.					
Income	1a	Gross receipts or sales.	45,840,305.	1c	45,840,305.
	b	Returns and allowances.			
	c	Balance. Subtract line 1b from line 1a.			
	2	Cost of goods sold (attach Form 1125-A).			
	3	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c.			45,840,305.
	4	Ordinary income (loss) from other partnerships, estates, and trusts (attach statement) STMT. 1			-17,273,319.
	5	Net farm profit (loss) (attach Schedule F (Form 1040)).			
	6	Net gain (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797).			
Deductions (see instructions for limitations)	7	Other income (loss) (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.			1,286,935.
	8	Total income (loss). Combine lines 3 through 7.			29,853,921.
	9	Salaries and wages (other than to partners) (less employment credits).			33,449,969.
	10	Guaranteed payments to partners.			
	11	Repairs and maintenance.			26,410.
	12	Bad debts.			6,583,982.
	13	Rent.			1,615,192.
	14	Taxes and licenses.			1,918,825.
	15	Interest (see instructions) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.			1,674,962.
	16a	Depreciation (if required, attach Form 4562).	539,809.	16c	539,809.
	b	Less depreciation reported on Form 1125-A and elsewhere on return			
	17	Depletion (Do not deduct oil and gas depletion.)			
Tax and Payment	18	Retirement plans, etc.			
	19	Employee benefit programs.			1,890,053.
	20	Other deductions (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.			23,266,179.
	21	Total deductions. Add the amounts shown in the far right column for lines 9 through 20.			70,965,381.
	22	Ordinary business income (loss). Subtract line 21 from line 8.			-41,111,460.
Sign Here	23	Interest due under the look-back method - completed long-term contracts (attach Form 8697).			
	24	Interest due under the look-back method - income forecast method (attach Form 8866).			
	25	BBA AAR imputed underpayment (see instructions).			
	26	Other taxes (see instructions).			
	27	Total balance due. Add lines 23 through 27.			
	28	Payment (see instructions).			
	29	Amount owed. If line 28 is smaller than line 27, enter amount owed.			
	30	Overpayment. If line 28 is larger than line 27, enter overpayment.			
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than partner or limited liability company member) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.		Signature of partner or limited liability company member 			
Date		9-15-19			
May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions.		☒ Yes ☐ No			
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
	TODD CRAWFORD		09/12/2019		P00848788
	Firm's name ▶	DELOITTE TAX LLP	Firm's EIN ▶	86-1065772	
	Firm's address ▶	1111 BAGBY STREET, SUITE 4500 HOUSTON, TX 77002-2591	Phone no.	713-982-2000	

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Form **1065**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

OMB No. 1545-0123

2018

For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning _____, 2018, ending _____, 20____.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form1065 for instructions and the latest information.

A Principal business activity B Principal product or service C Business code number	Type or Print	Name of partnership HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP	D Employer identification number 75-2716725	
		Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700		E Date business started 07/07/1997
		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code DALLAS, TX 75201		
523900			F Total assets (see instructions) \$ 1,043,466,149.	

G Check applicable boxes: (1) ☐ Initial return (2) ☐ Final return (3) ☐ Name change (4) ☐ Address change (5) ☐ Amended return

H Check accounting method: (1) ☐ Cash (2) ☒ Accrual (3) ☐ Other (specify) ▶ _____

I Number of Schedules K-1. Attach one for each person who was a partner at any time during the tax year. ▶ 6

J Check if Schedules C and M-3 are attached. ▶ ☒

Caution: Include **only** trade or business income and expenses on lines 1a through 22 below. See instructions for more information.

Income	1a Gross receipts or sales.	1a	45,840,305.	
	b Returns and allowances.	1b		
	c Balance. Subtract line 1b from line 1a	1c		45,840,305.
	2 Cost of goods sold (attach Form 1125-A).	2		
	3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3		45,840,305.
	4 Ordinary income (loss) from other partnerships, estates, and trusts (attach statement) STMT. 1	4		-17,273,319.
	5 Net farm profit (loss) (attach Schedule F (Form 1040)).	5		
	6 Net gain (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797)	6		
Deductions (see instructions for limitations)	7 Other income (loss) (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1 . .	7		1,286,935.
	8 Total income (loss). Combine lines 3 through 7	8		29,853,921.
	9 Salaries and wages (other than to partners) (less employment credits)	9		33,449,969.
	10 Guaranteed payments to partners.	10		
	11 Repairs and maintenance	11		26,410.
	12 Bad debts.	12		6,583,982.
	13 Rent	13		1,615,192.
	14 Taxes and licenses. SEE. STATEMENT. 1 . .	14		1,918,825.
	15 Interest (see instructions) SEE. STATEMENT. 1 . .	15		1,674,962.
	16a Depreciation (if required, attach Form 4562).	16a	539,809.	
	b Less depreciation reported on Form 1125-A and elsewhere on return	16b		
	16c		539,809.	
Tax and Payment	17 Depletion (Do not deduct oil and gas depletion.)	17		
	18 Retirement plans, etc.	18		
	19 Employee benefit programs	19		1,890,053.
	20 Other deductions (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1 . .	20		23,266,179.
	21 Total deductions. Add the amounts shown in the far right column for lines 9 through 20 . .	21		70,965,381.
	22 Ordinary business income (loss). Subtract line 21 from line 8	22		-41,111,460.
	23 Interest due under the look-back method - completed long-term contracts (attach Form 8697) .	23		
	24 Interest due under the look-back method - income forecast method (attach Form 8866) . . .	24		
	25 BBA AAR imputed underpayment (see instructions)	25		
	26 Other taxes (see instructions)	26		
	27 Total balance due. Add lines 23 through 27	27		
	28 Payment (see instructions).	28		
	29 Amount owed. If line 28 is smaller than line 27, enter amount owed.	29		
	30 Overpayment. If line 28 is larger than line 27, enter overpayment	30		

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than partner or limited liability company member) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of partner or limited liability company member

Date

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions. ☒ Yes ☐ No**Paid Preparer Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name TODD CRAWFORD	Preparer's signature <i>Todd Crawford</i>	Date 09/12/2019	Check ☐ if self-employed PTIN P00848788
Firm's name ▶ DELOITTE TAX LLP	Firm's EIN ▶ 86-1065772	Phone no. 713-982-2000	
Firm's address ▶ 1111 BAGBY STREET, SUITE 4500 HOUSTON, TX 77002-2591			

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Form **1065** (2018)

Schedule K-1
(Form 1065)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions,
Credits, etc.

See back of form and separate instructions.

Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
95-4440863

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
STRAND ADVISORS, INC
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H Domestic partner Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? S - CORPORATION

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

Beginning Ending

Profit 0.250795 % 0.250795 %
Loss NONE % NONE %
Capital 0.250795 % 0.250795 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

Beginning Ending

Nonrecourse \$ 467,696 \$ 310,721
Qualified nonrecourse financing \$ NONE \$ 102,634
Recourse \$ 150,598,314 \$ 136,641,607

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account \$ 1,129,023
Capital contributed during the year \$
Current year increase (decrease) \$ (183,519)
Withdrawals & distributions \$ (12,637)
Ending capital account \$ 932,867

Tax basis GAAP Section 704(b) book
Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

Yes No

If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income,
Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss) (103,105)	15	Credits
2	Net rental real estate income (loss) 10,876		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
4	Guaranteed payments	A	VARIOUS
5	Interest income 25,256	B	213,008
6a	Ordinary dividends 10,556	C	203,560
6b	Qualified dividends 1,549	G	9,448
6c	Dividend equivalents	I	25,111
7	Royalties 2,603	J	238,918
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss) (80,700)	*	SEE STMT
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss) 68,910	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	A	7
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	D	5,475
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss) 12,132	*	SEE STMT
11	Other income (loss) A 4,351	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
I	5,119	C	9,036
12	Section 179 deduction		
13	Other deductions A 89	19	Distributions
H	20,910	A	12,637
*	SEE STMT		
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	20	Other information
		A	42,819
		B	(2,330)
		T	742
		*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.

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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
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D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
565-11-3917

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
MARK OKADA
3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75225

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H Domestic partner Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? INDIVIDUAL

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

Beginning

Ending

Profit	0.048684 %	0.048684 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.048684 %	0.048684 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

Beginning

Ending

Nonrecourse	\$ 90,788	\$ 60,316
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ NONE	\$ 19,923
Recourse	\$ 12,000,000	\$ 12,000,000

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account	\$ 219,163
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year increase (decrease)	\$ (35,622)
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (2,455)
Ending capital account	\$ 181,086

Tax basis GAAP Section 704(b) book
Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

Yes No

If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(20,015)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	2,111		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4	Guaranteed payments	B	41,349
5	Interest income	C	39,515
	4,903		
6a	Ordinary dividends	G	1,834
	2,049		
6b	Qualified dividends	I	4,875
	301		
6c	Dividend equivalents	J	46,378
7	Royalties	*	SEE STMT
	505		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
	(15,665)	A	1
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	D	1,063
	13,377		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)	C	1,754
	2,355		
11	Other income (loss)		
A	845		
I	994	19	Distributions
		A	2,455
12	Section 179 deduction		
13	Other deductions	20	Other information
A	17	A	8,312
H	4,059	B	(452)
*	SEE STMT	T	144
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
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D ☐ Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
74-6494106

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA
FAMLY TRUST, EXEMPT TRUST #1
3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75225

G ☐ General partner or LLC member-manager ☒ Limited partner or other LLC member

H ☒ Domestic partner ☐ Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here ☐

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.009777 %	0.009777 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.009777 %	0.009777 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 18,232	\$ 12,113
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ NONE	\$ 4,001
Recourse	\$ NONE	\$ NONE

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account	\$ 44,012
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year increase (decrease)	\$ (7,153)
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (494)
Ending capital account	\$ 36,365

☐ Tax basis ☐ GAAP ☐ Section 704(b) book

☒ Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss) (4,019)	15	Credits
2	Net rental real estate income (loss) 424		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4	Guaranteed payments	B	8,304
5	Interest income 985	C	7,936
6a	Ordinary dividends 412	G	368
6b	Qualified dividends 60	I	979
6c	Dividend equivalents	J	9,314
7	Royalties 101	*	SEE STMT
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss) (3,146)	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
		A	
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss) 2,686	D	213
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss) 473	C	352
11	Other income (loss) A 170		
		I 200	
12	Section 179 deduction	19	Distributions
		A	494
13	Other deductions A 3	20	Other information
		A	1,670
		H 815	(91)
		* SEE STMT	29
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
OGDEN

D ☐ Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
68-6203494

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA
FAMLY TRUST, EXEMPT TRUST #2
3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75225

G ☐ General partner or LLC member-manager ☒ Limited partner or other LLC member

H ☒ Domestic partner ☐ Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here ☐

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.004190 %	0.004190 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.004190 %	0.004190 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 7,814	\$ 5,191
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ NONE	\$ 1,715
Recourse	\$ NONE	\$ NONE

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account	\$ 18,862
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year increase (decrease)	\$ (3,065)
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (212)
Ending capital account	\$ 15,585

☐ Tax basis ☐ GAAP ☐ Section 704(b) book

☒ Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?
☐ Yes ☒ No
If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(1,723)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	182		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4	Guaranteed payments	B	3,559
5	Interest income	C	3,401
6a	Ordinary dividends	G	158
6b	Qualified dividends	I	420
6c	Dividend equivalents	J	3,992
7	Royalties	*	SEE STMT
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
	(1,348)	A	
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	D	91
	1,151		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
		C	151
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)		
	203		
11	Other income (loss)		
A	73		
I	85	19	Distributions
		A	212
12	Section 179 deduction		
		20	Other information
13	Other deductions		
A	1	A	715
H	349	B	(39)
*	SEE STMT	T	12
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
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D ☐ Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
140-42-1858

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
THE DUGABOY INVESTMENT TRUST
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

G ☐ General partner or LLC member-manager ☒ Limited partner or other LLC member

H ☒ Domestic partner ☐ Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here ☐

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.186554 %	0.186554 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.186554 %	0.186554 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 347,896	\$ 231,130
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ NONE	\$ 76,344
Recourse	\$ 35,000,000	\$ 35,000,000

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account	\$ 839,824
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year increase (decrease)	\$ (136,505)
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (9,406)
Ending capital account	\$ 693,914

☐ Tax basis ☐ GAAP ☐ Section 704(b) book

☒ Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(76,695)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	8,090		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4	Guaranteed payments	B	158,446
5	Interest income	C	151,418
	18,786		
6a	Ordinary dividends	G	7,028
	7,852		
6b	Qualified dividends	I	18,679
	1,153		
6c	Dividend equivalents	J	177,719
7	Royalties	*	SEE STMT
	1,936		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
	(60,028)	A	5
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	D	4,073
	51,259		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)	C	6,722
	9,024		
11	Other income (loss)		
A	3,236		
I	3,808	19	Distributions
		A	9,406
12	Section 179 deduction		
13	Other deductions	20	Other information
A	66	A	31,850
H	15,554	B	(1,733)
*	SEE STMT	T	552
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions,
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return
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D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's identifying number
47-5145562

F Partner's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HUNTER MOUNTAIN INVESTMENT TRUST
F/B/O BEACON MOUNTAIN, LLC
87 RAILROAD PLACE, SUITE 403
SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY 12866

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H Domestic partner Foreign partner

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

Beginning Ending

Profit 99.500000 % 99.500000 %
Loss NONE % NONE %
Capital 99.500000 % 99.500000 %

K Partner's share of liabilities:

Beginning Ending

Nonrecourse \$ 185,553,010 \$ 123,274,967
Qualified nonrecourse financing \$ NONE \$ 40,718,835
Recourse \$ NONE \$ NONE

L Partner's capital account analysis:

Beginning capital account \$ 447,926,317
Capital contributed during the year \$
Current year increase (decrease) \$ (72,807,286)
Withdrawals & distributions \$ (5,015,296)
Ending capital account \$ 370,103,735

Tax basis GAAP Section 704(b) book
Other (explain) BOOK

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

Yes No

If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income,
Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss) (40,905,903)	15	Credits
2	Net rental real estate income (loss) 4,314,785		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
4	Guaranteed payments	A	VARIOUS
5	Interest income 10,019,919	B	84,508,257
6a	Ordinary dividends 4,187,952	C	80,759,899
6b	Qualified dividends 614,699	G	3,748,358
6c	Dividend equivalents	I	9,962,559
7	Royalties 1,032,631	J	94,787,981
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss) (32,016,601)	*	SEE STMT
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss) 27,339,116	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	A	2,588
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain	D	2,172,179
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss) 4,813,197	*	SEE STMT
11	Other income (loss) A 1,726,088	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
I	2,030,832	C	3,585,104
12	Section 179 deduction		
13	Other deductions A 35,183	19	Distributions
H	8,295,974	A	5,015,296
*	SEE STMT		
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	20	Other information
		A	16,987,726
		B	(924,462)
		T	294,297
		*	SEE STMT

*See attached statement for additional information.

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EXHIBIT 6

Form 1065 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service		U.S. Return of Partnership Income For calendar year 2019, or tax year beginning _____, 2019, ending _____, 20_____. ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form1065 for instructions and the latest information.		OMB No. 1545-0123 2019	
A Principal business activity INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT		Name of partnership HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP		D Employer identification number 75-2716725	
B Principal product or service INVESTMENT SERVICES		Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700		E Date business started 07/07/1997	
C Business code number 523900		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code DALLAS, TX 75201		F Total assets (see instructions) \$ 1,015,968,222.	
G Check applicable boxes: (1) ☐ Initial return (2) ☐ Final return (3) ☐ Name change (4) ☐ Address change (5) ☐ Amended return H Check accounting method: (1) ☐ Cash (2) ☒ Accrual (3) ☐ Other (specify) ▶ _____ I Number of Schedules K-1. Attach one for each person who was a partner at any time during the tax year ▶ 6 J Check if Schedules C and M-3 are attached. ▶ ☒ K Check if Partnership: (1) ☐ Aggregated activities for section 465 at-risk purposes (2) ☐ Grouped activities for section 469 passive activity purposes Caution: Include <u>only</u> trade or business income and expenses on lines 1a through 22 below. See instructions for more information.					
Income		1a Gross receipts or sales. 1a 32,009,311.			
		b Returns and allowances. 1b			
		c Balance. Subtract line 1b from line 1a		1c 32,009,311.	
		2 Cost of goods sold (attach Form 1125-A).		2	
		3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c		3 32,009,311.	
		4 Ordinary income (loss) from other partnerships, estates, and trusts (attach statement) STMT. 1		4 -3,799,517.	
		5 Net farm profit (loss) (attach Schedule F (Form 1040 or 1040-SR))		5	
		6 Net gain (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797)		6	
		7 Other income (loss) (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.		7 -2,886,805.	
		8 Total income (loss). Combine lines 3 through 7		8 25,322,989.	
Deductions (see instructions for limitations)		9 Salaries and wages (other than to partners) (less employment credits)		9 28,941,198.	
		10 Guaranteed payments to partners.		10	
		11 Repairs and maintenance		11 18,389.	
		12 Bad debts.		12 5,139,915.	
		13 Rent		13 1,377,540.	
		14 Taxes and licenses. SEE. STATEMENT. 1.		14 1,761,610.	
		15 Interest (see instructions) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.		15 1,910,445.	
		16a Depreciation (if required, attach Form 4562). 16a 423,258.			
		b Less depreciation reported on Form 1125-A and elsewhere on return 16b		16c 423,258.	
		17 Depletion (Do not deduct oil and gas depletion.)		17	
18 Retirement plans, etc.		18			
19 Employee benefit programs		19 1,808,577.			
20 Other deductions (attach statement) SEE. STATEMENT. 1.		20 15,611,953.			
21 Total deductions. Add the amounts shown in the far right column for lines 9 through 20 . . .		21 56,992,885.			
22 Ordinary business income (loss). Subtract line 21 from line 8		22 -31,669,896.			
Tax and Payment		23 Interest due under the look-back method - completed long-term contracts (attach Form 8697) .		23	
		24 Interest due under the look-back method - income forecast method (attach Form 8866) . . .		24	
		25 BBA AAR imputed underpayment (see instructions)		25	
		26 Other taxes (see instructions)		26	
		27 Total balance due. Add lines 23 through 26		27	
		28 Payment (see instructions).		28	
		29 Amount owed. If line 28 is smaller than line 27, enter amount owed.		29	
		30 Overpayment. If line 28 is larger than line 27, enter overpayment		30	

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than partner or limited liability company member) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of partner or limited liability company member Date **9/10/20**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions. ☒ Yes ☐ No

Print/Type preparer's name TODD CRAWFORD		Preparer's signature 	Date 9/6/2020	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN P00848788
Firm's name ▶ DELOITTE TAX LLP				Firm's EIN ▶ 86-1065772	
Firm's address ▶ 1111 BAGBY STREET, SUITE 4500 HOUSTON, TX 77002-2591				Phone no. 713-982-2000	

Form 1065 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service		U.S. Return of Partnership Income For calendar year 2019, or tax year beginning _____, 2019, ending _____, 20_____. Go to www.irs.gov/Form1065 for instructions and the latest information.		OMB No. 1545-0123 2019	
A Principal business activity INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT		Name of partnership HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP		D Employer identification number 75-2716725	
B Principal product or service INVESTMENT SERVICES		Type or Print Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700		E Date business started 07/07/1997	
C Business code number 523900		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code DALLAS, TX 75201		F Total assets (see instructions) \$ 1,015,968,222.	
G Check applicable boxes: (1) ☐ Initial return (2) ☐ Final return (3) ☐ Name change (4) ☐ Address change (5) ☐ Amended return					
H Check accounting method: (1) ☐ Cash (2) ☒ Accrual (3) ☐ Other (specify) ▶ _____					
I Number of Schedules K-1. Attach one for each person who was a partner at any time during the tax year ▶ 6					
J Check if Schedules C and M-3 are attached. ▶ ☒					
K Check if Partnership: (1) ☐ Aggregated activities for section 465 at-risk purposes (2) ☐ Grouped activities for section 469 passive activity purposes					
Caution: Include only trade or business income and expenses on lines 1a through 22 below. See instructions for more information.					
Income	1a	Gross receipts or sales.	32,009,311.	1a	
	b	Returns and allowances.		1b	
	c	Balance. Subtract line 1b from line 1a.		1c	32,009,311.
	2	Cost of goods sold (attach Form 1125-A).		2	
	3	Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c.		3	32,009,311.
	4	Ordinary income (loss) from other partnerships, estates, and trusts (attach statement) STMT. 1		4	-3,799,517.
	5	Net farm profit (loss) (attach Schedule F (Form 1040 or 1040-SR)).		5	
	6	Net gain (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797).		6	
Deductions (see instructions for limitations)	7	Other income (loss) (attach statement).	SEE. STATEMENT. 1.	7	-2,886,805.
	8	Total income (loss). Combine lines 3 through 7.		8	25,322,989.
	9	Salaries and wages (other than to partners) (less employment credits).		9	28,941,198.
	10	Guaranteed payments to partners.		10	
	11	Repairs and maintenance.		11	18,389.
	12	Bad debts.		12	5,139,915.
	13	Rent.		13	1,377,540.
	14	Taxes and licenses.	SEE. STATEMENT. 1.	14	1,761,610.
	15	Interest (see instructions).	SEE. STATEMENT. 1.	15	1,910,445.
	16a	Depreciation (if required, attach Form 4562).	423,258.	16a	
	b	Less depreciation reported on Form 1125-A and elsewhere on return.		16b	
Tax and Payment	16c			16c	423,258.
	17	Depletion (Do not deduct oil and gas depletion.)		17	
	18	Retirement plans, etc.		18	
	19	Employee benefit programs.		19	1,808,577.
	20	Other deductions (attach statement).	SEE. STATEMENT. 1.	20	15,611,953.
	21	Total deductions. Add the amounts shown in the far right column for lines 9 through 20.		21	56,992,885.
	22	Ordinary business income (loss). Subtract line 21 from line 8.		22	-31,669,896.
	23	Interest due under the look-back method - completed long-term contracts (attach Form 8697).		23	
	24	Interest due under the look-back method - income forecast method (attach Form 8866).		24	
	25	BBA AAR imputed underpayment (see instructions).		25	
	26	Other taxes (see instructions).		26	
27	Total balance due. Add lines 23 through 26.		27		
28	Payment (see instructions).		28		
29	Amount owed. If line 28 is smaller than line 27, enter amount owed.		29		
30	Overpayment. If line 28 is larger than line 27, enter overpayment.		30		
Sign Here		Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than partner or limited liability company member) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
Paid Preparer Use Only		May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions. ☒ Yes ☐ No			
Print/Type preparer's name TODD CRAWFORD		Preparer's signature <i>Todd Crawford</i>		Date 9/6/2020	
Firm's name DELOITTE TAX LLP		Firm's EIN 86-1065772		Check ☐ if self-employed PTIN P00848788	
Firm's address 1111 BAGBY STREET, SUITE 4500 HOUSTON, TX 77002-2591		Phone no. 713-982-2000			

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.

See back of form and separate instructions.

Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number 75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.) 95-4440863

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions. STRAND ADVISORS, INC 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 Domestic partner Foreign partner

H2 If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's: TIN Name

I1 What type of entity is this partner? S CORPORATION

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.250795 %	0.250795 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.250795 %	0.250795 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 310,721	\$ 294,988
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ 102,634	\$ 352,799
Recourse	\$ 136,641,607	\$ 211,263,413

Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account	\$ 932,867
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year net income (loss)	\$ (46,485)
Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation)	\$ 95
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (9,351)
Ending capital account	\$ 877,126

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss? Yes No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning	\$
Ending	\$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss) (79,427)	15	Credits
2	Net rental real estate income (loss) 59,057		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	A	VARIOUS
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	B	271,740
4c	Total guaranteed payments	C	275,214
5	Interest income 24,413	G	(3,473)
6a	Ordinary dividends 6,149	I	19,783
6b	Qualified dividends 332	J	167,808
6c	Dividend equivalents	*	SEE STMT
7	Royalties 2,891	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss) (22,160)	A	(8)
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss) 53,724	D	5,336
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain 7	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss) (3,439)	C	14,285
11	Other income (loss) 38		
A	SEE STMT	19	Distributions
*	SEE STMT	A	9,351
12	Section 179 deduction		
13	Other deductions 11	20	Other information
H	14,992	A	38,729
*	SEE STMT	B	623
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	H	717
		*	SEE STMT
21	More than one activity for at-risk purposes*		
22	More than one activity for passive activity purposes*		

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number 75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.) 565-11-3917

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions. MARK OKADA 3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE DALLAS, TX 75225

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 Domestic partner Foreign partner

H2 If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's: TIN Name

I1 What type of entity is this partner? INDIVIDUAL

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.048684 %	0.048684 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.048684 %	0.048684 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 60,316	\$ 57,262
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ 19,923	\$ 68,484
Recourse	\$ 12,000,000	\$ 12,000,000

Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account	\$ 181,086
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year net income (loss)	\$ (9,024)
Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation)	\$ 16,149
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (17,945)
Ending capital account	\$ 170,265

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss? Yes No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning	\$
Ending	\$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(15,418)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	11,464		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	B	52,750
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	C	53,424
4c	Total guaranteed payments	G	(674)
5	Interest income	I	3,840
	4,739		
6a	Ordinary dividends	J	32,575
	1,194		
6b	Qualified dividends	*	SEE STMT
	64		
6c	Dividend equivalents	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
		A	(2)
7	Royalties	D	1,036
	561		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
	(4,302)		
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
	10,429		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	C	2,773
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain		
	1		
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)		
	(668)		
11	Other income (loss)	19	Distributions
A	7	A	17,945
*	SEE STMT	20	Other information
12	Section 179 deduction	A	7,518
13	Other deductions	B	121
A	2		
H	2,910	T	139
*	SEE STMT	*	SEE STMT
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)		
21	More than one activity for at-risk purposes*		
22	More than one activity for passive activity purposes*		
*See attached statement for additional information.			

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return ▶ OGDEN

D ☐ Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.)
74-6494106

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions.
THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA
FAMILY TRUST, EXEMPT TRUST #1
3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75225

G ☐ General partner or LLC member-manager ☒ Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 ☒ Domestic partner ☐ Foreign partner

H2 ☐ If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's:
TIN _____ Name _____

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here ☐

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.009777 %	0.009777 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.009777 %	0.009777 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest ☐

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 12,113	\$ 11,499
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ 4,001	\$ 13,753
Recourse	\$ NONE	\$ NONE

☒ Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account	\$ 36,365
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year net income (loss)	\$ (1,812)
Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation)	\$ 5
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (366)
Ending capital account	\$ 34,192

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?
☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning	\$
Ending	\$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss) (3,096)	15	Credits
2	Net rental real estate income (loss) 2,302		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	A	VARIOUS
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	B	10,594
4c	Total guaranteed payments	C	10,729
5	Interest income 952	G	(135)
6a	Ordinary dividends 240	I	771
6b	Qualified dividends 13	J	6,542
6c	Dividend equivalents	*	SEE STMT
7	Royalties 113	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss) (864)	A	NONE
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss) 2,094	D	208
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain NONE	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss) (134)	C	557
11	Other income (loss) 1		
A	SEE STMT	19	Distributions
12	Section 179 deduction	A	366
13	Other deductions NONE	20	Other information
H	584	B	24
*	SEE STMT	T	28
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)	*	SEE STMT

21 ☐ More than one activity for at-risk purposes*

22 ☐ More than one activity for passive activity purposes*

*See attached statement for additional information.

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.

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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.)
68-6203494

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions.
THE MARK AND PAMELA OKADA
FAMILY TRUST, EXEMPT TRUST #2
3800 WENTWOOD DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75225

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 Domestic partner Foreign partner

H2 If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's:

TIN Name

I1 What type of entity is this partner? TRUST

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

Beginning

Ending

Profit 0.004190 % 0.004190 %

Loss NONE % NONE %

Capital 0.004190 % 0.004190 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest

K Partner's share of liabilities:

Beginning

Ending

Nonrecourse \$ 5,191 \$ 4,928

Qualified nonrecourse financing \$ 1,715 \$ 5,894

Recourse \$ NONE \$ NONE

Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account \$ 15,585

Capital contributed during the year \$

Current year net income (loss) \$ (777)

Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation) \$ 3

Withdrawals & distributions \$ (157)

Ending capital account \$ 14,654

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

Yes No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning \$

Ending \$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(1,327)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	987		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	B	4,540
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	C	4,598
4c	Total guaranteed payments	G	(58)
5	Interest income	I	331
	408		
6a	Ordinary dividends	J	2,804
	103		
6b	Qualified dividends	*	SEE STMT
	6		
6c	Dividend equivalents	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
		A	NONE
7	Royalties	D	89
	48		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
	(370)		
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
	898		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	C	239
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain		
	NONE		
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)		
	(57)		
11	Other income (loss)	19	Distributions
A	1	A	157
*	SEE STMT	20	Other information
12	Section 179 deduction	A	647
13	Other deductions	B	10
A	NONE		
H	250	T	12
*	SEE STMT	*	SEE STMT
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)		
21	More than one activity for at-risk purposes*		
22	More than one activity for passive activity purposes*		
*See attached statement for additional information.			

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Partner's Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.

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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number 75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.) 140-42-1858

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions. JAMES DONDERO 300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700 DALLAS, TX 75201

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 Domestic partner Foreign partner

H2 If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's: TIN NONE Name THE DUGABOY INVESTMENT TRUST

I1 What type of entity is this partner? INDIVIDUAL

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

	Beginning	Ending
Profit	0.186554 %	0.186554 %
Loss	NONE %	NONE %
Capital	0.186554 %	0.186554 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest

K Partner's share of liabilities:

	Beginning	Ending
Nonrecourse	\$ 231,130	\$ 219,427
Qualified nonrecourse financing	\$ 76,344	\$ 262,430
Recourse	\$ 35,000,000	\$ 35,000,000

Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account	\$ 693,914
Capital contributed during the year	\$
Current year net income (loss)	\$ (34,578)
Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation)	\$ 144,900
Withdrawals & distributions	\$ (151,785)
Ending capital account	\$ 652,451

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss? Yes No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning	\$
Ending	\$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income, Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(59,081)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	43,929		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	B	202,134
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	C	204,718
4c	Total guaranteed payments	G	(2,584)
5	Interest income	I	14,716
	18,160		
6a	Ordinary dividends	J	124,824
	4,574		
6b	Qualified dividends	*	SEE STMT
	247		
6c	Dividend equivalents	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
		A	(6)
7	Royalties	D	3,969
	2,151		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
	(16,484)		
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
	39,963		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	C	10,626
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain		
	5		
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)	19	Distributions
	(2,558)	A	151,785
11	Other income (loss)		
A	28		
*	SEE STMT	20	Other information
12	Section 179 deduction	A	28,809
13	Other deductions	B	463
A	8		
H	11,152	T	534
*	SEE STMT	*	SEE STMT
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)		
21	More than one activity for at-risk purposes*		
22	More than one activity for passive activity purposes*		
*See attached statement for additional information.			
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Part I Information About the Partnership

A Partnership's employer identification number
75-2716725

B Partnership's name, address, city, state, and ZIP code
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LP
300 CRESCENT COURT, SUITE 700
DALLAS, TX 75201

C IRS Center where partnership filed return OGDEN

D Check if this is a publicly traded partnership (PTP)

Part II Information About the Partner

E Partner's SSN or TIN (Do not use TIN of a disregarded entity. See inst.)
47-5261938

F Name, address, city, state, and ZIP code for partner entered in E. See instructions.
RAND PE FUND I, LP
87 RAILROAD PLACE, SUITE 403
SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY 12866

G General partner or LLC member-manager Limited partner or other LLC member

H1 Domestic partner Foreign partner

H2 If the partner is a disregarded entity (DE), enter the partner's:

TIN 47-5145562 Name HNTR MNTN INV TRST FBO BCN MI

I1 What type of entity is this partner? PARTNERSHIP

I2 If this partner is a retirement plan (IRA/SEP/Keogh/etc.), check here

J Partner's share of profit, loss, and capital (see instructions):

Beginning

Ending

Profit 99.500000 % 99.500000 %

Loss NONE % NONE %

Capital 99.500000 % 99.500000 %

Check if decrease is due to sale or exchange of partnership interest

K Partner's share of liabilities:

Beginning

Ending

Nonrecourse \$ 123,274,967 \$ 117,033,004

Qualified nonrecourse financing \$ 40,718,835 \$ 139,968,727

Recourse \$ NONE \$ NONE

Check this box if Item K includes liability amounts from lower tier partnerships.

L Partner's Capital Account Analysis

Beginning capital account \$ 370,103,735

Capital contributed during the year \$

Current year net income (loss) \$ (18,442,312)

Other increase (decrease) (attach explanation) \$ 39,227

Withdrawals & distributions \$ (3,711,456)

Ending capital account \$ 347,989,195

M Did the partner contribute property with a built-in gain or loss?

Yes No If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions.

N Partner's Share of Net Unrecognized Section 704(c) Gain or (Loss)

Beginning \$

Ending \$

Part III Partner's Share of Current Year Income,
Deductions, Credits, and Other Items

1	Ordinary business income (loss)	15	Credits
	(31,511,547)		
2	Net rental real estate income (loss)		
	23,429,983		
3	Other net rental income (loss)	16	Foreign transactions
		A	VARIOUS
4a	Guaranteed payments for services	B	107,809,792
4b	Guaranteed payments for capital	C	109,187,851
4c	Total guaranteed payments	G	(1,378,061)
5	Interest income	I	7,848,766
	9,685,521		
6a	Ordinary dividends	J	66,575,961
	2,439,576		
6b	Qualified dividends	*	SEE STMT
	131,590		
6c	Dividend equivalents	17	Alternative minimum tax (AMT) items
		A	(3,101)
7	Royalties	D	2,116,810
	1,147,036		
8	Net short-term capital gain (loss)	*	SEE STMT
	(8,791,920)		
9a	Net long-term capital gain (loss)	18	Tax-exempt income and nondeductible expenses
	21,314,362		
9b	Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	C	5,667,593
9c	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain		
	2,880		
10	Net section 1231 gain (loss)	19	Distributions
	(1,364,433)	A	3,711,456
11	Other income (loss)		
A	14,893		
*	SEE STMT	20	Other information
12	Section 179 deduction	A	15,365,420
13	Other deductions	B	247,031
A	4,238		
H	5,947,873	T	284,597
*	SEE STMT	*	SEE STMT
14	Self-employment earnings (loss)		
21	More than one activity for at-risk purposes*		
22	More than one activity for passive activity purposes*		
*See attached statement for additional information.			

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EXHIBIT 7

Monthly Operating Report ACCRUAL BASIS-1

CASE NAME:	Highland Capital Management, LP
CASE NUMBER:	19-12239-CSS

Comparative Balance Sheet (in thousands)

	<u>10/15/2019</u>	<u>10/31/2019</u>	<u>11/30/2019</u>
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	2,529	2,286	6,343
Investments, at fair value ⁽³⁾	232,620	235,144	233,776
Equity method investees ⁽³⁾	161,819	161,813	175,381
Management and incentive fee receivable	2,579	3,202	1,223
Fixed assets, net	3,754	3,672	3,601
Due from affiliates ⁽¹⁾	151,901	152,124	152,523
Other assets	11,311	11,260	10,621
Total assets	<u><u>\$ 566,513</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 569,501</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 583,468</u></u>
Liabilities and Partners' Capital			
Pre-petition accounts payable ⁽⁴⁾	1,176	1,135	1,250
Post-petition accounts payable ⁽⁴⁾	-	102	236
Secured debt:			
Frontier	5,195	5,195	5,195
Jefferies	30,328	30,315	30,268
Accrued expenses and other liabilities ⁽⁴⁾	59,203	59,184	60,848
Accrued re-organization related fees ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	-
Claim accrual ⁽²⁾	73,997	73,997	73,997
Partners' capital	396,614	399,573	411,674
Total liabilities and partners' capital	<u><u>\$ 566,513</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 569,501</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 583,468</u></u>

⁽¹⁾ Includes various notes receivable at carrying value (fv undetermined).

⁽²⁾ Uncontested portion of claim less applicable offsets. Potential for additional liability based on future events. No interest has been accrued beyond petition date.

⁽³⁾ Mark to market gains/(losses) on investments include pricing updates for publicly traded securities and other positions with readily available market price information. Limited partnership interests normally marked to a NAV statement have not been updated as of period end as statements are generally available on a one-month lag.

⁽⁴⁾ Note on accruals: expenses recorded in Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses and Other Liabilities reflect invoices recorded through accounts payable, legal invoice accruals, and normal course operating accruals, but do not reflect estimates for other incurred, but not yet received invoices. For balance sheet dates other than the Petition Date, amounts include both pre-petition and post-petition liabilities.

⁽⁵⁾ Debtor funded various retainers totaling \$790k prior to the petition date, which were entirely expensed prior to the petition date. No additional amounts were accrued between October 16, 2019 and November 30, 2019

12145	12145	12145 MGMT FEES RECVBL - VALHALLA	12,287.85
12150	12150	12150 MGMT FEES RECVBL - SOUTHFORK	7,941.94
12160	12160	12160 MGMT FEES RECVBL - JASPER	35,443.91
12165	12165	12165 MGMT FEES RECVBL - GLENEAGLES	19,494.83
12170	12170	12170 MGMT FEES RECVBL - LIBERTY	45,288.78
12175	12175	12175 MGMT FEES RECVBL - ROCKWALL	18,213.61

		Accrued and other liabilities		
20900 20900		20900 INTERCOMPANY PAYABLE	-	
21010 21010		21010 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - INTEREST	225.00	x
21030 21030		21030 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - LEGAL	(8,761,799.69)	x
21040 21040		21040 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - AUDIT FEES	(165,967.74)	x
21080 21080		21080 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - INCOME TAX	(175,023.00)	x
21090 21090		21090 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - OTHER	(3,166.60)	x
21110 21110		21110 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HCNV HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(119,062.29)	x
21111 21111		21111 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HCMFA HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(95,045.39)	x
21113 21113		21113 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HC FUNDS DISTRIBUTOR HEALTH INS	(754,170.28)	x
21114 21114		21114 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - NEXBANK HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	544,043.98	x
21115 21115		21115 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - DRUGCRAFTERS HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	206,721.33	x
21116 21116		21116 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - MARKHAM HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	196,640.32	x
21117 21117		21117 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - NEXBANK SECURITIES HEALTH INS PR	38,116.34	x
21118 21118		21118 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HCMLP HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	68,737.06	x
21119 21119		21119 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - PCP HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(8,854.67)	x
21120 21120		21120 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - JMIJM HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(6,252.54)	x
21121 21121		21121 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - NXRT HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(9,034.91)	x
21122 21122		21122 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - NPA HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(25,017.59)	x
21123 21123		21123 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - EAGLE EQUITY HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(4,458.02)	x
21124 21124		21124 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - VINEBROOK HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(592.82)	x
21125 21125		21125 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - NHT HEALTH INS PREMIUMS	(1,185.64)	x
21200 21200		21200 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HCMLP SHARED SERVICES	(18,014.97)	x
21205 21205		21205 ACCRUED LIABILITIES - HCFD SHARED SERVICES	(36,698.75)	x
21510 21510		21510 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - BONUS	(13,688,973.83)	x
21520 21520		21520 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - FEDERAL INC TAX W/H	-	x
21550 21550		21550 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - FICA	-	x
21560 21560		21560 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - MEDICARE	(13,310.19)	x
21600 21600		21600 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - 401(K) EE CONTRIBUTION	3,262.35	x
21630 21630		21630 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - LIFE INSURANCE	(13,761.35)	x
21640 21640		21640 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUN	(354,881.89)	x
21670 21670		21670 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - EE EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT	(5,000.00)	x
21680 21680		21680 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITIES - VACATION	(939,324.00)	x
21695 21695		21695 ACCRUED PAYROLL LIABILITY - SUSPENSE	21,811.26	x
25445 25445		25445 DEFERRED MANAGEMENT FEES - MULTI STRAT CREDIT	(431,483.88)	x
25461 25461		25461 DEFERRED INCENTIVE FEES - UNEARNED RCP CARRY	(4,392,937.00)	x
25500 25500		25500 DEFERRED MANAGEMENT FEES - DAF	0.02	x
		Total accrued and other liabilities	(28,944,459.38)	
		Other current liabilities		
24150 24150		24150 CLAIMS PAYABLE	(73,997,399.28)	
		Total other current liabilities	(73,997,399.28)	
		Total current liabilities		
		Debt and notes payable		
26100 26100		26100 NOTES PAYABLE	(5,194,651.00)	
26110 26110		26110 CLASS A TERM NOTES PAYABLE	(9,541,446.00)	x
26200 26200		26200 REVOLVING CREDIT FACILITY	(11,340,751.26)	x
		Total debts and notes payable	(26,076,848.26)	
		Payable to Highland Capital Management Services, Inc.		(64,225,759)
		Deferred compensation		5,023,073
27200 27200		27200 PROFIT SHARING PLAN	(632,258.10)	x
27265 27265		27265 2017 DEFERRED SHARES	(3,411,606.44)	x
27266 27266		27266 2018 DEFERRED SHARES	(1,758,391.79)	x
27267 27267		27267 2019 DEFERRED SHARES	(497,339.23)	x

EXHIBIT 8



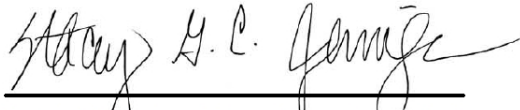
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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

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THE COURT'S DOCKET

The following constitutes the ruling of the court and has the force and effect therein described.

Signed December 27, 2024


United States Bankruptcy Judge

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION

In re:

HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,¹

Reorganized Debtor.

) Chapter 11

) Case No. 19-34054-sgj11

**STIPULATED AND AGREED ORDER RESOLVING (A) HCLOM, LTD.'S
SCHEDULED CLAIMS 3.65 AND 3.66; AND (B) HIGHLAND CAPITAL
MANAGEMENT, L.P.'S (1) OBJECTION AND (2) MOTION FOR A BAD FAITH
FINDING AND AN AWARD OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AGAINST HCLOM, LTD. AND
JAMES DONDERO IN CONNECTION THEREWITH [DOCKET NOS. 3657, 4176]**

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2019, Highland Capital Management, L.P. ("Highland"), the reorganized debtor in the above-captioned Chapter 11 case (the "Bankruptcy Case"), filed its schedule of unsecured claims that identified "Highland CLO Holdco" as a creditor with claims arising under a note. Docket No. 247 (Schedule E/F, Part 3.64 and 3.65) (the "Initial HCLOM Claim");

¹ The Reorganized Debtor's last four digits of its taxpayer identification number are (8357). The headquarters and service address for the Reorganized Debtor is 100 Crescent Court, Suite 1850, Dallas, TX 75201.



WHEREAS, on September 22, 2020, Highland filed a *Notice of Filing of Debtor's Amended Schedules* in which it, among other things, replaced Highland CLO Holdco as the creditor on the Initial HCLOM Claim with Highland CLO Management, Ltd. (“HCLOM Ltd.,” and together with Highland, the “Parties”). [Docket No. 1082] (Schedule E/F, Part 3.65 and 3.66, the “HCLOM Claim”);

WHEREAS, on February 22, 2021, this Court entered the *Order Confirming the Fifth Amended Plan of Reorganization of Highland Capital Management, L.P. (as Modified) and (ii) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 1943] (the “Confirmation Order”), which confirmed the *Fifth Amended Plan of Reorganization of Highland Capital Management, L.P. (as Modified)* [Docket No. 1808] (the “Plan”). The Plan became effective on August 11, 2021 (the “Effective Date”) [Docket No. 2700];

WHEREAS, as required under the Plan, Highland created a reserve for the HCLOM Claim (the “Reserve”);

WHEREAS, on February 2, 2023, Highland filed its objection to the HCLOM Claim [Docket No. 3657] (the “Objection”);

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2023, HCLOM Ltd. filed its response to the Objection [Docket No. 3751] (the “Response”);

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2024, Highland filed its *Motion for (A) a Bad Faith Finding and (B) an Award of Attorneys' Fees Against Highland CLO Management, Ltd. and James Dondero in Connection with HCLOM Claims 3.65 and 3.66* [Docket No. 4176] (the “Bad Faith Motion,” and collectively with the HCLOM Claim and the Objection, the “HCLOM Litigation”).

WHEREAS, an evidentiary hearing on the HCLOM Litigation was scheduled for December 18, 2024 (the “Hearing”);

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to settle and resolve the HCLOM Litigation pursuant to the terms of this Stipulated and Agreed Order (the “Agreement”);

WHEREAS, the Court finds and concludes that: (a) the Court has jurisdiction to consider the terms contained in this Stipulated and Agreed Order; (b) venue is proper under 28 U.S.C. §1409; (c) the Parties’ Stipulated and Agreed Order is binding; and (d) the relief requested in the Stipulated and Agreed Order is appropriate;

ACCORDINGLY:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The HCLOM Claim is hereby converted to a Class 10 interest² in the amount of \$10,140,633.26.

2. Upon the Effective Date, and to the maximum extent permitted by law, except for claims arising out of an failure to abide this Order, HCLOM Ltd. hereby forever, finally, fully, unconditionally, and completely releases, relieves, acquits, discharges, remises, and exonerates the Protected Parties,³ individually and collectively, from, and waives and relinquishes, any and all Claims, which HCLOM Ltd. ever had, now has, or hereafter can, shall, or may have against any of the Protected Parties by reason of, arising from, relating to, or in connection with, any fact, matter, or transaction, including any fact, matter, transaction, or occurrence in connection with, relating to, or with respect to the Bankruptcy Case, the management of the Highland Entities, or the Highland Entities’ property and including any defense, affirmative defenses, and right to setoff

² “Class 10” shall have the meaning ascribed to that term in Article III.H. ¶ 10 of the Plan.

³ “Protected Parties” shall have the meaning ascribed to that term in Article I.B ¶ 105 of the Plan.

arising out of, or otherwise related to, any of the foregoing (collectively, “HCLOM Ltd.’s Released Claims”).

FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, THE FOREGOING RELEASE IS INTENDED TO BE GENERAL AND INCLUDES, WITHOUT LIMITATION, A RELEASE OF ALL RELEASED CLAIMS, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, SUSPECTED OR UNSUSPECTED, ARISING OR EXISTING FROM THE BEGINNING OF TIME THROUGH AND INCLUDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE.

3. To the maximum extent permitted by law, HCLOM Ltd. waives the benefit of any statute or other principle of law or equity that limits the applicability of a release with respect to claims that the releasing party does not know or suspect to exist in his, her or its favor at the time of executing the release.

4. Without limiting the scope of the foregoing waiver, in connection with the foregoing release, HCLOM Ltd. waives the benefits of Section 1542 of the California Civil Code (to the extent, if any, that Section 1542 might apply to the foregoing release), which provides as follows:

A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY.

5. HCLOM Ltd. hereby agrees that the provisions of Section 1542 of the Civil Code of the State of California and all similar federal or state law, rights, rules or legal principles, legal or equitable, in each case solely to the extent such provisions apply, **ARE HEREBY KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WAIVED AND RELINQUISHED BY HCLOM LTD.** to the full extent that such rights and benefits pertaining to the matters released herein may

be waived, and HCLOM Ltd., on its own behalf and on behalf of the HCLOM Ltd. Releasors, hereby agrees and acknowledges that this waiver and relinquishment is an essential term of this Agreement, without which the consideration provided would not have been given.

6. Except for the limited purpose of enforcing this Order, HCLOM, Ltd. shall file no pleading, motion, adversary proceeding, or other paper in this Bankruptcy Case (or in connection with any appeal arising from any order entered by the Bankruptcy Court), including but not limited to, in connection with the HCLOM Claim as a holder of a Class 10 interest.

7. The Protected Parties, individually and collectively, shall owe no duty to HCLOM, Ltd. (whether contractual, fiduciary, equitable, statutory or otherwise) except as arising out of this Order.

8. Highland is authorized to release the Reserve, and no reserve shall be established for HCLOM, Ltd.'s Class 10 interest.

9. This Stipulated and Agreed Order does not and shall not operate to give HCLOM Ltd. standing for any purpose in connection with the Bankruptcy Case (or in connection with any appeal arising from any order entered by the Bankruptcy Court), except in connection with the enforcement of this Order.

10. The Bad Faith Motion is deemed withdrawn with prejudice.

THE PARTIES UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES, AND NO RIGHTS ARE CREATED IN FAVOR OF EITHER PARTY OTHER THAN AS SPECIFIED OR EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT. THERE ARE NO REPRESENTATIONS, CONDITIONS, WARRANTIES, STATEMENTS, OR UNDERSTANDINGS, EITHER ORAL OR WRITTEN, BETWEEN THE PARTIES OTHER THAN THOSE EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT.

END OF ORDER

STIPULATED AND AGREED THIS 23RD DAY OF DECEMBER 2024

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EXHIBIT 9

INTERCREDITOR AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

This Intercreditor and Participation Agreement (the “Agreement”) is entered into as of January 10, 2025 (the “Effective Date”) by and between Highland CLO Management, Ltd. (together with its successors and assigns in such capacities, “HCLOM Ltd.”) and Hunter Mountain Investment Trust (together with its successors and assigns in such capacities, “HMIT”). HCLOM Ltd. and HMIT are each referred to herein individually as a “Party” and jointly as the “Parties.”

RECITALS

WHEREAS, on September 22, 2020, Highland Capital Management, L.P. filed a Notice of Filing of Debtor’s Amended Schedules in its pending Chapter 11 Case No. 19-34054-sgj11 (the “Bankruptcy Case”) in which it, among other things, scheduled a creditor’s claim by HCLOM Ltd. (the “HCLOM Claim”); and

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2024, the Bankruptcy Court entered a Stipulated and Agreed Order Resolving (A) HCLOM, Ltd.’s Scheduled Claims 3.65 and 3.66; and (B) Highland Capital Management, L.P.’s (1) Objection and (2) Motion for a Bad Faith Finding and an Award of Attorneys’ Fees Against HCLOM, Ltd. and James Dondero in Connection Therewith [Docket Nos. 3657, 4176] in the Bankruptcy Case (the “Stipulation and Agreed Order”); and

WHEREAS, the Stipulation and Agreed Order converted the HCLOM Claim to a Class 10 interest/claim (as such is defined in Article III.H. ¶ 10 of the Fifth Amended Plan of Reorganization of Highland Capital Management, L.P. (as Modified) in the Bankruptcy Case) (the “Plan”) in the amount of \$10,140,633.26; and

WHEREAS, the Parties have agreed to certain rights and priorities solely as between themselves regarding HCLOM Ltd.’s participation in the payment of Class 10 interests/claims;

THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the promises, covenants, conditions, stipulations, benefits, and obligations described and provided herein, the sufficiency and adequacy of which is expressly hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

1. **HMIT Payment Obligation to HCLOM Ltd.** Upon HMIT’s receipt of distributions on account of its Class 10 interest/claim (the “Distributions”), HMIT will pay to HCLOM Ltd. an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the funds received by HMIT within two (2) business days after receipt of indefeasible funds by HMIT (the “HMIT Payment Obligation”). HMIT shall be entitled to deduct from the Distributions the fees and expenses billed by Kelly Hart Hallman, LLP which directly relate to the Stipulation and Agreed Order or this Agreement (the “HMIT Expenses”) until all HMIT Expenses are paid in full.

2. **No Additional Duties to HCLOM Ltd.** HMIT shall retain and have the sole discretion to act with respect to its Class 10 interest/claim, and shall owe no additional duties to HCLOM Ltd. or any other person or entity, including without limitation, with respect to (i) the amount of Distributions or recovery by HMIT on account of its Class 10 interests/claims,

(ii) the amount of Distributions that could be received by any holder of Class 10 interests/claims, (iii) the rights of any holder of Class 10 interests/claims, or (iv) any pleading or document that could or should be filed in any way related to the Bankruptcy Case, the Plan, or the HMIT Class 10 interests/claims.

3. **No Liens or Encumbrances.** HMIT will not take any action that could reasonably be expected to encumber HMIT's Class 10 interests/claims, limit or affect HMIT's right or ability to fulfil and perform the HMIT Payment Obligation, or limit or affect HCLOM Ltd.'s right to receive the Distributions.

4. **This Agreement Supersedes the Effects of the Stipulated and Agreed Order Among the Parties.** HCLOM acknowledges and agrees that, notwithstanding the Stipulated and Agreed Order, the terms of this Agreement amends and supersedes the effect of the Stipulation and Agreed Order as between the Parties and HCLOM's rights to payment under the Plan are limited solely to the HMIT Payment Obligation.

5. **Non-Interference; No Cause of Action.** Notwithstanding Paragraph 3, HCLOM will not have any rights to object to or otherwise interfere with the rights of HMIT as a holder of Class 10 interest to reach a settlement with Highland Capital Management, LP ("Highland"). HCLOM acknowledges that it shall have no right to notice or approval of such a settlement nor will it have any cause of action against HMIT arising out of any such settlement.

6. **Remittance Agreement.** The Parties acknowledge that contemporaneously herewith NREA SB II Holdings, LLC (together with its successors and assigns in such capacities, "NexPoint Small Bay."), Charitable DAF Holdings Corp. (together with its successors and assigns in such capacities, "Charitable DAF"), and Liberty CLO Holdco, Ltd. (together with its successors and assigns in such capacities, "Liberty CLO") have entered into that certain Remittance Agreement effective January 10, 2025 (the "Remittance Agreement"). HCLOM agrees that if NexPoint Small Bay fails to make the DAF Bridge Equity Payment (as defined in the Remittance Agreement) pursuant to the terms of the Remittance Agreement, HMIT will have no obligations to make the HMIT Payment Obligation, and HMIT shall not receive any distribution from HMIT or any other party related to any Class 10 interest/claim. Notwithstanding any failure of NexPoint Small Bay to adhere to the terms of the Remittance Agreement, HCLOM acknowledges that by executing this Agreement, it shall have no other recourse or rights to payment under the Plan other than the terms of this Agreement.

7. **Choice of Law; Jurisdiction; Venue.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, without regard to conflict of law provisions. Each Party to hereby consents and agrees that the courts located in Texas shall have sole and exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine any claims or disputes between the parties pertaining to this Agreement or to any matter arising out of or relating to this Agreement. Each Party expressly submits and consents in advance to such jurisdiction in any action or suit commenced in any such court, and each Party hereby waives any objection that it may have based upon lack of personal jurisdiction, improper venue, or *forum non conveniens*.

8. **Amendments; Waivers.** No amendment, modification, or waiver of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be deemed to be made unless the same shall be in writing signed on behalf of each Party, and each waiver, if any, shall be a waiver only with respect to the specific instance involved and shall in no way impair the rights of the Party making such waiver or the obligations of the other Party in any other respect or at any other time.

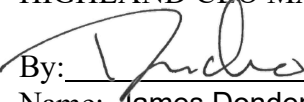
9. **Binding Effect.** Except as otherwise expressly provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of, and be binding upon, the Parties and their respective successors, assigns, executors, representatives, and administrators.

10. **Entire Agreement.** The Agreement contains the entire understanding of the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, oral or written, with respect to such matters, which the parties acknowledge have been merged into this Agreement.

11. **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Signature by facsimile or other similar electronic transmission shall have the same force and effect as an original signature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Intercreditor and Participation Agreement as of the Effective Date set forth above and in the capacities set forth below.

HIGHLAND CLO MANAGEMENT, LTD.

By: 
Name: James Dondero
Title: President

HUNTER MOUNTAIN INVESTMENT TRUST

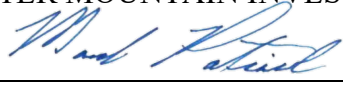
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EXHIBIT 10

From: Louis M. Phillips <Louis.Phillips@kellyhart.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 3, 2025 2:32 PM
To: Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com; John A. Morris
Cc: Jeff Pomerantz
Subject: RE: Distributions to HCLOM

Dan,

I have been advised that HMIT paid Dugaboy today on behalf of HCLOM (in accordance with wire instructions). Amount was \$164,120.82. Let me know if you have any questions.

Louis M. Phillips
Partner



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From: Louis M. Phillips
Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2025 9:33 AM
To: 'Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com' <Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com>; jmorris@pszjlaw.com
Cc: jpomerantz@pszjlaw.com
Subject: RE: Distributions to HCLOM

Dan,

Pursuant to a Consent Order entered into with the Joint Official Liquidators of Charitable DAF Holdco, Ltd. on or about July 31, 2025 (attached), CLO Holdco, LLC (on behalf of Hunter Mountain Investment Trust), must provide the JOL's 7 days' written notice of any payment or transaction of any nature in excess of \$50,000. Such notice of the payment to Dugaboy (on behalf of HCLOM) will be provided today and payment will be made to Dugaboy (on behalf of HCLOM) no sooner than September 3 in accordance with the Consent Order. Thanks

Louis M. Phillips
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Sent: Tuesday, August 26, 2025 7:45 AM
To: jmorris@pszjlaw.com
Cc: jpomerantz@pszjlaw.com; Louis M. Phillips <Louis.Phillips@kellyhart.com>
Subject: RE: Distributions to HCLOM

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GM, John:

Thank you for your patience on this. Please remit to payment to HCLOM to the following account and let me know when this has been initiated.

Best, Dan

Bank Name: Nexbank, 2515 McKinney Ave, Dallas, TX 75201
Account Holder: The Dugaboy Investment Trust, 300 Crescent Ct, Ste 700, Dallas, TX 75201
Routing: 311973208
Account: 1612811
Re: HCLOM

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From: John A. Morris <jmorris@pszjlaw.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 17, 2025 5:38 PM
To: Elms, Daniel P. (Shld-DAL-LT) <Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com>
Cc: Jeff Pomerantz <jpomerantz@pszjlaw.com>; Louis M. Phillips <louis.phillips@kellyhart.com>
Subject: RE: Distributions to HCLOM

Dan,

We're following up again.

As you know, in accordance with the Stipulated and Agreed Order filed at Docket 4199, Highland has been seeking wire instructions from your client to facilitate a distribution on account of the Highland CLO Management, Ltd. ("HCLOM") interest in Class 10. To date, we have received no instructions.

Additionally, and consistent with Article VI.L. of the Plan, in order to make the distribution, Highland requires HCLOM's current tax identification number as well as sufficient documentary evidence of HCLOM's tax reporting and withholding status, (typically an IRS form W-8 with applicable supplements).

Please provide the HCLOM wire instructions and required tax certifications.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Regards,

John

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From: Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com <Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Monday, July 7, 2025 2:54 PM
To: John A. Morris <jmorris@pszilaw.com>
Cc: Jeff Pomerantz <jpomerantz@pszilaw.com>; louis.phillips@kellyhart.com
Subject: RE: Distributions to HCLOM

Hi, John:

HCLOM has promised to provide me wiring instructions by COB today, and I will forward to you and Louis as soon as I have them.

Louis and I have a deal in place w/r/t to the HCLOM distribution. Please distribute the full amount as authorized by HCLOM's Class 10 POC, and then HMIT will get a credit in the amount of that distribution against the amount payable by HMIT.

Louis – Please speak up if I've misunderstood or (unintentionally) mischaracterized the above.

Thanks, Dan

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From: John A. Morris <jmorris@pszilaw.com>
Sent: Monday, July 7, 2025 1:46 PM
To: Elms, Daniel P. (Shld-DAL-LT) <Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com>

Cc: Jeff Pomerantz <jpomerantz@pszjlaw.com>; Louis M. Phillips <louis.phillips@kellyhart.com>

Subject: FW: Distributions to HCLOM

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Dan,

I'm following up on the emails below.

Can you please send us wire instructions for HCLOM so Highland can fulfill its obligations under the Stipulated and Agreed Order filed at Docket No. 4199?

Highland will otherwise leave it to you and Louis to discuss what additional amounts may be due HCLOM under the HMIT/HCLOM agreement, if any.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,

John

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From: John A. Morris
Sent: Saturday, July 5, 2025 10:08 AM
To: Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com
Cc: Jeff Pomerantz <jpomerantz@pszjlaw.com>
Subject: Re: Distributions to HCLOM

Dan, no worries at all.

We expect to make a distribution to HCLOM but understand there are two agreements in play (HCMLP/HCLOM and HMIT/HCLOM).

It's a \$10 million payment. Can you and Louis figure out how it gets divided and give us a joint instruction?

Please let us know.

Regards,

John

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2025, at 8:54 AM, Dan.Elms@gtlaw.com wrote:

Hi, John:

I hope you are well, and apologies for the weekend intrusion. Louis Phillips advises me that there was a recent distribution of Class 10 funds from the Highland Entities to HCLOM. Can you confirm this to be the case and, if so, advise of the amount, the date, the account to which those funds were sent, and how that distribution was calculated.

This is not intended to disrupt your holiday weekend, so please let me know whenever you can.

Thanks, Dan

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