

Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) announces the following credit rating.

<Asset Securitization Products> 2nd Trust Beneficial Interest (Mezzanine)

<Assignment>

Trust Beneficial Interest Program: J-2

Rationale

The 2nd Trust Beneficial Interest (Mezzanine) Program's underlying assets are monthly clear receivables from cardholders with a single payment in the next month of their given use of the card. There are no particular concerns about the administrative capabilities of the parties to the structure, and the risk associated with the principal redemption of the 2nd Trust Beneficial Interest (Mezzanine) is considered to have been reduced to a level consistent with the "J-2" rating through credit enhancement facilities and the mechanism of the structure. Accordingly, JCR has assigned a "J-2" rating to the Program.

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Instrument Name:

2nd Trust Beneficial Interest (Mezzanine) Program

Maximum Issuable Amount:

NA

Program Establishment Date:

January 14, 2026

Program Termination Date:

June 14, 2028 (to be extended at any time thereafter)

Issue Date:

Any day during the Program Period

Scheduled Redemption Date:

5th business day from the 27th day (next business day if the 27th day falls on a bank holiday) of the month following the month when monthly clear receivables which are underlying each series of beneficial interest are generated

Final Redemption Date:

June 14, 2028 (for beneficial interests in individual trusts established after the extension of the Program Termination Date, a date after such extension)

Coupon Type:

Fixed

Redemption Method:

Pass-through Redemption

Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility:

Senior-subordinated structure, Cash Reserve

The subordination ratio at the Program Establishment Date: a value that exceeds 6.26% plus the scheduled monthly dividend rates of the 2nd Trust Beneficial Interests (Class A and Mezzanine), but is capped at 10.00% (Subordinated Amount / Total Trust Receivables)

The subordination ratio will be reviewed and adjusted as necessary during the program period

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<Information on Outline of Issue>

Issue Amount:

TBD

Issue Date:

TBD

Scheduled Redemption Date:

TBD

Final Redemption Date:

TBD

Disclosure Requirements for Securitization Transaction Ratings with respect to Basel II have been met.

<Information on Structure and Stakeholders>

Originator: A large-scale company in the category of other financing business in Tokyo

Arranger: Rakuten Bank, Ltd.

Trustee for the 2nd (Class A), 2nd (Mezzanine) and 1st Trusts: Rakuten Trust Co., Ltd.

<Information on Underlying Assets>

Outline of Underlying Assets: The Originator's monetary claims against debtors based on the card shopping agreements, of which the payment method is a single payment in the next month of given uses of the card.

* This instrument is a beneficial interest program in which beneficial interest is issued repeatedly and continually under the same scheme, and issue amount, etc. are the same as the conditions specified when JCR assigned the program rating.

Rating Assignment Date: January 14, 2026

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Outline of the rating methodology is shown as "Installment Receivables and Card Shopping Receivables" (June 2, 2014) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/>). Rating methodologies for other ancillary points such as eligible deposit accounts and bankruptcy remoteness are also shown within the same page.

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