

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### [Assignment of a Rating (Formal)]

#### **Trustor Undisclosed**

No.160098 Series-2303 ClassB Senior Beneficial Interest: AAA

Rating and Investment Information, Inc. (R&I) has announced the following rating.

#### 1. OUTLINE OF THE STRUCTURE

The credit rating is for the Series 2303 ClassB Senior Beneficial Interest backed by shopping credit receivables (including corporate shopping credit). This transaction is based on a master trust agreement.

#### 2. CREDIT RATING

INSTRUMENT NAME	No.160098 Series-2303 ClassB Senior Beneficial Interest
RATING ACTION	Assignment of a rating
R&I RATING	Long-term Issue Rating / AAA
NOTE	The rating is an assessment of the probability that the principal of the Senior Beneficial Interest will be paid in full by the trust expiration date and the interest will be paid timely.

#### 3. ABOUT INSTRUMENT

TRUSTOR	Trustor Undisclosed	UNDERLYING	Shopping Credit
		ASSET	

INSTRUMENT NAME	AMOUNT (CURRENCY)	Sub. Ratio (*1)	Date of Issue Sched. Maturity Legal Maturity	Redemption (*2)	Coupon Type/Rate
No.160098 Series-2303	Yen 10,870,000,000	11.7%	Mar 27, 2023	PT	Fixed
ClassB Senior Beneficial	(JPY)		_		_
Interest			Apr 23, 2038		

<sup>(\*1)</sup> Sub. Ratio: Subordination Ratio

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<sup>(\*2)</sup> Redemption Method: PT: Pass-Through



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#### 4. RATING METHODOLOGY

The primary rating methodologies applied to this rating are:

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Announced in	TITLE	
November 2022	Chapter 1: General	
November 2022	Chapter 2: Particulars: Risks regarding structure	
November 2022	Chapter 3: Particulars: Risks regarding underlying assets	
	Subchapter 1: Installment receivables	
November 2022	Chapter 4: Particulars: Cash flow risk	
	Subchapter 1: Analysis method for monetary receivables, etc. (Large pool	
	approach)	
	Subchapter 6: Analysis method using cash flow test	

The above rating methodologies are available at R&I's website:

https://www.r-i.co.jp/en/rating/about/rating\_method.html https://www.r-i.co.jp/rating/about/rating\_method.html

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