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July 2004

Final Information

Cascade Funding CDO I, Ltd.

THE OFFERING:

\$402.7 million Collateralized Debt Obligation ("CDO") Notes and Preferred Shares issued by Cascade Funding I, Ltd.



COLLATERAL MANAGER:

Terwin Money Management LLC ("TMM"), a member of the Winter Group ("TWG")

	CLASS A-1 NOTES (1)(3)	CLASS A-2 NOTES (1)	CLASS B NOTES (1)	CLASS C NOTES (1)	PREFERRED SHARES (1)
Principal	\$328,000,000	\$46,000,000	\$14,000,000	\$7,000,000	\$7,700,000
Percentage	82.0%	11.5%	3.5%	1.75%	1.25%
Coupon Type	Floating	Floating	Floating	Floating	Residual
Price	3mL+0.37%		3mL+1.05%	3mL+3.15%	
Maximum Applicable Rate		L+[0.75]%			
Expected Rating	Aaa/AAA/AAA	Aaa/AAA/AAA	Aa3/ /	Baa2/ /BBB	Baa3 ⁽⁴⁾
Rating Agency	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	
Average Life ⁽²⁾	6.1 yrs.	8.0 yrs.	8.0 yrs.	7.3 yrs.	
Stated Maturity	March 2042	March 2042	March 2042	March 2042	March 2042
Denomination (1)	\$500,000 minimum	\$250,000 minimu m	\$500,000 minimum	\$500,000 minimum	\$100,000 minimum
	\$1,000 increments	\$25,000 increments	\$25,000 increments	\$25,000 increments	\$1,000 increments

Payments on the Notes and Preferred Shares will be made quarterly. Based on a 8 year auction call. The Class A-1 Notes will not be fully funded at Closing

Rated to principal only

STRUCTURE

Cascade Funding I, Ltd. Issuer: Terwin Money Management LLC Collateral Manager:

Anticipated Closing Date: July 26, 2004

Coupon Payment Dates: Quarterly, beginning on December 3, 2004

Ramp-Up Period: 4 month ramp up

Non-Call Period: 3 years (thereafter, all of the Notes and Preferred Shares may be called by a majority vote of the Preferred

Shares)

Reinvestment Period: None. Immediate Principal Amortization

Substitution Period 2 years. Manager may substitute up to 10% of the collateral per annum to improve the portfolio

If the Class C IC test is breached interest will be used to pay down the principal of the Class A1, Class A2, Class B and then the Class C Notes. If the Class C OC test is breached, interest will be used to pay down OC and IC Test Cures:

the principal of the Class C, Class B, Class A2 and then the Class A1 Notes.

"RAPID" Features: I. Principal amortization will be used to pay down the Notes on a sequential basis

> II. Until the Class C Notes are fully paid down, the dividend on the Preferred Shares payable on each payment date will be capped at an annualized dividend yield of [12]% and the excess cashflows will be

used to pay down the Class C Notes.

Mandatory Auction Call: 8 years

COVERAGE TESTS

	O/C Tests	Initial O/C	I/C Tests	Initial I/C
Class C	100.50%	101.27%	103.85%	116.5%

FEES AND EXPENSES

Senior Management Fee: 10 bps per annum

Closing Fees and Expenses (1)

(1) There will be certain up-front closing fees associated with this transaction including Merrill Lynch structuring and placement fees, legal, agency, and other fees

COLLATERAL CHARACTERISTICS

•	Weighted Average Coupon:	5.37%	•	Maximum CDOs:	30%
•	Weighted Average Spread:	0.88%	•	Maximum Weighted Average Life:	7.25 Years
•	Maximum Average Rating Score: (1)	43	•	Maximum Single Issuer Concentration:	2.00%
•	Minimum Diversity Score: (1)	18	•	Minimum Number of Obligors:	95
•	Minimum Initial Rating at Purchase:	А3	•	Maximum Obligations Rated Below Aaa:	57%
•	Maximum Single Servicer Concentration:	7.5%(4)	•	Maximum CDOs rated Single A:	3%
•	Maximum Obligations Rated Single A:	25%			

Maximum Obligations Rated Single A: Based on a WARF-Diversity Score matrix

(2)	With some exceptions (yet to be determined)						
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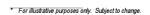
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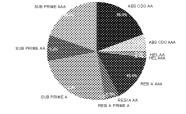
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Why Invest in Structured Finance Securities?

Structured Finance Securities (including ABS, RMBS and CMBS) and CDOs have historically exhibited lower default rates, higher recovery upon default and better rating stability than comparably rated corporate bonds. Consequently, CDOs consisting of Structured Finance Securities and CDOs have outperformed other CDO types. $^{(1)}$

- According to a recent Moody's study, the long-term historical average (1983–2003) of unchanged ratings of Structured Finance Securities and CDOs was 92.3%, which compares favorably to the 76,6% average of unchanged ratings of corporate bonds for the same
- Structured Finance Securities have historically had an average recovery rate of 58% $^{(2)}$ compared to approximately 35% for corporate bonds. $^{(9)}$
 - "Structured Finance Rating Transitions: 1983-2003", Moody's Investors Service, February 2004.
 Moody's Investor Service, "Measuring Loss Serverly Rates of Defaulted Residential Mortgage Backed Securities", Jan 2004. Moody's Investors Service, "Default & Recovery Rates of Corporate Bond Issuers", January 2004.





REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO*

- About Terwin Money Management and The Winter Group (1)

 Terwin Asset Management LLC ("TAM") is a recently formed asset management business, which focuses on credit related mortgage backed securities investments. Terwin Money Management LLC ("TMM") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of TAM dedicated to the issuance and management of structured finance CDOs.
- management or structured mance CDOs.

 TMM is comprised of individuals with extensive expertise in mortgage credit investing. Their portfolio management and credit experience includes managing mortgage credit for the largest publicly traded insurance group. TMM's objective is to insure delivery of the stated returns by purchasing high quality assets which have historically had excellent performance, and which form the core of the team's expertise.

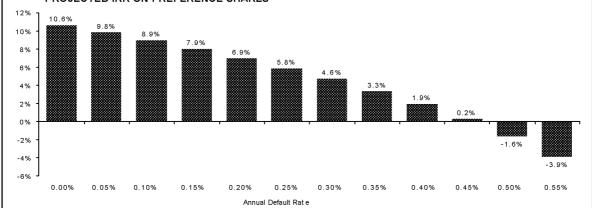
 TMM receives considerable support from its parent, The Winter Group ("TWG"), which has built an integrated capital markets residential
- - or TWG's founders represent the core of an industry leading mortgage team that held the number one underwriting position of Whole-Loan Non-Agency CMOs for five consecutive years.
 - TWG's sourcing and distribution platform is well positioned to create attractive assets for TMM
- Significant financial commitment and alignment of interests

 TMM or its affiliates expect to purchase up to 36% of the CDO Preferred Shares

 TMM closed its first mezzanine ABS CDO, "Glacier Funding CDO I" in March 2004, and is currently ramping up its second mezzanine ABS
 - Source: TMM. As of March 31, 2004

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PROJECTED IRR ON PREFERENCE SHARES



BREAKEVEN DEFAULT RATES	Based on a	Break in Yield	Based on 0% Yield	
Class Description (Moody's/S&P/Fitch)	Annual Default Rate	Cumulative Gross Defaults	Annual Default Rate	Cumulative Gross Defaults
Class A1 First Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Delayed Draw Notes (Aaa/AAA/AAA)	[8.8]%	[40.8]%	[21.3]%	[70.7]%
Class A2 Second Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Notes (Aaa/AAA /AAA)	[3.0]%	[16.5]%	[5.5]%	[28.1]%
Class B Third Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Notes (Aa3/ /)	[1.3]%	[7.6]%	[2.1]%	[11.9]%
Class C Mezzanine Secured Floating Rate Notes (Baa2/ /BBB)	[1.0]%	[5.9]%	[1.4]%	[8.1]%

THIS SUMMARY OUTLINES CERTAIN CHARACTERISTICS OF A PROPOSED COLLATERALIZED DEBT OBLIGATION TRANSACTION ("CDO"). THIS SUMMARY IS A SUMMARY OF THE "CONFIDENTIAL DISCUSSION MATERAL", AND SHOULD BE READ IN CONJUNCTION THEREWITH, INCLUDING "SECTION 3 - TRANSACTION HIGH-LIGHTS" THERETO. THIS MATERIAL IS PRESENTED SOLLEY FOR PURPOSES OF DISCUSSION, TO DETERMINE PRELIMINARY HISTERST IN INVESTION IN A TRANSACTION WITH THE GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS DESCRIBED. THIS TRANSACTION IS AT A STRUCTURING PHASE AND THERE MY BE MATERIAL CHANGES TO THE STRUCTURE AND COLLATERAL PRIOR TO THE SECURITIES BEING OFFERED SILCH SECURITIES. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IT THIS PRESENTATION OF BUSINED AS AND OUTLINES OF THE SECURITIES BEING OFFERED SILCH AS ADDICTATION OF ANY OFFER TO BUSINED. ANY OFFER TO BUSINED AS AND OUTLINES OF THE SECURITIES AND OUTLINES HIS OFFER AND OUTLINES OF THE SECURITIES AND OUTLINES HE OFFERED SILCH AS ADDICTATION OF THE METABLISH AND COLD AS ADDICTATION OF THE METABLISH AND AND ASSESS OF SUCH SILCH AS ADDICTATION OF THE REPORT AND HIS DESCRIPTION OF A SUCH IN ADDICTATION OF THE REPORT AND HIS DESCRIPTION OF A SUCH IN ADDICTATION OF THE REPORT AND HIS DESCRIPTION OF THE REPORT AND HIS D

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