### CERTAIN OTHER FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL INFORMATION DISCUSSED DURING THE FIRST QUARTER 2016 EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL ON THURSDAY, JULY 28, 2016 QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 2016 (Recurring and comparable basis)

| Reconciliation to Adjusted EBITDA                        | THREE MONTHS<br>ENDED JUNE 30 |           |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------|
|  | 2016                          | 2015      |
| Revenues   | \$749,619                     | \$815,343 |
| <b>Reported Earnings Before Income Taxes</b>             | \$15,921                      | \$37,740  |
| Add back:  |                               |           |
| Other charges  | 18,849                        | 5,113     |
| Interest Expense, net                                    | 11,629                        | 11,961    |
| Depreciation, amortization and write-down of intangibles | 20,776                        | 20,397    |
| Adjusted EBITDA  | \$67,175                      | \$75,211  |
| EBITDA Margin  | 9.0%                          | 9.2%      |

# CORE U.S.

Total revenues in the Core segment were down 10.6%, which were driven by a same-store sales decline of 6.7% and a 12.3% reduction in store count from the prior year.

# ACCEPTANCE NOW

Acceptance Now experienced a 0.5% revenue decline, as our same-store sales decline of 1.5% was offset by results from stores open less than 12 months and our Direct locations.

# **GROSS PROFIT**

- Consolidated
  - Consolidated gross profit was \$500.2 million, and gross profit margin was 66.7%, 60 basis points higher than the prior year. The increase was driven by meaningful improvements across all three major segments.
- > Core
  - Gross profit margin was 72.2%, 120 basis points better than a year ago. Gross profit margin was positively impacted by our pricing and supply chain initiatives, revenue mix, and a reduction in smart phone loss reserve.
- Acceptance Now
  - Second quarter gross margin was 52.8%, up 100 basis points from Q2 2015. The increase was driven by our focus on driving profitable sales. As

of the beginning of Q2, we had also officially lapped the rollout of our same as cash pricing option.

### EXPENSES

- Consolidated Store Labor, which includes the expenses associated with coworkers at our stores and at the district manager level, increased 70 basis points to 26.9%.
- Store Labor
  - In our Core segment store labor expense was down approximately \$10.5 million, but worsened by 150 basis points due to sales deleverage.
  - In our Acceptance Now segment, labor as a percent of sales leveraged 30 basis points.
- Other Store Expenses
  - Other store expenses, which include expenses related to occupancy, losses, advertising, delivery costs and utilities, also increased 50 basis points to 25.9% of store revenues.
  - In our Core segment, other store expenses were down \$13.7 million but also deleveraged 70 basis points from the previous year.
  - Within Acceptance Now, other store expenses increased 350 basis points versus the prior year, driven by a 240 basis point increase in skip-stolen losses to 10.1%.

# **OPERATING PROFIT/EBITDA**

- On a consolidated basis, operating margin was 6.2% in the second quarter, representing a year-over-year decline of 50 basis points.
- Consolidated EBITDA was 9.0%, down 20 basis points from a year ago.

# **BALANCE SHEET**

- > Consolidated
  - Consolidated inventory on rent was down approximately 13.4%, or \$125 million versus a year ago.
  - Consolidated inventory held for rent was down approximately \$47 million, or 17.3%
- > Core
  - Inventory on rent in the Core segment was down 19%, or \$104 million. The decrease was driven by a 11.5% reduction in store count, a \$43 million reduction in smart phone inventory, and the lower purchase costs brought about by our supply chain initiative
- Acceptance Now
  - Inventory on rent declined \$20 million, or 5.7%, an improvement of 190 basis points sequentially.

#### **DEBT/LEVERAGE**

As of the end of the second quarter, our cash and cash equivalents totaled approximately \$88 million, and our total debt has been paid down by \$231 million this year.

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