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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 22. CREDITWORTHINESS: (CONT'D)

#### A. Applicability (Cont'd)

- (c) Credit appraisals and security requirements will be reviewed by the Company annually, at a minimum.

#### B. Creditworthiness Determinants

- (1) A Marketer/Pool Operator/Aggregation Pool Operator can satisfy the Company's credit requirement by:
  - (a) it or its guarantor having a minimum rating of "BBB" from Standard & Poor's Corporate Credit Rating (S&P's), "Baa2" from Moody's Bond Ratings, as published by Financial Information Services (Moody's), or "BBB" from Long Term Ratings, as published by Fitch IBCA, Inc. (Fitch) (Minimum Rating); or
  - (b) posting security in acceptable form as defined below in Section 22.D.

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