QUODD Joins FinTech Sandbox as Data Partner, Making Real-Time Market Data Available to FinTech Startups

Boston, MA & Jersey City, NJ – October XX, 2019 – FinTech Sandbox announced today that QUODD Financial Information Services, a unit of Financeware and a leading provider of financial market data and information analysis tools for the wealth management industry, has signed on as a Data Partner.

FinTech Sandbox facilitates innovation in the financial sector by making data and infrastructure available to well-qualified FinTech startups at the point when such access is most impactful. These Sandbox startups, in return, are expected to collaborate with each other, sharing learnings and advancements that ultimately benefit the whole FinTech ecosystem. Participating startups pay no fees, and no equity is taken.

QUODD Financial Information Services provides a real-time data management solution poised to revolutionize the integration, delivery, and use of live data. The company's solution is based on a proprietary platform technology that allows an enterprise complete flexibility in content selection as well as in customized delivery through high levels of personalization—an improvement on existing rigid data solutions. Furthermore, because QUODD's platform seamlessly integrates all third-party market data within a company's own internal systems/databases, and the entire solution is centrally-managed, it eliminates the need for company resources, thus significantly decreasing the data management costs across an enterprise.

Data QUODD is making available to FinTech Sandbox residents include:

- Real-time pricing data for all North American equities, options, futures and indices. This includes equities trading on the NYSE, NASDAQ (including NASDAQ Basic), OTC Markets, and TSX.
- Real-time pricing data on options and futures trading on the CME, CBOT, NYMEX, COMEX, and ICE.
- Real-time pricing data on S&P indices, Dow Jones indices, Russell indexes, CME indexes, CBOE indexes, and BNY Mellon indexes.
- Global end-of-day content including pricing, reference data, corporate actions, and dividends on equities and funds.

Robert Ward, Chief Revenue Officer of QUODD parent company Financeware, said this about the partnership, "QUODD is very excited to be entering into a partnership with Fintech Sandbox. As a business unit of Financeware, a wealth management FinTech

platform, QUODD fully understands the needs and requirements of the FinTech community. We look forward to supporting FinTech Sandbox by utilizing our innovative technology to provide cost-effective and flexible data solutions to its startups."

Jean Donnelly, Executive Director of FinTech Sandbox, sees this announcement as further proof of the organization's commitment to partnering with the most innovative data providers: "We're extremely pleased to welcome QUODD to the Sandbox community. Access to real-time market data is a critical enabler of innovation in the asset management and wealth management industries."

Over 180 startups from around the world have been accepted as participants since the non-profit FinTech Sandbox launched in 2015. Alumni include Kensho (acquired by S&P Global), Petal, TellusLabs (acquired by Indigo), and Quantopian. Companies accepted into the program have gone on to raise, in aggregate, more than \$400 million in aggregate.

About QUODD Financial Information Services

QUODD is a Financeware company that provides streaming data solutions as well as comprehensive end-of-day pricing, reference and corporate actions solutions to the global fintech, wealth, investment management, and retirement markets. These solutions include seamlessly integrated global listed pricing, dividends, and corporate actions content. For more information, please visit http://quodd.com/ and www.twitter.com/quoddfinancial.

About FinTech Sandbox

FinTech Sandbox is a Boston-based nonprofit that globally promotes innovation in financial technology and financial services by providing FinTech entrepreneurs and startups with access to critical data and resources. FinTech Sandbox also organizes Boston FinTech Week, the world's largest free FinTech conference, each September. For more information, please visit www.FinTechSandbox.org and www.twitter.com/FinTechSandbox.

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