



## Horizon Technology Finance Corporation (HRZN) Tax Status of Dividends and Distributions for 2015

The tax character of dividends and distributions paid by Horizon Technology Finance Corporation (the “Company”) during 2015 is set forth below. For tax purposes, the Company is a regulated investment company and is designating the tax character of dividends and distributions you receive as a stockholder for calendar 2015 in accordance with Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (“IRC”).

The amounts shown in the table below represent the final accounting of the Company’s 2015 distributions. This information supersedes any estimated information you may have received during the year. Calendar year 2015 dividends and distribution were classified as follows:

<u>Record Date</u>	<u>Payment Date</u>	<u>Dividend Per Share</u>	<u>% Ordinary Dividends<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>% Long Term Capital Gain</u>
December 17, 2014	January 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
January 20, 2015	February 13, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
February 19, 2015	March 16, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
March 20, 2015	April 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
April 20, 2015	May 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
May 20, 2015	June 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
June 18, 2015	July 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
July 20, 2015	August 14, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
August 19, 2015	September 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
September 18, 2015	October 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
October 20, 2015	November 16, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
November 19, 2015	December 15, 2015	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%
December 18, 2015	January 15, 2016	\$0.115	100.0%	0.0%

<sup>(1)</sup> The Company hereby notes that no portion of its dividend represents amounts eligible for treatment as qualified dividend income in accordance with IRC Section 854(b), nor is any portion of the dividend eligible for the dividends received deduction available to certain U.S. domestic corporations.

Dividends and distributions that were reinvested through the Company’s Dividend Reinvestment Plan are treated, for tax purposes, as if they had been paid in cash. Therefore, stockholders who participate in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan should also refer to the above table.

This notice is not intended to constitute tax, legal, investment or other professional advice. Stockholders should be aware that tax treatment is subject to change by law in the future or retroactively. This is general information and should not be relied upon without consulting your tax advisor.

If you have any questions about the tax character of your dividends and distributions, please contact Computershare Shareowner Services LLC at 877-296-3711. You may also contact Horizon Technology Finance Corporation’s Investor Relations directly at 860-676-8654.