## Investment Banking Update

December 3, 2021	Stephens served as exclusive financial advisor to Direct Digital Holdings in the transaction
NOT DISCLOSED	Transaction Details
<b>Direct Digital</b> Holdings	<ul> <li>On December 3, 2021, Direct Digital Holdings, LLC (the "Company"), closed on a new Senior Secured Term Loan and Delayed Draw Facility</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Direct Digital Holdings and its operating subsidiaries provide programmatic advertising technology, data-driven campaign optimization and other solutions to underserved middle market and multi-cultural advertisers and publishers, on both the buy-side and sell-side of the digital advertising ecosystem</li> </ul>
	Net proceeds will be used to refinance existing credit facilities and redeem preferred equity shares
SENIOR SECURED TERM LOAN & DELAYED DRAW FACILITY	<ul> <li>The new debt facility will significantly reduce the Company's cost of debt and provide growth capital for potential future acquisitions</li> </ul>
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## **About Direct Digital Holdings**

Direct Digital Holdings is an end-to-end, full-service programmatic advertising platform primarily focused on providing advertising technology, data-driven campaign optimization and other solutions to underserved and less efficient markets on both the buy-side and sell-side of the digital advertising ecosystem. The Company manages over 56,000 clients, generating over 44 billion impressions per month across display, CTV, in-app, and other media channels www.directdigitalholdings.com

Sources: Company Provided and Publicly Available Information.

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