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CANADIAN BANC CORP.

Monthly Dividend Declaration for Class A & Preferred Share

Toronto, Ontario - January 18, 2024 / Globe NewsWire: Canadian Banc Corp. (The "Company") declares its monthly distribution of \$0.13138 for each Class A share and \$0.06667 for each Preferred share. Distributions are payable February 9, 2024 to shareholders on record as at January 31, 2024.

Under the distribution policy announced in November 2021, the monthly dividend payable on the Class A shares is determined by applying a 15% annualized rate on the volume weighted average market price (VWAP) of the Class A shares over the last 3 trading days of the preceding month. As a result, Class A shareholders of record on January 31, 2024 will receive a dividend of \$0.13138 per share based on the VWAP of \$10.51 payable on February 9, 2024. The yield will remain stable at 15.00% (based on the VWAP) under this distribution policy.

Preferred shareholders will receive prime plus 1.50% with a minimum rate of 5.00% and a maximum rate of 8.00%.

Since inception Class A shareholders have received a total of \$21.57 per share and Preferred shareholders have received a total of \$10.17 per share inclusive of this distribution, for a combined total of \$31.74.

The Company invests in a portfolio of six publicly traded Canadian Banks as follows: Bank of Montreal, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, National Bank of Canada, Royal Bank of Canada, Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto-Dominion Bank. Shares held within the portfolio are expected to range between 5-20% in weight but may vary at any time. To generate additional returns above the dividend income earned on the portfolio, The Company engages in a selective covered call writing program.

Distribution Details

Class A Share (BK) \$0.13138

Preferred Share (BK.PR.A) \$0.06667

Record Date: January 31, 2024

Payable Date: February 9, 2024

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