

## **Appraisal Transfer Policy**

This policy is for the transfer of an appraisal to Champions Funding LLC.

Champions Funding LLC will accept a transferred appraisal with the following requirements:

## Consumer (Ally | Activator | ITIN Activator):

- The appraisal must have been completed ay an Appraisal Management Company (AMC). Appraisal must be less than 120 days old at note date.
- Original lender to provide a signed/dated appraisal transfer letter on their letterhead stating the following:
  - Letter must transfer ownership and rights for the specific appraisal to Champions Funding LLC.
  - Letter to reference the borrower's name and subject property address.
  - Letter must include lender certification that the appraisal complies with Federal, State, and Freddie Mac Appraisal Independence Requirements (AIR).
  - $\circ$  Lender certification that the appraisal was ordered within TRID compliance\*.
- Champions Funding LLC must receive confirmation of the borrower's receipt of the appraisal at least 3 business days prior to closing.
- Provide Champions Funding LLC with a copy of the appraisal invoice.
- Provide a copy of the Adverse Action Letter (denial) from the original lender

\*Alternatively, the original lender's 1003, Loan Estimate, and Intent to Proceed may be provided to validate appraisal was ordered within TRID compliance.

## Business Purpose (Accelerator | ITIN Accelerator | Foreign National):

- The appraisal must have been completed ay an Appraisal Management Company (AMC). Appraisal must be less than 120 days old at note date.
- Provide Champions Funding LLC with a copy of the appraisal invoice.

Please note that any changes to the report that are needed cannot be requested by Champions Funding LLC and the broker will need to request all updates and provide Champions Funding LLC with the updated appraisal prior to final approval.

Please contact your underwriter or <u>scenarios@champstpo.com</u> with any questions or if you need additional information.