

For the Second Time, Rent Ready Appears on the Inc. 5000, Ranking No. 3,370 With Three-Year Revenue Growth of 100+% Percent

CHARLOTTE, NC, August 17, 2021 – *Inc.* magazine today revealed that Rent Ready, a business-tobusiness services platform transforming how the multi-family industry turns apartments, is number 3,370 on its annual Inc. 5000 list, the most prestigious ranking of the nation's fastest-growing private companies. The list represents a unique look at the most successful companies within the American economy's most dynamic segment—its independent small businesses. This accolade comes on the heels of Rent Ready's recognition as a Charlotte Inno 2021 Fire award winner and 2021 Startup to Watch.

"The 2021 Inc. 5000 list feels like one of the most important rosters of companies ever compiled," says Scott Omelianuk, editor-in-chief of Inc. "Building one of the fastest-growing companies in America in any year is a remarkable achievement. Building one in the crisis we've lived through is just plain amazing. This kind of accomplishment comes with hard work, smart pivots, great leadership, and the help of a whole lot of people."

Not only have the companies on the 2021 Inc. 5000 been very competitive within their markets, but this year's list also proved especially resilient and flexible given 2020's unprecedented challenges. Among the 5,000, the average median three-year growth rate soared to 543 percent, and median revenue reached \$11.1 million. Together, those companies added more than 610,000 jobs over the past three years.

"Resilient – that word couldn't more effectively sum up our team and it's absolutely how we landed alongside the nation's most successful companies," said Jonathan Kite, CEO, Rent Ready. "I couldn't be prouder of our accomplishments. And with our Series A funding from this spring fueling exponential growth this year as well, we are eyeing our spot on the 2022 list already!"

Complete results of the Inc. 5000, including company profiles and an interactive database that can be sorted by industry, region, and other criteria, can be found at <u>www.inc.com/inc5000</u>.

About Rent Ready:

Rent Ready is a services platform that uses technology to deliver an end-to-end make-ready service for apartment communities. Built to eliminate the frustration of typical apartment turns, Rent Ready utilizes a proprietary logistics platform to connect communities to skilled professionals. Rent Ready is transforming the apartment turn process across the nation. Additional information about Rent Ready can be found at <u>www.rentready.com</u>.

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Methodology

Companies on the 2021 Inc. 5000 are ranked according to percentage revenue growth from 2017 to 2020. To qualify, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by March 31, 2017. They must be U.S.-based, privately held, for-profit, and independent—not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies—as of December 31, 2020. (Since then, some on the list may have gone public or been acquired.) The minimum revenue required for 2017 is \$100,000; the minimum for 2020 is \$2 million. As always, Inc. reserves the right to decline applicants for subjective reasons. Growth rates used to determine company rankings were calculated to three decimal places. There was one tie on this year's Inc. 5000. Companies on the Inc. 500 are featured in *Inc.*'s September issue. They represent the top tier of the Inc. 5000, which can be found at http://www.inc.com/inc5000.

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