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Program Description – Loans to Qualified Foreign National Borrowers

Valere Voltage is offering loans to foreign national borrowers utilizing either liquid assets or rental income on subject second homes investment properties for qualification. Loans in this program are required to either meet or be exempt from the ATR rule as defined in section 1026.43 as they are business purpose loans. This program is designed for borrowers who are sound credit risks based on a common sense approach to underwriting.

Highlights include	Loan amounts up to \$2.5MM
the following:	 Interest only feature available with no reduction to LTV
	No US credit score or history required
	 5/6, 7/6, 10/6 ARM, 15 Year Fixed and 30 Year Fixed
	Multiple financed properties allowed
	Non-warrantable condos may be considered

LTV and Loan Amount Requirements

PURCHASE/RATE & TERM REFINANCE				
Foreign National				
FICO	LTV*	CLTV*		Loan Amount
	65%	65%	\$	2,500,000
68O	70%	70%	\$	2,000,000
	75%*	75%*	\$	1,000,000
66O	65%	65%	\$	2,000,000
	70%	70%	\$	1,000,000
620	55%	55%	\$	2,000,000
	60%	60%	\$	1,000,000

If no US FICO, use 680 for guideline purposes

Asset Qualifier: Purchase transactions only

*Rate/Term Refinance: Max 70 CLTV

CASH-OUT REFINANCE			
Foreign National			
FICO	LTV	CLTV	Loan Amount
680	60%	60%	\$ 2,500,000
000	65%	65%	\$ 2,000,000
66O	60%	60%	\$ 2,000,000
	65%	65%	\$ 1,000,000
620	50%	50%	\$ 2,000,000
	55%	55%	\$ 1,000,000

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Max CO Proceeds: No limit

Asset Qualifier: Purchase transactions only

Eligibility Types	
Borrowers	Eligible Foreign Nationals-see Underwriting Guidelines

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Ineligible	Irrevocable Trust
Applicants	Diplomatic immunity
	Applicants with any ownership in a business that is Federally illegal, regardless of if the
	income is not being used for qualifying
Visa Requirements	Must be able to legally enter the US, no defined length of stay required
	Eligible visa types:
	B1, B2, E, G, H, L, O, P, and TN Second Lemes and Investment Dreporties
Eligible Occupancy	Second Homes and Investment Properties
Property Types	1-4 unit attached and detached properties
	Warrantable Condos
	Non-Warrantable Condos allowed with a pricing adjustment-see Underwriting Guidelines
	for permissible NW features
	• PUDs
Ineligible Property	Mixed use properties
Types	Properties with more than 2 acres
	See Underwriting Guidelines for full list of unacceptable property types
Eligible	Purchase, including non-arm's length transactions-see Underwriting Guidelines
Transactions	
	Rate and Term Refinance
	No seasoning required
	 Payoff of first and second, where the second is seasoned >6 months and not drawn >
	\$5,000 in 12 months preceding application date unless the second was used in full to
	purchase the property
	 Buyout accompanied by an executed buyout agreement
	• If loan being paid off was closed in the 12 months preceding the application date and was a
	cash out transactions, the loan will be treated as cash out.
	Recoupment of funds expended to purchase a property acquired for cash within the 6
	months prior to application date is considered to be a Technical Refinance:
	 Recoupment of gift funds is not allowed under this guideline.
	 Cash out may not exceed Applicant's documented investment
	 See Underwriting Guidelines for additional details and limitations
	Cash-Out Refinance
	Refinances which do not fit into the rate and term guidelines are deemed to be cash out.
	A refinance of a loan which was a cash out in the preceding 12 months will be considered a
	cash out refinance
	Six months title seasoning required for cash out refinances
	Max cash out allowed: No limit
	Value to be utilized must be supported-see Underwriting Guidelines
Credit Requirer	
Trade Lines/Credit	Any Applicant who has a social security must have a US credit report obtained and payment
	history analyzed. Foreign credit and payment histories do not need to be verified.

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Credit Score	No US credit score required, but if one available it must be utilized in underwriting and pricing.
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Housing Payment History	Housing payment history no greater than 1x3Ox12 for all US mortgages/rental verifications- <u>See</u> <u>Underwriting Guidelines</u> . Foreign mortgage and rental references do not need to be verified.
Significant Credit Events	Applicants with any of the following major credit events in the US (bankruptcy, foreclosure, modification, short sale, short pay, or deed in lieu of foreclosure) in the most recent four year period measured from event completion date or discharge/dismissal date to the note date are subject to the below limitations:
	 O-2 years removed: Not Eligible 2-4 years removed: Max 70 LTV, max \$1.5MM loan size >4 years removed: Standard Guidelines Additional guidelines: Active NOD or Lis Pendens not allowed. An historic NOD or Lis Pendens is not against guidelines, however the underlying event will be evaluated against the Significant Credit
	 Event and Housing Payment History requirements guidelines. Judgment/Tax Lien: May remain open under certain circumstances-see Underwriting Guidelines Collections/Charge-Offs: may be excluded if individually less than \$2,500 or in aggregate less than \$10,000. If greater, must be paid off prior to or at closing. Medical collections are excluded from this requirement regardless of amount.
Income and As	sets
Qualification Methods (Method One Asset Qualifier)	For purchase transactions only, the Applicant must document 150% of the subject mortgage amount as post-closing liquidity. All other Asset Qualification guidelines must be met, including minimum documentation requirements and residual income requirements. Asset Qualification may not be utilized on refinance transactions.
Qualification Methods (Method Two DSCR)	Borrowers may be qualified using DSCR. The DSCR is defined as the gross rents divided by the qualifying PITIA on the subject property. The DSCR must meet or exceed 1.000. Rental management experience is not required.
	 Determination of rents Purchase: Use 100% of the lesser of current or market rents as determined by the appraiser. For rented properties, provide the leases in place. If vacant, 100% of the market rents may be utilized.
	 Refinance: Use 100% of the lesser of current or market rents as determined by the appraiser. For rented properties, Applicant must provide leases in place. If the property is leased for more than the appraiser's opinion of market rents, the lease amount may be used provided the lease will continue for at least six months after the note date and the two months of rents due prior to the application date are documented as received timely. If vacant, 100% market rents may be utilized.

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	• If short term rents exceeding the market rents are utilized to qualify, the below guidelines
	apply:
	o Rents to be average over 12 months preceding application, and
	o Gross rents may not be declining more than 10% 6 months over 6 months
Asset Accounts	Use 100% of cash and cash equivalents
	 Use 80% of face value of for marketable securities
	 Use 70% of retirement assets if borrower is under 59.5, 80% if over
	 If borrower is liquidating funds, document liquidation and end balance
	 1031 exchanges eligible for investment properties-see Underwriting Guidelines
	 Cash out proceeds may be used to meet the reserve requirement
	• Funds for closing (and reserves, unless held in an Approved Institution) must be moved to the
	US prior to closing and documented-See Underwriting Guidelines
	• Eligible cryptocurrency may be used but requires liquidation of proceeds for reserves or
	funds to close. See <u>Underwriting Guidelines</u> for allowable types of cryptocurrency and
	requirements
Gifted Funds	Gift funds are allowed for funds to close only. Gifted funds may not be used for reserves.
	The Applicant must contribute 10% of the purchase price from their own funds.
	 Gifts must be documented in compliance with FNMA requirements and be from
	immediately family members-see Underwriting Guidelines
	Gifts of equity allowed
Liabilities	
Foreign Liabilities	Foreign liabilities do not need to be counted. The only liabilities that need to be addressed as
	described in this section are US liabilities.
Alimony/Child	Alimony and child support are included part of the applicant's debt service.
Support	
Installment Debt	Unsecured loans must be included in the debt service. Installment debt with less than 10 months
	remaining may be excluded from debt service, as long as the borrower has the assets to make
	the remaining payment. Borrowers may pay down the debt to less than 10 months to exclude
	the payment, the assets used must be sourced. Loans secured by financial assets (margin loan, 401(K) loan, etc.) do not need to be included in the debt service provided the asset balance
	exceeds the loan balance.
Other Highlight	
Appraisal /	 Loan amount up to \$2MM, one appraisal required Loan amount over \$2MM, two appraisals required
Valuation	
	In instances where one appraisal is required, said appraisal must have a CU score less than or
	equal to 2.5. If the CU score exceeds 2.5 or is unavailable, a CDA with a variance less than 10% is
	required. Loan amounts above \$1.5MM and up to \$2MM may not utilize the CU score in lieu of
	obtaining a CDA. Additional appraisal due diligence may be required at the discretion of the end
	investor.
	<u>Purchase</u> : lesser of purchase price or appraised value
	<u>Refinance (all types)</u> : For all transactions where the property is owned less than six months
	as of the application date, use the lesser of purchase price plus documented improvements
	or market value. For properties owned six to twelve months as of the loan's application



Amounts	Maximum: \$2.5MM (all transaction types)
Min/Max Loan	Minimum: \$100,000
	allowances.
Penalty	federal law. See the Prepayment Penalty Supplement for information on requirements and
Prepayment	Prepayment penalties may be placed on investment properties where allowed by state and
	 Qualifying Determinations Fixed Rate: Utilize the start rate over the full term of the loan Amortizing ARM: Utilize the start rate over the full term of the loan FRM/ARM with IO Feature: Utilize the start rate amortized over a 30 year term
ARM Terms & Qualifying (Method Two DSCR)	ARM Features • Margin = 4.500% • Index = 30 Day Average of SOFR • Caps = 2/1/5 • Floor rate = Note Rate
	 Qualifying Payments Fixed Rate: Utilize the start rate over the full term of the loan Amortizing ARM: Utilize the greater of the start rate or the index plus margin, amortized over full term of the loan FRM/ARM with IO Feature: Utilize the greater of the start rate or the index plus margin, with a payment calculated based on the remaining term of the loan after the end of the IO period.
ARM Terms & Qualifying (Method One Asset Qualifier)	 ARM Features Margin = 4.250% Index = 30 Day Average of SOFR Caps = 2/1/5 Floor rate = Note Rate
(Method Two Only) Title Vesting	 Individual names as joint tenants, community property, or tenants in common Living trusts meeting FNMA's requirements Blind Trusts-<u>see Underwriting Guidelines</u> Limited Liability Corporations-see Underwriting Guidelines Partnerships/Corporations-<u>see Underwriting Guidelines</u>
Geographic Eligibility Reserves Required	 State eligibility is based on originator licensure. TX CO Refinances-IO not allowed on 5O(a)(6) transactions-see Underwriting Guidelines Puerto Rico is not eligible at this time Loan amount up to \$2.5MM: 12 months' PITIA reserves
Coordinatio	date, the current value may be utilized provided the increase in value over the period of ownership is acceptably justified and supported by the appraiser and by a CDA. Increases >25% of the purchase price plus documented improvements must be acceptably explained by the Applicant. If owned more than 12 months as of the application date, use market value.

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