

## **Exeter leader named Repossession Executive of the Year**

Asset Remarketing's Dion Gage to be honored at Used Car Week conference

IRVING, Texas – (Oct. 31, 2022) -- Exeter Finance LLC, a leading indirect auto finance company, announced that Dion Gage, Vice President of Vendor Management and Impounds, has been named the 2022 Repossession Executive of the Year. The honor was announced in Cherokee Media Group's <u>"Subprime Auto Finance News"</u> and will be formally presented during ceremonies held next month in San Diego during the publication's Used Car Week industry conference.

Gage has been with Exeter for five years. In his current role, he leads a team of more than 50 professionals and support staff and is responsible for the daily operations and strategy for the repossession vendor management and impound departments. Those duties include skip tracing, impound notification, insurance collection and repossessions.

In announcing the award, Senior Editor Nick Zulovich said the Repossession Executive of the Year program recognizes a leader who thrives in one of the most challenging parts of auto financing. "When the contractual agreement with a consumer goes sideways, it's these executives who have to step in and make the best of unfortunate situation for the finance company," Zulovich said. "The recognition of Dion Gage from Exeter Finance continues the great tradition of highlighting these crucial professionals during Used Car Week."

Over his auto finance career, Gage has worked in customer service, all stages of collections, repossession, and deficiency and debt sale. Prior to joining Exeter in 2017, he served in various operations leadership roles at Santander Consumer USA and WFS Financial. He earned an associate's degree at Tarrant County College.

<u>Used Car Week</u> combines five different conferences from remarketing to dealer-consignor relations to auto finance over four days to discuss current trends and prepare for the road ahead. This year's conference is taking place at the Manchester Grand Hyatt in San Diego from Nov. 14-17.

## **About Exeter Finance**

Exeter Finance LLC is an indirect auto finance company headquartered in Irving, Texas. Founded in 2006, the company underwrites, purchases, services, and securitizes retail installment contracts from U.S. automobile dealers. Exeter works with approximately 12,500 dealers and 535,000 customers nationwide providing indirect financing for both new and used vehicles. The company has a serviced finance portfolio of \$8.7 billion. For more information, visit <u>www.exeterfinance.com</u>.

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