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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stone James

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

New Mountain Finance Corp

[NMFC]

(Month/Day/Year)

12/07/2017

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Section 16 Officer

C/O NEW MOUNTAIN CAPITAL. L.L.C., 787 7TH AVENUE, 48TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

12/07/2017

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Execution Date, if Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

Owned

Following

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

I

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount Price (D)

87,438.31 D

Common Stock

Common

Stock

Security

(Instr. 3)

P 12.000 A

22,119,775

By Spouse

(9-02)

(Instr. 4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
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							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stone James C/O NEW MOUNTAIN CAPITAL, L.L.C. 787 7TH AVENUE, 48TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019

Section 16 Officer

Signatures

/s/ James Stone 12/08/2017

**Signature of Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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