

R&L Foods, Inc. Secures \$28,100,000 in Financing



The Transaction:

R&L Foods, Inc. ("R&L"), owned by long-time Yum! Brands franchisee Richard Breakie, has secured a \$28,100,000 senior secured term loan, including an \$11,500,000 remodel and development line of credit and a \$4,000,000 corporate revolving line of credit. The Company is a San Antonio, Texas based YUM! Brands franchisee, which currently runs and operates a total of 31 restaurants, including 10 standalone Taco Bell restaurants, five standalone KFC restaurants, and 16 Taco Bell / KFC co-branded restaurants. Auspex Capital structured the transaction and acted as the debt placement advisor to the Company.

The Advisor:

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