

August 12, 2021

Dear Shareholder of CION Investment Corporation (the "Company"):

The Company's board of directors declared distributions for three record dates during the three months ended June 30, 2021. Declared regular distributions are paid monthly. The Company determined that the distributions were derived from the following sources on a tax basis:

	I	Distribution	
Sources of Distribution (amounts in thousan	ds)	Amount	Percentage
Net investment income	\$	15,000	100.0%
Total	\$	15,000	100.0%

This notice is **not** for tax reporting purposes and is being provided for informational purposes in order to comply with the requirements of Section 19(a) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. Section 19(a) requires an investment company to accompany dividend or distribution payments with a notice if any part of that payment is from a source other than accumulated net investment income, not including profits or losses from the sale of securities or other properties. Each shareholder will receive a Form 1099-DIV following the end of the 2021 calendar year, which will reflect the actual amounts of income, capital gain and return of capital paid by the Company, if any. The final determination of the tax attributes of our distributions is made annually as of the end of the Company's fiscal year. Such amounts will be taxable in calendar year 2021 and reportable on your 2021 federal and other income tax returns.