# Applied Underwriters Has Announced The Sale Of Centauri

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# lilypad

The undersigned acted as exclusive financial advisor to Applied Underwriters, Inc.



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## Transaction Overview

- Applied Underwriters has agreed to sell Centauri to Lilypad Insurance ("Lilypad")
  - The transaction is expected to close within 45 days, subject to regulatory approval
  - Applied Underwriters will continue to serve a broad portfolio of property business
    - Through its Home National personal lines division

#### Centauri Overview

- Centauri is a Sarasota, FL-based P&C insurer that was formed in 2006
  - Underwrites business through two statutory entities, both rated 'A' by Demotech
  - Centauri Specialty Insurance Company & Centauri National Insurance Company
- Centauri is licensed in 10 states (AL, FL, HI, LA, MA, MS, NC, OK, SC and TX)

#### Lilypad Overview

- Lilypad, a subsidiary of Arbol, Inc. ("Arbol"), is a newly formed coastal risk specialty insurer
- Arbol is a global climate-risk solutions and FinTech provider
  - Offering parametric coverage based on objective data triggers

### **Insurance Advisory Partners' Role**

- Retained as exclusive financial advisor in connection with the divestiture of Centauri
- Prepared detailed marketing materials and carefully identified potential counterparties
- Leveraged unique, close industry relationships throughout the process
- Ran a competitive process and sourced several attractive proposals
- Offered objective, thoughtful advice throughout the process

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