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Digital asset insurance leader Evertas acquires crypto mining insurance pioneer **Bitsure**

The pairing makes Evertas Web3's foremost provider of crypto mining cover

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f	dedicated crypto insurance company, announced the acquisition of
y	Bitsure, the world's first insurer dedicated to coverage for crypto mining
in	operations. Launched in 2021, Bitsure bound its first mining policy in June
	of 2022, followed by a year of rapid growth. Today, Bitsure policies insure
•	about 6% of the Bitcoin mining network.
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	Crypto mining is the computer processor intensive method by which most
Ŧ	blockchains, including Bitcoin, verify transactions and issue new coins.
	Multiple factors combine to make insuring mining equipment significantly
•••	more complex than insuring network data centers or other operations with
	large concentrations of computer hardware. Consequently, property
	insurance protecting crypto mining operations has been difficult to get.
	"Bitsure is a product of smart and eager entrepreneurs who built a great

company fulfilling a critical yet mostly unmet need. As a result, Bitsure

quickly grew to the point where they needed help scaling—not just from an insurance capacity perspective but also from a team and resources perspective. These are all things Evertas has to offer," said Evertas CEO and Co-Founder J. Gdanski. "In joining forces, Evertas benefits from the addition of key personnel and their deep understanding of mining, mining

risks, and the broader Web3 ecosystem."



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Bitsure Co-Founder <u>Thomas Shewchuck</u> joins Evertas as head of underwriting. He started his career as a wholesale insurance broker in 2011 and began mining cryptocurrencies with his partners in 2019.

"Not long after launching Bitsure, we collaborated with Evertas on multiple underwriting projects, where it was readily apparent that together, there was real synergy. That realization soon led to conversations about merging our operations," Shewchuck said. "The combination of Bitsure's expertise and the unmatched insurance capacity Evertas has access to is a game changer for crypto mining operations of all sizes."

Bitsure's regulatory compliance expert and lead underwriter, <u>Sarah Leon</u>, reprises that role at Evertas.

"The Bitsure team saw the huge insurance gap afflicting a vibrant but poorly understood market and decided to build a solution. It's a very relatable story, because it describes our origin as well," said Evertas Co-Founder and President Raymond Zenkich. "Only a handful of people possess the kind of specialized insurance and crypto mining knowledge we saw in abundance at Bitsure, and we're fortunate to have them joining our team."

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About Evertas

Evertas Inc. is a Chicago-based cryptoasset insurance company focused on covering the full spectrum of crypto risks for institutional holders of cryptoassets, blockchain technology and infrastructure, including exchanges, custodians, traditional financial institutions, funds, family offices, corporations, miners, and ultra-high net worth individuals. Licensed

to operate as a Class 3A Insurer by the Bermuda Monetary Authority,

Evertas offers the only full lifecycle crypto insurance solution. a world

leading underwriting framework, bespoke policy form and claims handling.

Evertas was founded in 2017 by CEO J. Gdanski and President Raymond

<u>Zenkich</u>.



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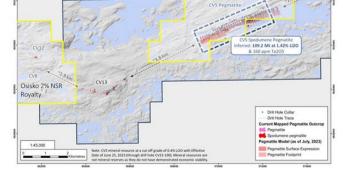


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