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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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|  | intended to satisfy the affirmative   |
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br>SPRENG R DAVID |                    | on <sup>*</sup> | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Runway Growth Finance Corp. [ RWAY ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |                                   |                   |  |  |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|
|  |                    |                 |  | 1   | Director                          | 10% Owner         |  |  |
|  |                    |                 |  | 1   | Officer (give title               | Other (specify    |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First)            | (Middle)        | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)   |   | below)                            | below)            |  |  |
| C/O RUNWAY   | <b>GROWTH FINA</b> | NCE CORP.,      | 11/20/2024   |   | President and C                   | CEO               |  |  |
| 205 N. MICHIO  | GAN AVE, SUITE     | 2 4200          |  |   |                                   |                   |  |  |
|  |                    |                 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                   |   | idual or Joint/Group Filing       | (Check Applicable |  |  |
| (Street)   |                    |                 |  | Line)   |                                   |                   |  |  |
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| (City)   | (State)            | (Zip)           |  |   |                                   |                   |  |  |

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)          | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |      |   |        |               |         | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership      |
|--|--|---|------|---|--------|---------------|---------|---|---|--|
|  |  |   | Code | v | Amount | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (Instr. 4)   |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 11/20/2024                                 |   | Р    |   | 8,803  | A             | \$10.18 | 209,510.92 <sup>(2)</sup>   | Ι   | By<br>Runway<br>Growth<br>Holdings<br>LLC <sup>(1)</sup> |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share |  |   |      |   |        |               |         | 69,531.84   | D   |  |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share |  |   |      |   |        |               |         | 31,686.32 <sup>(2)</sup>  | Ι   | By<br>401(k)<br>Plan                                     |

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

|   |   |  | (* 3 )  **  | ,                            | , |  | ,                         |  |                    |   |   | ,   |  |  |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) o<br>Dispe<br>of (D | r<br>osed<br>)<br>r. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | ate                | 7. Titl<br>Amou<br>Secur<br>Unde<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>3 and | int of<br>rities<br>rlying<br>ative<br>rity (Instr. | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)  | (D)                       | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |   |  |  |  |

#### Explanation of Responses:

These securities are held by Runway Growth Holdings LLC, which is owned by Runway Growth Capital LLC. Runway Growth Holdings LLC may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Mr. Spreng by virtue of his ownership interest in Runway Growth Capital LLC and his position of Chief Executive Officer thereof. Mr. Spreng disclaims any beneficial ownership of these securities.
The number of shares includes shares acquired pursuant to the Runway Growth Finance Corp. automatic dividend reinvestment plan ("DRIP"), exempt under Rule 16a-11.

|  | /s/ R. | David S | Spreng |  |
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11/22/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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