

NewStar Financial, Inc.  
Form ABS-15G  
July 28, 2015

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM ABS-15G**

**ASSET-BACKED SECURITIZER  
REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15G  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

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Check the appropriate box to indicate the filing obligation to which this form is intended to satisfy:

Rule 15Ga-1 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.15Ga-1) for the reporting period \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): \_\_\_\_\_

Commission File Number of securitizer: \_\_\_\_\_

Central Index Key Number of securitizer: \_\_\_\_\_

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(Name and telephone number, including area code, of the person to contact in connection with this filing)

Indicate by check mark whether the securitizer has no activity to report for the initial period pursuant to Rule 15Ga-1(c)(1):

Indicate by check mark whether the securitizer has no activity to report for the quarterly period pursuant to Rule 15Ga-1(c)(2)(i):

Indicate by check mark whether the securitizer has no activity to report for the annual period pursuant to Rule 15Ga-1(c)(2)(ii):

Rule 15Ga-2 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.15Ga-2).

Central Index Key Number of depositor: Not Applicable

**NewStar Commercial Lease Funding 2015-1 LLC**

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(Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter)

Central Index Key Number of issuing entity (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Central Index Key Number of underwriter (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**John Frishkopf / 617-848-2500**

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(Name and telephone number, including area code, of the person to contact in connection with this filing)

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**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT**

**PART I: REPRESENTATION AND WARRANTY INFORMATION**

N/A

**PART II: FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS OF THIRD-PARTY DUE DILIGENCE REPORTS**

**Item 2.01 Findings and Conclusions of a Third Party Due Diligence Report Obtained by the Issuer**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto is an agreed-upon procedures report, dated July 22, 2015, of KPMG LLP, which report sets forth the findings and conclusions, as applicable, of KPMG LLP with respect to certain agreed-upon procedures performed by KPMG LLP.

**Item 2.02 Findings and Conclusions of a Third-Party Due Diligence Report Obtained by the Underwriter**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto is an agreed-upon procedures report, dated July 22, 2015, of KPMG LLP, which report sets forth the findings and conclusions, as applicable, of KPMG LLP with respect to certain agreed-upon procedures performed by KPMG LLP.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the reporting entity has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 28, 2015

NewStar Financial, Inc.  
(Securitizer)

By: /s/ John Frishkopf  
Name: John Frishkopf  
Title: Treasurer and Managing Director

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Exhibit 99.1 Agreed-upon procedures report, dated July 22, 2015, of KPMG LLP.