# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# **FORM 10-Q**

# ☑ QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2022

OR

□ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

Commission File Number 001-36603

to

# LIBERTY TRIPADVISOR HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

12300 Liberty Boulevard, Englewood, Colorado 80112

(Address, including zip code, of Registrant's principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (720) 875-5200

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Series A common stock	LTRPA	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Series B common stock	LTRPB	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports) and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  $\infty$  No  $\square$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (\$232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes  $\infty$  No  $\square$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large Accelerated Filer 
Accelerated Filer 
Non-accelerated Filer 
Smaller Reporting Company 
Emerging Growth Company 
If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any 
new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. Yes 🗆 No 🗵

The number of outstanding shares of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. common stock as of April 30, 2022 was:

Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. common stockSeries ASeries B72,487,2033,370,368

46-3337365 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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# **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets**

# (unaudited)

	N	March 31, 2022 amounts in mil	December 31, 2021 llions
Assets			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	817	760
Accounts receivable and contract assets, net of allowance for credit losses of			
\$29 million and \$28 million, respectively		180	142
Income taxes receivable		47	48
Other current assets		32	26
Total current assets		1,076	976
Property and equipment, net		114	118
Intangible assets not subject to amortization:			
Goodwill		2,216	2,220
Trademarks		729	730
		2,945	2,950
Intangible assets subject to amortization, net		127	133
Other assets, at cost, net of accumulated amortization		192	199
Total assets	\$	4,454	4,376

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

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# **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Continued)**

# (unaudited)

	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021
Liabilities and Fauity	amounts in	1 millions
Liabilities and Equity Current liabilities:		
Deferred merchant and other payables	\$ 209	140
Deferred revenue	5 209 59	36
Current portion of debt (note 5)	41	50
Accrued liabilities and other current liabilities	208	180
Total current liabilities	517	356
Long-term debt, including \$272 million and \$268 million measured at fair value	517	550
as of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively (note 5)	1,106	1,143
Deferred income tax liabilities	143	144
Financial instrument liabilities (note 4)	79	85
Series A Preferred Stock liability (note 6)	216	212
Other liabilities	303	309
Total liabilities	2,364	2,249
Equity:		
Series A common stock, \$.01 par value. Authorized 200,000,000 shares;		
issued and outstanding 72,487,203 shares at March 31, 2022 and 72,447,462		
at December 31, 2021	1	1
Series B common stock, \$.01 par value. Authorized shares 7,500,000; issued		
and outstanding 3,370,368 shares at March 31, 2022 and 3,216,047 at		
December 31, 2021	_	_
Series C common stock, \$.01 par value. Authorized 200,000,000 shares; no		
shares issued.	_	_
Additional paid-in capital	284	288
Accumulated other comprehensive earnings (loss), net of taxes	(18)	(21)
Retained earnings (deficit)	(496)	(469)
Total stockholders' equity	(229)	(201)
Noncontrolling interests in equity of subsidiaries	2,319	2,328
Total equity	2,090	2,127
Commitments and contingencies (note 8)		
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 4,454	4,376

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

# **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations**

# (unaudited)

Total revenue, net Operating costs and expenses:	\$		2021		
			ons, except		
	\$	amounts in millions, excep per share amounts \$ 262			
Operating costs and expenses:		262	123		
Operating costs and expenses.					
Operating expense, including stock-based compensation (note 2)		76	67		
Selling, general and administrative, including stock-based compensation (note 2)		183	115		
Depreciation and amortization		25	38		
		284	220		
Operating income (loss)		(22)	(97)		
Other income (expense):					
Interest expense		(17)	(11)		
Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments, net		(12)	(65)		
Other, net		(1)	(2)		
		(30)	(78)		
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		(52)	(175)		
Income tax (expense) benefit		(1)	17		
Net earnings (loss)		(53)	(158)		
Less net earnings (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests		(26)	(68)		
Net earnings (loss) attributable to Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. shareholders	\$	(27)	(90)		
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Net earnings (loss) available to common shareholders (note 3)	\$	(27)	(460)		
	-	()	(100)		
Basic net earnings (loss) attributable to Series A and Series B Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings,					
Inc. shareholders per common share (note 3):	\$	(0.36)	(6.13)		
Diluted net earnings (loss) attributable to Series A and Series B Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings,	+	(0.20)	(0)		
Inc. shareholders per common share (note 3):	\$	(0.36)	(6.13)		

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

# Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Earnings (Loss)

# (unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31,			
	2	amounts in m	2021	
Net earnings (loss)	\$	(53)	(158)	
Other comprehensive earnings (loss), net of taxes:		· · · · ·	<u>, , ,</u>	
Foreign currency translation adjustments		(5)	(12)	
Credit risk on fair value debt instruments gains (losses)		4	4	
Other comprehensive earnings (loss)		(1)	(8)	
Comprehensive earnings (loss)		(54)	(166)	
Less comprehensive earnings (loss) attributable to the noncontrolling interests		(30)	(78)	
Comprehensive earnings (loss) attributable to Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc.	¢	(24)	(00)	
shareholders	\$	(24)	(88)	

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

# **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

# (unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31,		
		2022	2021
		amounts in m	illions
Cash flows from operating activities:	<b>^</b>	(52)	(1.50)
Net earnings (loss)	\$	(53)	(158)
Adjustments to reconcile net earnings (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities			20
Depreciation and amortization		25	38
Stock-based compensation		22	30
Realized and unrealized (gains) losses on financial instruments, net		12	65
Deferred income tax expense (benefit)		(1)	(24)
Other charges (credits), net		9	(5)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities			
Current and other assets		(39)	(3)
Payables and other liabilities		110	37
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		85	(20)
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Capital expended for property and equipment, including capitalized website development		(14)	(10)
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		(14)	(10)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Borrowings of debt		—	645
Repurchase of Series A Preferred Stock			(252)
Payment of withholding taxes on net share settlements of equity awards		(8)	(23)
Subsidiary purchase of capped calls			(35)
Other financing activities, net		(2)	(6)
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities		(10)	329
Effect of foreign currency exchange rates on cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		(4)	(2)
Net increase (decrease) in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		57	297
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at beginning of period		760	423
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at end of period	\$	817	720

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

# Condensed Consolidated Statements of Equity

# (unaudited)

	Ser	C ies A	ommon Stoo Series B	ek Series C	Additional paid-in capital	Accumulated other comprehensive earnings (loss) amounts in millions	Retained earnings (deficit)	Noncontrolling interest in equity of subsidiaries	Total equity
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$	1	_	_	288	(21)	(469)	2,328	2,127
Net earnings (loss)		_	_	_	_	_	(27)	(26)	(53)
Other comprehensive earnings (loss)		_	—	—	—	3		(4)	(1)
Stock-based compensation		_			6	_		19	25
Withholding taxes on net share settlements of stock-based									
compensation		—	—	—	(8)	—	—	_	(8)
Shares issued by subsidiary					(2)			2	
Balance at March 31, 2022	\$	1			284	(18)	(496)	2,319	2,090

					Additional	Accumulated other		Noncontrolling interest in	
		Co	mmon Stocl	k	paid-in	comprehensive	Retained	equity of	Total
	Se	ries A	Series B	Series C	capital	earnings (loss) amounts in millions	earnings (deficit)	subsidiaries	equity
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$	1	_		257	(23)	(278)	2,350	2,307
Net earnings (loss)		_	_	_	_	_	(90)	(68)	(158)
Other comprehensive earnings (loss)		_	_	_	_	2	_	(10)	(8) 34
Stock-based compensation		_	—	—	9	_	—	25	34
Withholding taxes on net share settlements of stock-based compensation		_	_	_	(23)	_	_	_	(23)
Shares issued by subsidiary		_	_		(6)	_	_	13	7
Preferred stock adjustment (note 6)		_	_	_		_	(370)		(370)
Subsidiary purchase of capped calls, net of tax (note 5) Preferred stock repurchased with		_	_	_	(6)	_	_	(20)	(26)
subsidiary shares (note 6)		_			58			34	92
Balance at March 31, 2021	\$	1			289	(21)	(738)	2,324	1,855

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements

# LIBERTY TRIPADVISOR HOLDINGS, INC. Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

# (unaudited)

## (1) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. and its controlled subsidiaries (collectively, "TripCo," "Consolidated TripCo," the "Company," "we," "us," or "our," unless the context otherwise requires). TripCo does not have any operations outside of its controlling interest in its subsidiary TripAdvisor, Inc. ("TripAdvisor").

The accompanying (a) condensed consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2021, which has been derived from audited financial statements, and (b) the interim unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") for interim financial information and the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X as promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by GAAP for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation of the results for such periods have been included. Additionally, certain prior period amounts have been reclassified for comparability with the current period presentation. The results of operations for any interim period are not necessarily indicative of results for the full year. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes for the year ended December 31, 2021 as presented in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The Company considers (i) recognition and recoverability of goodwill, intangible and long-lived assets and (ii) accounting for income taxes to be its most significant estimates. Some of the Company's estimates and assumptions required increased judgment and carry a higher degree of variability and volatility as a result of COVID-19 (as defined below). As events continue to evolve and additional information becomes available, the Company's estimates may change materially in future periods.

In December 2019, a novel strain of coronavirus ("COVID-19") was reported in Wuhan, China, and on March 11, 2020 was declared a global pandemic. Tripadvisor and the Company continue to be subject to risks and uncertainties as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The timing of widespread vaccine distributions, efficacy against any future or existing variants (e.g. Delta and Omicron) of COVID-19, whether there will be resurgences of the virus and subsequent government restrictions, the extent and effectiveness of containment actions taken, and whether consumers' demand for travel and hospitality services continue to be negatively impacted remains uncertain. Tripadvisor does not know the future path or potential rate of global or regional COVID-19 resurgences, including existing COVID-19 variants or future variants, if any, nor does it have visibility into when remaining or reinstated restrictions will be lifted, and where additional restrictions may be implemented or reinstated in the future due to resurgence of the virus. Correspondingly, Tripadvisor still does not have forward-looking visibility into the long-term impacts related to consumer demand for travel, usage patterns on its platform, and travel behavior patterns when all travel bans and other government restrictions and mandates are fully lifted.

Therefore, the continuing extent of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on Tripadvisor's business, results of operations, liquidity and financial condition remains uncertain, and is dependent on future developments that cannot be accurately predicted at this time. Tripadvisor continues to believe the travel, leisure, hospitality, and restaurant industries (collectively, the "travel industry"), and Tripadvisor's financial results, will continue to be adversely and materially affected if any new variants emerge and lingering travel bans and other government restrictions and mandates continue to remain in place or be reinstated, all of which negatively impact consumer demand, sentiment and discretionary spending patterns.

Consumers' travel expenditures have historically followed a seasonal pattern. Correspondingly, travel partners' advertising investments, and therefore Tripadvisor's revenue and operating profits, have also historically followed a

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seasonal pattern. Tripadvisor's financial performance tends to be seasonally highest in the second and third quarters of a given year, which includes the seasonal peak in consumer demand, traveler hotel and rental stays, and travel activities and experiences taken, compared to the first and fourth quarters, which represent seasonal low points. During the first half of the year, experience and rentals bookings typically exceed the amount of completed experiences and rental stays, resulting in higher cash flow related to working capital, while during the second half of the year, particularly in the third quarter, this pattern reverses and cash flows from these transactions are typically negative.

Other factors may also impact typical seasonal fluctuations, which include further significant shifts in Tripadvisor's business mix or adverse economic conditions that could result in future seasonal patterns that are different from historical trends. For example, although consumer travel demand generally remained materially lower than historic levels due to the impact of COVID-19 on Tripadvisor's business, these trends improved during 2021, resulting in increased revenues, and working capital and operating cash flow more akin to typical historical seasonality trends, which has continued during the three months ended March 31, 2022. However, it is difficult to predict the seasonality for the upcoming quarters, given the sustained uncertainty related to the continued economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and/or potential resurgences, and the pace of continued recovery in Tripadvisor's key markets.

On March 26, 2020, TripCo issued and sold 325,000 shares of TripCo's newly-created 8% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Series A Preferred Stock") for a purchase price of \$1,000 per share. On March 29, 2021 and April 6, 2021, TripCo repurchased a portion of the Series A Preferred Stock. See further discussion about the Series A Preferred Stock in note 6.

TripCo has entered into certain agreements, including the services agreement, the facilities sharing agreement and the tax sharing agreement, with Qurate Retail, Inc. and/or Liberty Media Corporation ("Liberty Media") (or certain of their subsidiaries). Pursuant to the services agreement (except as described below in respect to Gregory B. Maffei), Liberty Media provides TripCo with general and administrative services including legal, tax, accounting, treasury and investor relations support. TripCo reimburses Liberty Media for direct, out-of-pocket expenses incurred by Liberty Media in providing these services and TripCo pays a services fee to Liberty Media under the services agreement that is subject to adjustment semi-annually, as necessary.

In December 2019, TripCo entered into an amendment to the services agreement with Liberty Media in connection with Liberty Media's entry into a new employment arrangement with Gregory B. Maffei, TripCo's Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer. Under the amended services agreement, components of his compensation will either be paid directly to him by each of TripCo, Liberty Broadband Corporation, and Qurate Retail (collectively, the "Service Companies") or reimbursed to Liberty Media, in each case, based on allocations among Liberty Media and the Service Companies set forth in the amended services agreement, currently set at 5% for the Company.

Under the facilities sharing agreement, TripCo shares office space with Liberty Media and related amenities at Liberty Media's corporate headquarters in Englewood, Colorado.

The tax sharing agreement provides for the allocation and indemnification of tax liabilities and benefits between Qurate Retail and TripCo and other agreements related to tax matters.

Under these agreements, approximately \$1 million was reimbursable to Liberty Media for both of the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021.

# (2) Stock-Based Compensation

## TripCo Equity Awards

TripCo has granted to certain of its directors and employees restricted stock units ("RSUs") and stock options to purchase shares of TripCo common stock (collectively, "Awards"). TripCo measures the cost of employee services



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received in exchange for an equity classified Award based on the grant-date fair value ("GDFV") of the Award, and recognizes that cost over the period during which the employee is required to provide service (usually the vesting period of the Award). The Company measures the cost of employee services received in exchange for a liability classified Award based on the current fair value of the Award, and re-measures the fair value of the Award at each reporting date.

TripCo has calculated the GDFV for all of its equity classified Awards and any subsequent re-measurement of its liability classified Awards using the Black-Scholes-Merton model. TripCo estimates the expected term of the Awards based on historical exercise and forfeiture data. The volatility used in the calculation for Awards is based on the historical volatility of TripCo common stock. TripCo uses a zero dividend rate and the risk-free rate for Treasury Bonds with a term similar to that of the subject options.

Included in the accompanying condensed consolidated statements of operations are the following amounts of stock-based compensation, the majority of which relates to Tripadvisor as discussed below:

	Three months March 3			
	 2022 2021			
	 amounts in millions			
Operating expense	\$ 9	12		
Selling, general and administrative expense	13	18		
	\$ 22	30		

Stock-based compensation expense related to Tripadvisor was \$22 million and \$29 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

#### TripCo - Outstanding Awards

The following tables present the number and weighted average exercise price ("WAEP") of the Awards to purchase TripCo common stock granted to certain officers, employees and directors of the Company, as well as the weighted average remaining contractual life and aggregate intrinsic value of the Awards.

	Series A	 WAEP	Weighted average remaining contractual life in years	 Aggregate intrinsic value in millions
Outstanding at January 1, 2022	1,129	\$ 7.20		
Granted		\$ 		
Exercised		\$ 		
Forfeited/Cancelled		\$ 		
Outstanding at March 31, 2022	1,129	\$ 7.20	4.8	\$ 
Exercisable at March 31, 2022	512	\$ 10.47	3.9	\$ —

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	Series B in thousands	 WAEP	Weighted average remaining contractual life in years	 Aggregate intrinsic value in millions
Outstanding at January 1, 2022	2,397	\$ 21.93	·	
Granted		\$ _		
Exercised		\$ —		
Forfeited/Cancelled		\$ _		
Outstanding at March 31, 2022	2,397	\$ 21.93	3.5	\$ 7
Exercisable at March 31, 2022	2,397	\$ 21.93	3.5	\$ 7

During the three months ended March 31, 2022, TripCo granted 367 thousand performance-based RSUs of Series B TripCo common stock to our CEO in connection with his employment agreement. The RSUs had a GDFV of \$2.04 per share at the time they were granted. The RSUs cliff vest one year from the month of grant, subject to the satisfaction of certain performance objectives. Performance objectives, which are subjective, are considered in determining the timing and amount of the compensation expense recognized. When the satisfaction of the performance objectives becomes probable, the Company records compensation expense. The probability of satisfying the performance objectives is assessed at the end of each reporting period.

As of March 31, 2022, the total unrecognized compensation cost related to unvested Awards was approximately \$5.0 million. Such amount will be recognized in the Company's condensed consolidated statements of operations over a weighted average period of approximately 1.9 years.

As of March 31, 2022, TripCo reserved 3.5 million shares of Series A and Series B common stock for issuance under exercise privileges of outstanding stock Awards.

## Tripadvisor Equity Grant Awards

The following table presents the number and WAEP of the Awards to purchase Tripadvisor common stock ("TRIP common stock") granted to certain officers, employees and directors of Tripadvisor.

	TripAdvisor stock options in thousands	 WAEP	Weighted average remaining contractual life in years	 Aggregate intrinsic value in millions	_
Outstanding at January 1, 2022	5,671	\$ 47.03			
Granted	23	\$ 27.03			
Exercised	(7)	\$ 24.50			
Cancelled or expired	(327)	\$ 54.01			
Outstanding at March 31, 2022	5,360	\$ 46.55	4.8	\$ 1	
Exercisable at March 31, 2022	3,976	\$ 49.82	3.7	\$ 1	

The weighted average GDFV of options granted was \$12.26 per share for the three months ended March 31, 2022.

As of March 31, 2022, the total unrecognized compensation cost related to unvested Tripadvisor stock options was approximately \$13 million and will be recognized over a weighted average period of approximately 2.3 years. The total intrinsic value of stock options exercised was not material for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and \$8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2021.

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Additionally, during the three months ended March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor granted approximately 5 million units, vested and released approximately 1 million units, and had cancellations of approximately 436 thousand units, which included primarily service-based RSUs, as well as a limited number of market-based restricted stock units ("MSUs") under the 2018 Stock and Annual Incentive Plan. The RSUs' fair value was measured based on the quoted price of TRIP common stock at the date of grant. As the MSUs provide for vesting based upon Tripadvisor's total shareholder return, or "TSR," performance, the potential outcomes of future stock prices and TSR of Tripadvisor and the Nasdaq Composite Total Return Index, was used to calculate the GDFV of these awards. The weighted average GDFV for RSUs and MSUs granted, vested and released, and cancelled during the three months ended March 31, 2022 was \$27.24 per share, \$41.56 per share, and \$35.93 per share, respectively. As of March 31, 2022, the total unrecognized compensation cost related to Tripadvisor RSUs and MSUs was approximately \$233 million and will be recognized over a weighted average period of approximately 3.2 years.

# (3) Earnings (Loss) Per Common Share (EPS)

Basic earnings (loss) per common share ("EPS") is computed by dividing net earnings (loss) attributable to common shareholders by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding ("WASO") for the period. Diluted EPS presents the dilutive effect on a per share basis of potential common shares as if they had been converted at the beginning of the periods presented. Excluded from EPS for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, are 3 million and less than a million of potential common shares due to stock options, respectively, because their inclusion would be antidilutive. Also excluded from EPS for the three months ended March 31, 2021, because their inclusion would be antidilutive, were 13 million shares that were contingently issuable at the Company's election pursuant to an exercise of the Put Option (defined and described in note 6), as calculated in accordance with the terms of the Certificate of Designations for the Series A Preferred Stock. On March 29, 2021, pursuant to the Repurchase Agreement (described and defined in note 6), the Put Option no longer exists. The contingently issuable shares pursuant to the Put Option were calculated for the period that the Put Option was outstanding.

	Liber	<u>ty TripAdvisor Holding</u> Three months en March 31,	
		2022	2021
		number of shares in	millions
Numerator			
Net earnings (loss) attributable to Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc.			
shareholders	\$	(27)	(90)
Less: Series A Preferred Stock carrying value adjustment and transaction costs	_	—	370
Net earnings (loss) available to common shareholders	\$	(27)	(460)
Denominator			
Basic WASO		76	75
Potentially dilutive shares		1	2
Diluted WASO		77	77

# (4) Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value

For assets and liabilities required to be reported at fair value, GAAP provides a hierarchy that prioritizes inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels. Level 1 inputs are quoted market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date. Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted market prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. The Company does not have any material recurring assets or liabilities measured at fair value that would be considered Level 3.



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The Company's assets and liabilities measured at fair value are as follows:

			March 31, 2022			December 31, 202	21
Description	,	Total	Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)	Total	Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1)	Significant other observable inputs (Level 2)
				amounts in r	nillions		
Cash equivalents	\$	193	33	160	35	35	_
TripCo Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051	\$	272	—	272	268	—	268
Financial instrument liabilities	\$	88	_	88	85	_	85

On March 9, 2020, TripSPV, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, entered into a variable prepaid forward transaction (the "VPF") with a financial institution with respect to 2.4 million shares of TRIP common stock held by the Company with a forward floor price of \$17.25 per share and a forward cap price of \$26.84 per share. Pursuant to the terms of the VPF, TripSPV received a prepayment of \$34 million on March 17, 2020 (see note 5). As of March 31, 2022, \$9 million of financial instrument liabilities included in the table above are included in accrued liabilities and other current liabilities in the condensed consolidated balance sheet related to the VPF, as the VPF matures in less than one year. As a result of the Repurchase Agreement, as described in note 6, TripCo determined the Series A Preferred Stock required liability treatment and needed to be bifurcated between a debt host and derivative (the "Preferred Stock Derivative"). The Preferred Stock Derivative was recorded at fair value upon the reclassification from temporary equity. Changes in the fair values of the VPF and Preferred Stock Derivative are recognized in realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments in the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor had \$160 million of term deposits with maturities of 90 days or less in major global financial institutions. Tripadvisor generally classifies cash equivalents and marketable securities, if any, within Level 1 and Level 2 as it values these financial instruments using quoted market prices (Level 1) or alternative pricing sources (Level 2). Fair values for Level 2 investments are considered Level 2 valuations because they are obtained from independent pricing sources for identical or comparable instruments, rather than direct observations of quoted prices in active markets.

The fair value of TripCo's 0.50% Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051 (the "Debentures") is based on quoted market prices but the Debentures are not considered to be traded on "active markets." Accordingly, they are reported in the foregoing table as Level 2 fair value. The fair value of the VPF and Preferred Stock Derivative were derived from a Black-Scholes-Merton model using observable market data as the significant inputs.

## **Other Financial Instruments**

Other financial instruments not measured at fair value on a recurring basis include trade receivables, trade payables, accrued and other current liabilities, and long-term debt (excluding the Debentures). With the exception of debt, the carrying amount approximates fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments as reported on our condensed consolidated balance sheets. See note 5 for a description of the fair value of the Company's fixed rate debt.

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#### Realized and Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Financial Instruments

Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments are comprised of changes in the fair value of the following:

		Three months ended March 31,		
	2	2022 amounts in millions		
		amounts in milli		
TripCo Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051	\$	(8)	(10)	
Financial instrument liabilities		(4)	(55)	
	\$	(12)	(65)	

The Company has elected to account for the Debentures using the fair value option. Changes in the fair value of the Debentures and financial instrument liabilities recognized in the condensed consolidated statement of operations are primarily due to market factors primarily driven by changes in the fair value of the underlying shares of the financial instruments. During the three months ended March 31, 2021, the fair value adjustment recognized in the condensed consolidated statement of operations included approximately \$5 million of debt issuance costs related to the Debentures. The Company isolates the portion of the unrealized gain (loss) attributable to the change in the instrument specific credit risk and recognizes such amount in other comprehensive earnings (loss). The change in the fair value of the Debentures attributable to changes in the instrument specific credit risk was a gain of \$4 million for both of the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021. The cumulative change was a gain of \$11 million as of March 31, 2022, net of the recognition of previously unrecognized gains and losses.

#### (5) Debt

Outstanding debt at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021 is summarized as follows:

	1	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021
		amounts in millio	ons
TripCo Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051	\$	272	268
TripCo variable prepaid forward		41	41
Tripadvisor Credit Facility		_	
Tripadvisor Senior Notes due 2025		500	500
Tripadvisor Convertible Senior Notes due 2026		345	345
Deferred financing costs		(11)	(11)
Total consolidated TripCo debt		1,147	1,143
Debt classified as current		(41)	
Total long-term debt	\$	1,106	1,143

#### TripCo Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051

On March 25, 2021, TripCo issued \$300 million aggregate original principal amount of the Debentures. Pursuant to the terms of the offering, on March 31, 2021, the initial purchasers notified the Company of their intention to exercise the option to purchase \$30 million aggregate original principal amount of additional Debentures. The additional Debentures were issued on April 5, 2021. Upon an exchange of Debentures, TripCo, at its option, may deliver shares of TRIP common stock or the value thereof in cash or a combination of shares of TRIP common stock and cash. Initially, 14.3299 shares of TRIP common stock are attributable to each \$1,000 original principal amount of Debentures, representing an initial exchange price of approximately \$69.78 for each share of TRIP common stock. A total of approximately 4.7 million shares of TRIP common stock are attributable to the Debentures. Interest is payable quarterly on March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31 of each year, commencing June 30, 2021. The Debentures may be redeemed by TripCo, in whole or

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in part, on or after March 27, 2025. Holders of Debentures also have the right to require TripCo to purchase their Debentures on March 27, 2025. The redemption and purchase price will generally equal 100% of the adjusted principal amount of the Debentures plus accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date, plus any final period distribution. As of March 31, 2022, a holder of the Debentures does not have the ability to exchange and, accordingly, the Debentures are classified as long-term debt in the consolidated balance sheet.

TripCo used a portion of the net proceeds from the sale of the Debentures to fund the cash portion of the purchase price for the repurchase of a portion of the Series A Preferred Stock (see note 6 below).

#### Variable Prepaid Forward

In connection with the VPF entered into on March 9, 2020, as described in note 4, TripCo received a prepayment of \$34 million on March 17, 2020. The term of the VPF is three years. At maturity, the accreted loan amount due will be approximately \$42 million. As of March 31, 2022, 2.4 million shares of TRIP common stock, with a value of approximately \$66 million, were pledged as collateral pursuant to the VPF contract. The VPF is included in the current portion of debt line item in the condensed consolidated balance sheet as of March 31, 2022 as it matures in less than one year.

#### Tripadvisor Credit Facility

Tripadvisor is party to a credit agreement with a group of lenders, initially entered into in June 2015 (as amended, the "Credit Agreement"), which, among other things, provides for a \$500 million unsecured revolving credit facility (the "Credit Facility") with a maturity date of May 12, 2024. Tripadvisor may borrow from the Credit Facility in U.S. dollars and Euros. In addition, Tripadvisor's Credit Facility includes \$15 million of borrowing capacity available for letters of credit and \$40 million for Swing Line borrowings on same-day notice. The Credit Facility, among other things, requires Tripadvisor to maintain a maximum leverage ratio and contains certain customary affirmative covenants and events of default, including a change of control.

As of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, Tripadvisor had no outstanding borrowings under the Credit Facility and had issued \$3 million of undrawn standby letters of credit under the Credit Facility. For both the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, Tripadvisor recorded total interest expense and commitment fees on its Credit Facility of \$1 million to interest expense on the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

Tripadvisor amended its Credit Facility during 2020 to, among other things; suspend the leverage ratio covenant for quarterly testing of compliance beginning in the second quarter of 2020, replacing it with a minimum liquidity covenant through June 30, 2021 (requiring Tripadvisor to maintain \$150 million of unrestricted cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments less deferred merchant payables plus available revolver capacity), until the earlier of (a) the first day after June 30, 2021 through maturity on which borrowings and other revolving credit utilizations under the revolving commitments exceed \$200 million, and (b) the election of Tripadvisor, at which time the leverage ratio covenant will be reinstated (the "Leverage Covenant Holiday").

Tripadvisor remained in the Leverage Covenant Holiday as of March 31, 2022. Based on Tripadvisor's existing leverage ratio, any outstanding or future borrowings under the Credit Facility generally bear interest, at Tripadvisor's option, at a rate per annum equal to either (i) the Eurocurrency Borrowing rate, or the adjusted LIBO rate for the interest period in effect for such borrowing; plus an applicable margin ranging from 1.25% to 2.25% ("Eurocurrency Spread") with a London Inter-Bank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") floor of 1.00% per annum; or (ii) the Alternate Base Rate ("ABR") Borrowing, which is the greatest of (a) the Prime Rate in effect on such day, (b) the New York Fed Bank Rate in effect on such day plus 1/2 of 1.00% per annum, and (c) the Adjusted LIBO Rate (or LIBO rate multiplied by the Statutory Reserve Rate) for an interest period of one month plus 1.00%; in addition to an applicable margin ranging from 0.25% to 1.00% ("ABR Spread"). In addition, based on Tripadvisor's existing leverage ratio, it is required to pay a quarterly commitment fee, at an applicable rate ranging from 0.15% to 0.50%, which was 0.20% as of March 31, 2022, on the daily unused

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portion of the Credit Facility for each fiscal quarter during the Leverage Covenant Holiday and in connection with the issuance of letters of credit.

There is no specific repayment date prior to the maturity date for any borrowings under the Credit Agreement. Tripadvisor may voluntarily repay any outstanding borrowing under the Credit Facility at any time without premium or penalty, other than customary breakage costs with respect to Eurocurrency loans. Additionally, Tripadvisor believes that the likelihood of the lender exercising any subjective acceleration rights, which would permit the lenders to accelerate repayment of any outstanding borrowings, is remote. As such, borrowings under this facility are classified as long-term debt. The Credit Agreement contains a number of covenants that, among other things, restrict Tripadvisor's ability to incur additional indebtedness, create liens, enter into sale and leaseback transactions, engage in mergers or consolidations, sell or transfer assets, pay dividends and distributions, make investments, loans or advances, prepay certain subordinated indebtedness, and change its fiscal year. The Credit Agreement also limits Tripadvisor from repurchasing shares of its common stock and paying dividends, among other restrictions, during the Leverage Covenant Holiday. In addition, to secure the obligations under the Credit Agreement, Tripadvisor and certain subsidiaries have granted security interests and liens in and on, substantially all of their assets as well as pledged shares of certain of Tripadvisor's subsidiaries. The Credit Agreement also contains certain customary effirmative covenants and events of default, including a change of control. If an event of default occurs, the lenders under the Credit Agreement will be entitled to take various actions, including the acceleration of all amounts due under the Credit Facility.

#### 2025 Senior Notes

On July 9, 2020, Tripadvisor completed the sale of \$500 million aggregate principal amount of 7.0% Senior Notes due 2025 (the "2025 Senior Notes") pursuant to a purchase agreement, dated July 7, 2020, among Tripadvisor, the guarantors party thereto and the initial purchasers party thereto in a private offering to qualified institutional buyers. The 2025 Senior Notes were issued pursuant to an indenture, dated July 9, 2020 (the "2025 Indenture"), among Tripadvisor, the guarantors and the trustee. The 2025 Indenture provides, among other things, that interest is payable on the 2025 Senior Notes semiannually on January 15 and July 15 of each year, beginning on January 15, 2021, and continue until their maturity date of July 15, 2025. The 2025 Senior Notes are senior unsecured obligations of Tripadvisor and are guaranteed by certain of Tripadvisor's domestic subsidiaries.

Tripadvisor has the option to redeem all or a portion of the 2025 Senior Notes at any time on or after July 15, 2022 at the redemption prices set forth in the 2025 Indenture, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. Tripadvisor may also redeem all or any portion of the 2025 Senior Notes at any time prior to July 15, 2022, at a price equal to 100% of the aggregate principal amount thereof plus a make-whole premium and accrued and unpaid interest, if any. In addition, before July 15, 2022, Tripadvisor may redeem up to 40% of the aggregate principal amount of the 2025 Senior Notes with the net proceeds of certain equity offerings at the redemption price set forth in the 2025 Indenture, provided that certain conditions are met. Subject to certain limitations, in the event of a Change of Control Triggering Event (as defined in the 2025 Indenture), Tripadvisor will be required to make an offer to purchase the 2025 Senior Notes at a price equal to 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the 2025 Senior Notes repurchased, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to the date of repurchase. These features have been evaluated as embedded derivatives under GAAP, however, Tripadvisor has concluded they do not meet the requirements to be accounted for separately.

As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor estimated the fair value of its outstanding 2025 Senior Notes to be approximately \$516 million and considered the Senior Notes to be a "Level 2" fair value measurement. The estimated fair value of the 2025 Senior Notes was based on recently reported market transactions and/or prices for identical or similar financial instruments obtained from a third-party pricing source.

The 2025 Indenture contains covenants that, among other things and subject to certain exceptions and qualifications, restrict the ability of Tripadvisor and the ability of certain of its subsidiaries to incur or guarantee additional indebtedness or issue disqualified stock or certain preferred stock; pay dividends and make other distributions or repurchase stock; make

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certain investments; create or incur liens; sell assets; create restrictions affecting the ability of restricted subsidiaries to make distributions, loans or advances or transfer assets to Tripadvisor or the restricted subsidiaries; enter into certain transactions with Tripadvisor's affiliates; designate restricted subsidiaries as unrestricted subsidiaries; and merge, consolidate or transfer or sell all or substantially all of Tripadvisor's assets.

## 2026 Convertible Senior Notes

On March 25, 2021, Tripadvisor sold, pursuant to a purchase agreement \$300 million aggregate principal amount of 0.25% Convertible Senior Notes due 2026 (the "2026 Convertible Senior Notes") in a private offering to qualified institutional buyers. Tripadvisor granted the initial purchasers an over-allotment option that provided the initial purchasers of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes with the option to purchase an additional \$45 million aggregate principal amount of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes; such over-allotment option was fully exercised. In connection with the issuance of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, Tripadvisor entered into an Indenture, dated March 25, 2021 (the "2026 Indenture"), among Tripadvisor, the guarantors party thereto and the trustee. The terms of the Notes are governed by the 2026 Indenture. The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes mature on April 1, 2026, unless earlier converted, redeemed or repurchased. The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes are senior unsecured obligations of Tripadvisor, although guaranteed by certain of Tripadvisor's domestic subsidiaries, with interest payable semiannually in arrears on April 1 and October 1 of each year, which began on October 1, 2021. As of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, unpaid interest on Tripadvisor's 2026 Senior Notes was not material.

The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes will be redeemable, in whole or in part, at Tripadvisor's option at any time, and from time to time, on or after April 1, 2024 and on or before the 30th scheduled trading day immediately before the maturity date, at a cash redemption price equal to the principal amount of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes to be redeemed, plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, but only if the last reported sale price per share of Tripadvisor's common stock exceeds 130% of the conversion price on (1) each of at least 20 trading days, whether or not consecutive, during the 30 consecutive trading days ending on, and including, the trading day immediately before the date Tripadvisor sends the related redemption notice; and (2) the trading day immediately before the date Tripadvisor sends such notice. In addition, calling any such note for redemption will constitute a make-whole fundamental change with respect to that note, in which case the conversion rate applicable to the conversion of that note will be increased in certain circumstances if it is converted after it is called for redemption.

The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes are unconditionally guaranteed, on a joint and several basis, by the guarantors on a senior, unsecured basis. The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes are Tripadvisor's general senior unsecured obligations and rank equally in right of payment with all of its existing and future senior indebtedness, and senior in right of payment to all of its future subordinated indebtedness. The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes will be effectively subordinated to any of Tripadvisor's existing and future secured indebtedness, including borrowings under its Credit Facility, to the extent of the value of the assets securing such indebtedness.

Holders may convert their 2026 Convertible Senior Notes at any time prior to the close of business on the business day immediately preceding January 1, 2026 in multiples of \$1,000 principal amount, only under the following conditions and circumstances:

- during any calendar quarter commencing after the calendar quarter ending on June 30, 2021 (and only during such calendar quarter), if the last reported sale price of TRIP common stock for at least 20 trading days (whether or not consecutive) during the period of 30 consecutive trading days ending on the last trading day of the immediately preceding calendar quarter is greater than or equal to 130% of the conversion price on each applicable trading day;
- during the five business day period after any five consecutive trading day period (the "measurement period") in which the trading price per \$1,000 principal amount of 2026 Convertible Senior Notes for each trading

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day of the measurement period was less than 98% of the product of the last reported sale price of TRIP common stock and the conversion rate on each such trading day; or

upon the occurrence of specified corporate events as described in the 2026 Indenture.

In addition, holders may convert their 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, in multiples of \$1,000 principal amount, at their option at any time beginning on or after January 1, 2026, and prior to the close of business on the second scheduled trading day immediately preceding the stated maturity date of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, without regard to the foregoing circumstances.

The initial conversion rate for the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes is 13.5483 shares of TRIP common stock per \$1,000 principal amount of 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, which is equivalent to an initial conversion price of approximately \$73.81 per share of common stock, or approximately 4.7 million shares of TRIP common stock, subject to adjustment upon the occurrence of certain specified events as set forth in the 2026 Indenture. Upon conversion, Tripadvisor may choose to pay or deliver, as the case may be, cash, shares of TRIP common stock.

Tripadvisor accounts for the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes as a liability measured at its amortized cost, and no other features of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes are bifurcated and recognized as a derivative. The proceeds from the issuance of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes were approximately \$340 million, net of debt issuance costs of \$5 million comprised primarily of the initial purchasers' discount and Tripadvisor used a portion of the proceeds from the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes to enter into capped call transactions (discussed below). Tripadvisor intends to use the remainder of the proceeds from this offering for general corporate purposes, which may include repayment of debt, including the partial redemption and/or purchase of its 2025 Senior Notes prior to maturity. The debt issuance costs will be amortized over the remaining term of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, using the effective interest rate method, and recorded to interest expense. During the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, the effective interest rate, including debt issuance costs, was approximately 0.52% and 0.60%, respectively, and total interest expense on the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes was not material in any period.

The 2026 Convertible Senior Notes are unsecured and do not contain any financial covenants, restrictions on dividends, incurrence of senior debt or other indebtedness, or restrictions on the issuance or repurchase of securities by the Company.

As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor estimated the fair value of its outstanding 2026 Convertible Senior Notes to be approximately \$293 million and considered the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes to be a "Level 2" fair value measurement. The estimated fair value of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes was based on recently reported market transactions and/or prices for identical or similar financial instruments obtained from a third-party pricing source.

# **Capped Call Transactions**

In connection with the issuance of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, Tripadvisor entered into privately negotiated capped call transactions (the "Capped Calls") with certain of the initial purchasers of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes and/or their respective affiliates and/or other financial institutions (the "Option Counterparties") at a cost of approximately \$35 million. The Capped Calls are separate transactions entered into by Tripadvisor with each of the Option Counterparties, and are not part of the terms of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes and therefore will not affect any noteholder's rights under the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes. Noteholders will not have any rights with respect to the Capped Calls.

The Capped Calls cover, subject to anti-dilution adjustments substantially similar to those applicable to the conversion rate of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, the number of shares of TRIP common stock initially underlying the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, or up to approximately 4.7 million shares of TRIP common stock. The Capped Calls are expected generally to reduce potential dilution to the common stock upon any conversion of 2026 Convertible Senior Notes and/or offset any potential cash payments Tripadvisor is required to make in excess of the principal amount of such

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converted 2026 Convertible Senior Notes, as the case may be, with such reduction and/or offset subject to a cap. The strike price of the Capped Calls is \$73.81 per share, while the cap price of the Capped Calls will initially be \$107.36 per share of TRIP common stock, which represents a premium of 100% over the last reported sale price of TRIP common stock of \$53.68 per share on March 22, 2021, and is subject to certain customary adjustments under the terms of the Capped Calls.

The Capped Calls are considered indexed to Tripadvisor's own stock and are considered equity under GAAP. The Capped Calls are reported as a reduction to additional paid-in-capital and noncontrolling interest in equity of subsidiaries within stockholders' equity as of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, respectively. In addition, Tripadvisor recorded a deferred tax asset of \$9 million associated with the Capped Calls on the condensed consolidated balance sheets during the three months ended March 31, 2021, as it made an income tax election allowable under Internal Revenue Service regulations in order to recover the cost of the Capped Calls as interest expense on the condensed consolidated statement of operations only over the term of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes.

#### **Debt** Covenants

As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor was in compliance with its debt covenants.

#### (6) Redeemable Preferred Stock

On March 15, 2020, TripCo and Gregory B. Maffei entered into an Investment Agreement (the "Investment Agreement") with Certares Holdings LLC, Certares Holdings (Blockable) LLC and Certares Holdings (Optional) LLC with respect to an investment in TripCo's Series A Preferred Stock, which was later assigned to Certares LTRIP LLC ("Certares" or the "Purchaser"). Pursuant to the assigned Investment Agreement, on March 26, 2020, TripCo issued 325,000 shares of Series A Preferred Stock to Certares for a purchase price of \$1,000 per share.

On March 22, 2021, TripCo and Certares entered into a stock repurchase agreement (the "Repurchase Agreement"). Pursuant to the Repurchase Agreement, on March 29, 2021, TripCo repurchased 126,921 shares of Series A Preferred Stock, and on April 6, 2021, TripCo purchased an additional 10,665 shares of Series A Preferred Stock from Certares. The aggregate consideration for the Series A Preferred Stock consisted of a combination of (i) approximately \$281 million in cash from a portion of the net proceeds of the Debentures (as discussed in note 5), \$252 million of which was paid on March 29, 2021 and \$29 million of which was paid on April 6, 2021, and (ii) approximately \$92 million aggregate value of TRIP common stock, owned by TripCo, consisting of 1,713,859 shares (a non-cash transaction). The price per share of Series A Preferred Stock was determined by multiplying (a) \$1,000 by (b) an accretion factor with respect to the TRIP common stock (determined based on the Accretion Factor formula set forth in the Certificate of Designations of the Debentures instead of using the Reference Stock VWAP (as defined in the Certificate of Designations of the Series A Preferred Stock (the "Certificate of Designations"))). Following both closings under the Repurchase Agreement, TripCo repurchased a total of 137,586 shares of Series A Preferred Stock originally held by Certares, for an aggregate value of approximately \$373 million.

There were 187,414 shares of Series A Preferred Stock authorized, issued and outstanding at March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021.

#### Priority

The Series A Preferred Stock ranks senior to the shares of common stock of TripCo, with respect to dividend rights, rights of redemption and rights on the distribution of assets on any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of TripCo. The Series A Preferred Stock has a liquidation value equal to the sum of (i) \$1,000, plus (ii) all unpaid dividends (whether or not declared) accrued with respect to such share.

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#### Voting and Convertibility

Holders of Series A Preferred Stock are not entitled to any voting powers, except as otherwise specified in the Certificate of Designations or as required by Delaware law. Shares of Series A Preferred Stock are not convertible into TripCo common stock.

#### Dividends

Dividends on each share of Series A Preferred Stock accrue on a daily basis at a rate of 8.00% of the liquidation value and are payable annually, commencing after March 26, 2020. Dividends on each share of Series A Preferred Stock may be paid, at TripCo's election, in cash, shares of the Company's Series A common stock ("LTRPA"), or, at the election of the Purchaser, shares of the Company's Series C common stock ("LTRPK"), provided, in each case, such shares are listed on a national securities exchange and are actively traded (such LTRPK shares, together with the LTRPA shares, the "Eligible Common Stock"), or a combination of cash and Eligible Common Stock. If a dividend is not declared and paid on the dividend payment date, the dividend amount will be added to the then-applicable liquidation price of the Series A Preferred Stock.

#### Redemption

The Company is required to redeem for cash shares of Series A Preferred Stock on the earlier of (i) the first business day after the fifth anniversary of March 26, 2020, or (ii) subject to certain exceptions, a change in control of TripCo. The "Redemption Price" in a mandatory redemption will equal the greater of (i) the sum of the liquidation value on the redemption date, plus all unpaid dividends accrued since the last dividend date, and (ii) the product of the (x) initial liquidation value, multiplied by (y) an accretion factor (determined based on a formula set forth in the Certificate of Designations) with respect to the TRIP common stock, less (z) the aggregate amount of all dividends paid in cash or shares of Eligible Common Stock from March 26, 2020 through the applicable redemption date.

## Put Right

Following March 26, 2021, during certain periods, the Purchaser had the right to cause TripCo to redeem all of the outstanding shares of Series A Preferred Stock at the Redemption Price for, at the election of TripCo, cash, shares of Eligible Common Stock, shares of TRIP common stock or any combination of the foregoing, subject to certain limitations (the "Put Option"). The Company evaluated the Put Option as an embedded derivative and determined it was not required to be bifurcated. As a result of the Repurchase Agreement, Certares has permanently waived the Put Option.

## TripCo Call Right

Pursuant to the Repurchase Agreement, beginning March 27, 2024, TripCo has the option, from time to time, to call and repurchase any and all of the outstanding shares of the Series A Preferred Stock at the optional repurchase price (the "Call Right"), which is the greater of (x) the sum of the liquidation value of a share of Series A Preferred Stock as of the optional repurchase date plus all unpaid dividends accrued on such share from the most recent dividend payment date through such optional repurchase date and (y) (i) the initial liquidation value of such share of Series A Preferred Stock as of the original issue date multiplied by an accretion factor with respect to the TRIP common stock (determined based on the Accretion Factor formula set forth in the Certificate of Designations as modified such that the Reference Stock VWAP is determined as of the date that is two business days prior to the date of TripCo's notice of repurchase) minus (ii) all dividends paid in cash or shares of Eligible Common Stock on such share through the optional repurchase date.

## Restriction on transfer of Series A Preferred Stock

Subject to exceptions contained in the Investment Agreement and the Repurchase Agreement, the shares of Series A Preferred Stock generally are non-transferable; provided that TripCo has agreed not to unreasonably withhold its consent

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to certain transfers of up to 49% of the remaining Series A Preferred Shares outstanding following the repurchases from Certares under the Repurchase Agreement (so long as there are no more than six holders of the Series A Preferred Stock at any one time). Any transferee of shares of Series A Preferred Stock must agree to the permanent waiver of the Put Option, to the permanent waiver of the right to appoint the Series A Preferred Threshold Director (as such term is defined in the Certificate of Designations and described in the Repurchase Agreement) and to the Call Right.

#### Recognition

Prior to the partial redemption, as the Series A Preferred Stock was redeemable and the redemption triggers were outside of TripCo's control, the Company was required to classify the shares outside of permanent equity. The Company calculated the carrying value of the Series A Preferred Stock pursuant to the Redemption Price calculation, and any changes in the carrying value of the Series A Preferred Stock were recorded directly to retained earnings. Immediately prior to the partial redemption, the Company recognized a \$410 million decrease to retained earnings related to the value of the Series A Preferred Stock. As a result of the Repurchase Agreement, the Series A Preferred Stock may no longer be settled in shares of TripCo or TRIP common stock and the Purchaser no longer has the ability to participate on the TripCo board purely through ownership of Series A Preferred Stock. Following an evaluation of the accounting impact of these changes, we concluded the Series A Preferred Stock is a debt host with an equity-indexed derivative that is required to be bifurcated. Accordingly, the Series A Preferred Stock was required to be measured at fair value, through retained earnings, in connection with the reclassification from temporary equity to a liability. The fair value of the Series A Preferred Stock was estimated to be \$40 million lower than its redemption value and such amount was recorded as an increase to retained earnings. The debt host component is included in the preferred stock liability on the condensed consolidated balance sheet and will be accreted through interest expense to the amount to be paid upon settlement. The Preferred Stock Derivative is included in financial instrument liabilities at fair value in the condensed consolidated balance sheet.

#### (7) Stockholders' Equity

#### Preferred Stock

TripCo's preferred stock is issuable, from time to time, with such powers, designations, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other rights and qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, as shall be stated and expressed in a resolution or resolutions providing for the issue of such preferred stock adopted by TripCo's Board of Directors. See note 6 for a description of TripCo's Series A Preferred Stock.

#### Common Stock

Series A common stock entitles the holders to one vote per share, Series B common stock entitles the holders to ten votes per share and Series C common stock, except as otherwise required by applicable law, entitles the holder to no voting rights. As of March 31, 2022, no shares of Series C common stock have been issued. All series of TripCo common stock participate on an equal basis with respect to dividends and distributions.

#### Subsidiary Purchases of Common Stock

As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor had approximately \$75 million remaining available to repurchase shares of its common stock under its share repurchase program.

#### (8) Commitments and Contingencies

## Litigation

In the ordinary course of business, the Company and its subsidiaries are parties to legal proceedings and claims arising out of our operations. These matters may relate to claims involving patent and intellectual property rights (including alleged infringement of third-party intellectual property rights), tax matters (including value-added, excise, transient occupancy and accommodation taxes), regulatory compliance (including competition and consumer matters), defamation and other

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claims. Although it is reasonably possible that the Company may incur losses upon conclusion of such matters, an estimate of any loss or range of loss cannot be made. In the opinion of management, it is expected that amounts, if any, which may be required to satisfy such contingencies will not be material in relation to the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

#### (9) Segment Information

TripCo, through its ownership interests in Tripadvisor, is primarily engaged in the online commerce industries. TripCo identifies its reportable segments as (A) those operating segments that represent 10% or more of its consolidated annual revenue, annual adjusted operating income before depreciation and amortization ("Adjusted OIBDA") or total assets and (B) those equity method affiliates whose share of earnings represent 10% or more of TripCo's annual pre-tax earnings.

TripCo evaluates performance and makes decisions about allocating resources to its operating segments based on financial measures such as revenue, Adjusted OIBDA, gross margin, and revenue or sales per customer equivalent. In addition, TripCo reviews nonfinancial measures such as unique website visitors, conversion rates and active customers, as appropriate.

We have identified the following as reportable segments:

- Hotels, Media & Platform includes the following revenue sources: (1) Tripadvisor-branded hotels revenue primarily consisting of hotel auction revenue, subscription-based advertising, and hotel sponsored placements revenue; and (2) Tripadvisor-branded display and platform revenue consisting of display-based advertising revenue. All direct general and administrative costs are included in the applicable segments and business units, however, all corporate general and administrative costs are included in the Hotels, Media & Platform reportable segment. In addition, the Hotels, Media & Platform reportable segment includes all Tripadvisor-related brand advertising expenses (primarily television advertising) and technical infrastructure and other costs supporting the Tripadvisor platform.
- Experiences & Dining Tripadvisor provides information and services for consumers to research and book tours, activities
  and experiences in popular travel destinations both through Viator, Tripadvisor's dedicated Experiences offering, and on
  Tripadvisor's website and mobile apps. Tripadvisor generates commissions for each booking transaction it facilitates through
  its online reservation system. Tripadvisor also provides information and services for consumers to research and book
  restaurants in popular travel destinations through its dedicated restaurant reservations offering, TheFork, and on Tripadvisorbranded websites and mobile apps.

Tripadvisor's accounting policies are the same as those described in the Company's Summary of Significant Accounting Policies included in the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021.

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### **Performance Measures**

Tripadvisor disaggregates revenue from contracts with customers into major products/revenue sources. Tripadvisor has determined that disaggregating revenue into these categories achieves the disclosure objective to depict how the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows are affected by economic factors. Revenue is recognized primarily at a point in time for all reported segments.

	Three months ended March 31,		
	 2022 amounts in mi	2021 illions	
Hotels, Media & Platform			
TripAdvisor-branded hotels	\$ 136	74	
TripAdvisor-branded display and platform	24	14	
Total Hotels, Media & Platform	 160	88	
Experiences & Dining	92	28	
Corporate and other	10	7	
Total Revenue	\$ 262	123	

The following table provides information about the balances of accounts receivable and contract assets, net of allowance for credit losses, from contracts with customers:

	1	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021
		amounts in milli	ons
Accounts receivable	\$	132	105
Contract assets		48	37
Total	\$	180	142

Accounts receivable are recognized when the right to consideration becomes unconditional. Contract assets are rights to consideration in exchange for services that Tripadvisor has transferred to a customer when that right is conditional on something other than the passage of time, such as commission payments that are contingent upon the completion of the service by the principal in the transaction. Contract assets increased during the first quarter of 2022, as a result of ongoing recovery of consumer travel demand, and increased utilization of Tripadvisor's cost-per-action model by travel partners.

Contract liabilities generally include payments received in advance of performance under the contract, and are realized as revenue as the performance obligation to the customer is satisfied, which Tripadvisor presents as deferred revenue on its consolidated balance sheets. As of January 1, 2022, Tripadvisor had \$36 million recorded as deferred revenue on its condensed consolidated balance sheet, of which \$18 million was recognized as revenue and \$2 million was refunded due to cancellations by travelers during the three months ended March 31, 2022. As of January 1, 2021, Tripadvisor had \$28 million recorded as deferred revenue in the condensed consolidated balance sheet, of which \$11 million was recognized as revenue and \$2 million was refunded due to cancellations by travelers during the three months ended March 31, 2022. As of January 1, 2021, Tripadvisor had \$28 million recorded as deferred revenue in the condensed consolidated balance sheet, of which \$11 million was recognized as revenue and \$2 million was refunded due to cancellations by travelers during the three months ended March 31, 2021. The difference between the opening and closing balances of Tripadvisor's deferred revenue primarily results from the timing difference between the opening and closing balances of Tripadvisor's contract assets primarily results from the timing difference between the opening and closing balances of Tripadvisor's contract assets primarily results from the timing difference between when Tripadvisor satisfies its performance obligations and the time when the principal completes the service in the transaction. There were no significant changes in contract assets or deferred revenue during the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021 related to business combinations, impairments,

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cumulative catch-ups or other material adjustments. However, to the extent the COVID-19 pandemic resurges, or new variants emerge, Tripadvisor may incur additional significant and unanticipated cancellations by consumers related to future travel, accommodations and tour bookings, which had been reserved by travelers and recorded as deferred revenue as of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021.

For segment reporting purposes, TripCo defines Adjusted OIBDA as revenue less operating expenses, and selling, general and administrative expenses excluding stock-based compensation. TripCo believes this measure is an important indicator of the operational strength and performance of its businesses by identifying those items that are not directly a reflection of each business' performance or indicative of ongoing business trends. In addition, this measure allows management to view operating results, and perform analytical comparisons and benchmarking between businesses and identify strategies to improve performance. This measure of performance excludes depreciation and amortization, equity settled liabilities (including stock-based compensation), separately reported litigation settlements and restructuring and impairment charges that are included in the measurement of operating income pursuant to GAAP. Accordingly, Adjusted OIBDA should be considered in addition to, but not as a substitute for, operating income, net income, cash flow provided by operating activities and other measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP. TripCo generally accounts for intersegment sales and transfers as if the sales or transfers were to third parties, that is, at current prices.

Adjusted OIBDA is summarized as follows:

		Three months ended March 31,		
	2	2022 2021		
		amounts in millions		
Hotels, Media & Platform	\$	46	(3)	
Experiences & Dining		(22)	(24)	
Corporate and other		1	(2)	
Consolidated TripCo	\$	25	(29)	

In addition, we do not report assets, capital expenditures and related depreciation expense by segment as our Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM") does not use this information to evaluate operating segments. Accordingly, we do not regularly provide such information by segment to our CODM.

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The following table provides a reconciliation of Adjusted OIBDA to Operating income (loss) and Earnings (loss) before income taxes:

		Three months ended March 31,	
	:	2022 2021	
		amounts in mill	ions
Adjusted OIBDA	\$	25	(29)
Stock-based compensation		(22)	(30)
Depreciation and amortization		(25)	(38)
Operating income (loss)		(22)	(97)
Interest expense		(17)	(11)
Realized and unrealized gains (losses), net		(12)	(65)
Other, net		(1)	(2)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes	\$	(52)	(175)

## Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Certain statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements regarding our business and marketing strategies; the impacts of the coronavirus pandemic ("COVID-19"); improvements in revenue and the travel market; cost reduction measures and related impacts; covenant compliance; our projected sources and uses of cash; consumer demand; anticipated debt obligations; fluctuations in interest rates and foreign exchange rates; and the anticipated impact of certain contingent liabilities related to tax rules and other matters arising in the ordinary course of business. Forward-looking statements inherently involve many risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in these statements. Where, in any forward-looking statement, we express an expectation or belief as to future results or events, such expectation or belief is expressed in good faith and believed to have a reasonable basis, but such statements necessarily involve risks and uncertainties and there can be no assurance that the expectation or belief will result or be achieved or accomplished. The following include some but not all of the factors that could cause actual results or events to differ materially from those anticipated:

- our ability to obtain cash in amounts sufficient to service our financial obligations and other commitments due to the fact we are a holding company;
- our ability to access the cash that Tripadvisor, Inc. ("Tripadvisor") generates from its operating activities;
- the ability of our Company and Tripadvisor to obtain additional financing, or refinance our existing indebtedness, on acceptable terms;
- the existence of our 8% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Series A Preferred Stock"), and its rights, preferences and privileges that are not held by, and are preferential to, the rights of our common stockholders;
- our ability to realize the full value of our intangible assets;
- the impacts of COVID-19, including any existing or future variants;
- declines or interruptions in the worldwide travel industry, including as a result of health concerns, natural disasters, terrorist
  attacks, armed conflicts, civil or political unrest or other events outside Tripadvisor's control;
- Tripadvisor's ability to attract a significant amount of visitors and cost-effectively convert these visitors into revenuegenerating consumers;
- failure of internet search engines and application marketplaces to continue to prominently display links to Tripadvisor's websites;
- Tripadvisor's performance marketing efficiency and the general effectiveness of its advertising and marketing efforts;
- reduction in spending by advertisers on Tripadvisor's platforms or the loss of Tripadvisor's significant travel partners;
- Tripadvisor's failure to maintain, protect or enhance its brands;
- the ability of Tripadvisor to offer compelling products on mobile devices or continue to operate effectively on such platforms;
- declines or disruptions in the economy in general and in the travel industry in particular;
- failure of Tripadvisor to effectively compete in the global environment in which it operates;
- Tripadvisor's failure to adapt to technological developments or industry trends;
- the ability of Tripadvisor to innovate and provide products, services and features that are useful to consumers;
- · Tripadvisor's potential for prioritizing rapid innovation and consumer experience over short-term financial results;
- the ability of Tripadvisor to maintain a quality of traffic in its network to provide value to its travel partners;
- real or perceived inaccuracies of the assumptions and estimates and data Tripadvisor relies on to calculate certain of its key metrics;
- the ability of Tripadvisor to hire, retain and motivate the highly skilled personnel it relies on;

- disruptions resulting from any acquisitions, investments, significant commercial arrangements and/or new business strategies;
- risks due to Tripadvisor operating in many jurisdictions inside and outside the U.S.;
- claims, lawsuits, government investigations and other proceedings which Tripadvisor is regularly subject to;
- the ability of Tripadvisor to protect its intellectual property from copying or use by others;
- risks due to Tripadvisor's processing, storage and use of personal information and other data;
- risks associated with the facilitation of payments from consumers, including fraud and compliance with evolving rules and regulations and reliance on third parties;
- risks resulting from system security issues, data protection breaches, cyberattacks and system outage issues;
- Tripadvisor's indebtedness and the resulting impacts on its business and financial condition;
- limitations imposed by the various covenants in Tripadvisor's credit facilities and indenture;
- risks related to the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes (defined in note 5 to the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements) and the associated capped calls;
- fluctuation of Tripadvisor's financial results;
- factors that determine Tripadvisor's effective income tax rate;
- changes in tax laws that affect Tripadvisor or the examination of Tripadvisor's tax positions;
- changes in the tax treatment of companies engaged in e-commerce;
- challenges by tax authorities in the jurisdictions where Tripadvisor operates;
- fluctuation in foreign currency exchange rates which affect Tripadvisor; and
- risks associated with our stock price being disproportionately affected by the results of operations of Tripadvisor and developments in its business.

For additional risk factors, please see Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors of the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021. These forward-looking statements and such risks, uncertainties and other factors speak only as of the date of this Quarterly Report, and we expressly disclaim any obligation or undertaking to disseminate any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement contained herein, to reflect any change in our expectations with regard thereto, or any other change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based.

The following discussion and analysis provides information concerning our results of operations and financial condition. This discussion should be read in conjunction with our accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto.

## Overview

The accompanying financial statements and the other information herein refer to Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. and its controlled subsidiaries as "TripCo," "Consolidated TripCo," the "Company," "us," "we" and "our" unless the context otherwise requires. We own an approximate 21% economic interest and 57% voting interest in Tripadvisor as of March 31, 2022. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

In December 2019, COVID-19 was reported in Wuhan, China, and on March 11, 2020 was declared a global pandemic, followed by government travel restrictions and quarantine orders around the globe. The COVID-19 pandemic has caused a significant negative impact on the travel, leisure, hospitality, and restaurant industries (collectively, the "travel industry") and consequently has adversely and materially affected Tripadvisor's business, results of operations, liquidity and financial condition since early 2020, continuing at a lessening degree albeit unevenly at times, throughout 2021 and through the three months ended March 31, 2022. Among other impacts, COVID-19 has negatively impacted global consumer travel demand and consumers' ability to travel and take part in other travel, leisure and dining activities, at varying degrees during this time period, and at various times causing many of Tripadvisor's travel partners to operate at significantly reduced and/or intermittent service levels during this timeframe.

Traffic trends on Tripadvisor's platform, a leading indicator of consumer travel demand have improved substantially since the trough of significant declines seen in the second half of March 2020 and throughout April 2020. By means of

showing a comparison to a pre-COVID-19 timeframe, average monthly unique users on Tripadvisor-branded websites during the first quarter of 2022 was approximately 71% of 2019's comparable period, an increase from approximately 55% of 2019's comparable period during the first quarter of 2021. This improvement was largely driven by vaccine progress, the easing of various government restrictions, albeit unevenly, and consumer travel demand's continuous improving recovery.

Tripadvisor's consolidated revenue for the three months ended March 31, 2022 was \$262 million, or an increase of 113% when compared to the same period in 2021. In addition, by means of showing a comparison to a pre-COVID-19 timeframe, consolidated revenue for the first quarter of 2022 reached approximately 70% of 2019's comparable period, an increase from approximately 33% of 2019's comparable period during the first quarter of 2021. This increase in revenue was driven by strong performance in Tripadvisor's Experiences & Dining segment, supported by steady recovery in Tripadvisor-branded hotels and display and platform offerings due to vaccine progress, the easing of various government restrictions and consumer travel demand's improving recovery.

The ultimate duration of the negative impact of COVID-19 on Tripadvisor's results of operations, liquidity and financial condition remains uncertain and is dependent upon factors beyond its control, such as the continued transmission rate of COVID-19, including new variants and/or additional resurgences of existing variants, if any, the extent and effectiveness of containment actions that are taken, vaccine efficacy, and the ultimate long-term impact of these and other factors on consumer demand for travel and usage patterns on Tripadvisor's platform. Although uncertainty remains, Tripadvisor generally saw continuous, albeit uneven, improvement in the travel market in 2021 and during the first quarter of 2022 and expects that the market will continue to improve as 2022 progresses, driven by continued vaccination programs, the gradual lifting of government restrictions, and what Tripadvisor believes to be continued significant pent-up consumer demand for travel industry related services.

On March 15, 2020, TripCo entered into an agreement with Certares LTRIP LLC, with respect to 325,000 shares of TripCo's newlycreated Series A Preferred Stock. On March 29, 2021 and April 6, 2021, TripCo repurchased a portion of the Series A Preferred Stock. See note 6 to the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

# Results of Operations—Consolidated—March 31, 2022 and 2021

General. We provide in the tables below information regarding our consolidated Operating Results and Other Income and Expense.

		Three months ended March 31,	
		2022	2021
D		amounts in mill	ions
Revenue	•	1.60	
Hotels, Media & Platform	\$	160	88
Experiences & Dining		92	28
Corporate and other		10	7
Total revenue		262	123
Operating expense		67	55
SG&A		170	97
Stock-based compensation		22	30
Depreciation and amortization		25	38
Operating income (loss)		(22)	(97)
Other income (expense):			
Interest expense		(17)	(11)
Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments, net		(12)	(65)
Other, net		(1)	(2)
		(30)	(78)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		(52)	(175)
Income tax (expense) benefit		(1)	17
Net earnings (loss)	\$	(53)	(158)
Adjusted OIBDA	\$	25	(29)

*Revenue.* Tripadvisor's Hotels, Media & Platform revenue increased \$72 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. The increases in Hotels, Media & Platform revenue are detailed as follows:

	Th	ree months ended March 31,
	2022	2021
	an	nounts in millions
TripAdvisor-branded hotels	\$	136 74
TripAdvisor-branded display and platform		24 14
Total Hotels, Media & Platform	\$	160 88

Tripadvisor-branded hotels revenue primarily includes hotel auction revenue, and to a lesser extent hotel B2B revenue, which primarily includes subscription-based advertising services that are offered to travel partners and click-based revenue generated from hotel sponsored placements advertising that enables hotels to enhance their visibility on Tripadvisor's hotel pages. For the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, 85% and 84% of Tripadvisor's Hotels, Media & Platform segment revenue was derived from Tripadvisor-branded hotels revenue, respectively. Tripadvisor-branded hotels revenue increased \$62 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021. This increase was primarily driven by Tripadvisor's hotel auction revenue across all markets, particularly in the U.S. and Tripadvisor's largest European markets, and, to a lesser extent, an increase in hotel auction revenue in the rest of the world, despite the impact of the Omicron variant early in the first quarter of 2022, due to rising consumer travel demand and travel industry recovery, given rising vaccination rates and easing of government travel and leisure restrictions. As consumer travel demand continued to increase during the first quarter of 2022, Tripadvisor saw continued improvement

in hotel auction monetization, as cost-per-click rates during the first quarter of 2022 were near or exceeded parity of 2019's comparable period, driven by continued strength in the U.S. and improving trends in Europe and the rest of the world, which enabled increased efficient marketing investment on performance channels, enhancing Tripadvisor's 2022 hotel auction revenue growth.

Tripadvisor-branded display-based advertising revenue increased \$10 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, primarily driven by an increase in marketing spend from Tripadvisor's advertisers in correlation with increasing consumer demand. While slower to recover than Tripadvisor-branded hotels revenue, Tripadvisor's display and platform revenue increased by 71% during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021. In addition, and by means of also showing a comparison to a pre-COVID-19 timeframe, Tripadvisor-branded display and platform revenue for the three months ended March 31, 2022 was approximately 63% of 2019's comparable period, an increase from approximately 37% of 2019's comparable period during the three months ended March 31, 2021.

Experiences & Dining segment revenue increased \$64 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021. Since the first quarter of 2020, this segment's revenue has been negatively and materially impacted at varying levels by a significant reduction in consumer demand due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which has reduced consumer willingness to research, purchase, and consume travel activities. This negative impact has also been driven by a wide variety of government-instituted actions and restrictions around the globe aimed at limiting the spread of the virus, all of which have impacted consumer access to experience offerings and restaurants. For example, during the first quarter of 2021, restaurants in most of the European countries in which our Dining business operates were ordered to remain closed. However, during most of 2021, Tripadvisor's Experiences & Dining segment's financial results improved significantly, and this trend continued in the first quarter of 2022, as revenue in this segment increased by 229% during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, driven by increases in both experiences and dining revenue, as a result of the growing travel demand recovery, driven by vaccine progress and various government restrictions being lifted.

Corporate and other revenue, which primarily includes rentals revenue, in addition to primarily click-based advertising and displaybased advertising revenue from flights, cars, and cruise offerings on Tripadvisor websites and mobile apps, increased \$3 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021. The increase during the three months ended March 31, 2022 was primarily due to the impact of growing consumer travel demand and increasing travel industry recovery on our business, as discussed above.

**Operating expense.** Operating expense increased \$12 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022, compared to the same period in the prior year. The increase for the three months ended March 31, 2022 was primarily due to a \$10 million increase in cost of revenue driven by increased direct costs from credit card payment and other revenue-related transaction costs in Tripadvisor's Experiences & Dining segment in direct correlation with an increase in revenue, and to a lesser extent, an increase in contingent staff costs to help support business growth across all segments during the growing travel demand recovery.

Selling, general and administrative. Selling, general and administrative expense increased \$73 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. The most significant driver of selling, general and administrative expense is selling and marketing costs, which consist of direct selling and marketing costs and indirect costs, such as personnel and overhead. Selling and marketing costs increased \$69 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, primarily due to an increase in Tripadvisor's search engine marketing ("SEM") and other online traffic acquisition spend, the majority of which was in the Experiences & Dining segment, in response to increasing consumer travel demand as travel activity restrictions ease and the travel industry recovers. General and administrative costs increased \$5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, primarily due to an increase general and administrative costs increased \$5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, primarily due to an increase in travel activity restrictions ease and the travel industry recovers. General and administrative costs increased \$5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in 2021, primarily due to an increase in personnel and overhead costs driven by additional headcount to help support business growth during the growing travel demand recovery.

**Operating Income (Loss).** Our consolidated operating losses improved \$75 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. Operating income (losses) were impacted by the above explanations.



Adjusted OIBDA. To provide investors with additional information regarding our financial results, we also disclose Adjusted OIBDA, which is a non-GAAP financial measure. We define Adjusted OIBDA as Operating income (loss) plus depreciation and amortization, stockbased compensation, separately reported litigation settlements, restructuring, acquisition and other related costs and impairment charges. Our chief operating decision maker and management team use this measure of performance in conjunction with other measures to evaluate our business and make decisions about our resources. We believe this is an important indicator of the operational strength and performance of our businesses by identifying those items that are not directly a reflection of each business' performance or indicative of ongoing business trends. In addition, this measure allows us to view operating results, perform analytical comparisons and benchmarking between businesses and identify strategies to improve performance. Accordingly, Adjusted OIBDA should be considered in addition to, but not as a substitute for, operating income, net income, cash flow provided by operating activities and other measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The following table provides a reconciliation of Operating income (loss) to Adjusted OIBDA.

	Three months en March 31,	nded
	 2022 2021	
	 amounts in mill	lions
Operating income (loss)	\$ (22)	(97)
Stock-based compensation	22	30
Depreciation and amortization	25	38
Adjusted OIBDA	\$ 25	(29)

Adjusted OIBDA is summarized as follows:

	Three months ended March 31,		
	2022	2021	
	 amounts in millions		
Adjusted OIBDA			
Hotels, Media & Platform	\$ 46	(3)	
Experiences & Dining	(22)	(24)	
Corporate and other	1	(2)	
Consolidated TripCo	\$ 25	(29)	

Consolidated Adjusted OIBDA increased \$54 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. Hotels, Media & Platform Adjusted OIBDA increased \$49 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in revenue as noted above, partially offset by an increase in direct selling and marketing expenses related to SEM (defined above) and other online paid traffic acquisition costs in response to increasing consumer travel demand as travel restrictions ease, vaccination rates increase, and the travel industry recovers.

Experiences & Dining Adjusted OIBDA loss decreased \$2 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the corresponding period in the prior year. The decrease for the three month period was primarily due to an increase in revenue as noted above, largely offset by an increase in selling and marketing expenses related to SEM and other online paid traffic acquisition costs in response to increased consumer demand for experiences and restaurants as part of the growing consumer travel demand recovery and, to a lesser extent, an increase in personnel and overhead costs to help support business growth during the growing travel demand recovery and increased direct costs from credit card payments and other revenue-related transaction costs in direct correlation with an increase in revenue.

Corporate and other Adjusted OIBDA increased \$3 million during the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. The increase for the three month period was primarily due to an increase in revenue, as noted above. Corporate and other Adjusted OIBDA also includes \$2 million and \$5 million of TripCo level selling, general and administrative expenses for the three months ended March 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

## **Other Income and Expense**

Components of Other income (expense) are presented in the table below.

	Three months ended March 31,		ded
	2	2022	2021
T		amounts in millio	ons
Interest expense			
Tripadvisor	\$	(12)	(11)
Corporate		(5)	
Consolidated TripCo	\$	(17)	(11)
Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments, net			
Tripadvisor	\$	_	
Corporate		(12)	(65)
Consolidated TripCo	\$	(12)	(65)
Other, net			
Tripadvisor	\$	(1)	(2)
Corporate		—	—
Consolidated TripCo	\$	(1)	(2)

*Interest expense.* Interest expense increased \$6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. TripCo's interest expense increased for the three months ended March 31, 2022, compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to the accretion of TripCo's Series A Preferred Stock (see note 6 to the accompanying condensed financial statements) through interest expense. Tripadvisor's interest expense increased slightly during the three months ended March 31, 2022, compared to the same period in the prior year, related to the issuance of the 2026 Convertible Senior Notes on March 25, 2021.

**Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments, net.** Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on financial instruments, net are comprised of changes in the fair value of the following:

		Three months ended March 31,		
	2	2022 2021 amounts in millions		
TripCo Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051	\$	(8)	(10)	
Financial instrument liabilities		(4)	(55)	
	\$	(12)	(65)	

The changes in these accounts are primarily due to market factors and changes in the fair value of the underlying stocks or financial instruments to which these related. Realized and unrealized losses on financial instruments, net decreased \$53 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022, compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily driven by decreases in unrealized losses of \$51 million related to derivative instruments, and decreases in unrealized losses of \$2 million related to the TripCo 0.50% Exchangeable Senior Debentures due 2051 (the "Debentures").

*Other, net.* Other, net loss decreased \$1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022, when compared to the same period in the prior year. The decrease for the three months ended March 31, 2022 was primarily driven by fewer foreign exchange losses compared to the same period in the prior year.

*Income taxes.* During the three months ended March 31, 2022, we had losses before income taxes of \$52 million and we had income tax expense of \$1 million. During the three months ended March 31, 2021, we had losses before income taxes of \$175 million and we had an income tax benefit of \$17 million. For the three months ended March 31, 2022, the Company recognized additional tax expense related to an increase in the valuation allowance against certain deferred tax assets. For the three months ended March 31, 2021, the Company recognized additional tax expense related to an increase

in the valuation allowance against certain deferred tax assets, partially offset by tax benefits related to state income taxes and earnings in foreign jurisdictions taxed at a rate lower than the U.S. federal tax rate of 21%.

*Net earnings (loss).* We had net losses of \$53 million and \$158 million for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The changes in net earnings were the result of the above described fluctuations in our revenue and expenses.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

As of March 31, 2022, substantially all of our cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on hand in global financial institutions, money market funds and marketable securities with maturities of 90 days or less at the date of purchase.

The following are potential sources of liquidity: available cash balances, proceeds from asset sales, monetization of our investments, outstanding or anticipated debt facilities, debt and equity issuances, and dividend and interest receipts.

As of March 31, 2022, TripCo had a cash balance of \$817 million. Approximately \$781 million of the cash balance, at March 31, 2022, is held at Tripadvisor. Although TripCo has a 57% voting interest in Tripadvisor, Tripadvisor is a separate public company with a significant non-controlling interest, as TripCo has only a 21% economic interest in Tripadvisor. Even though TripCo controls Tripadvisor through its voting interest and board representation, decision making with respect to using Tripadvisor's cash balances must consider Tripadvisor's minority holders. Accordingly, any potential distributions of cash from Tripadvisor to TripCo would generally be on a pro rata basis based on economic ownership interests. Covenants in Tripadvisor's debt instruments also restrict the payment of dividends and cash distributions to stockholders.

Approximately \$170 million of the Tripadvisor cash and cash equivalents balance is held by foreign subsidiaries, with nearly 50% located in the United Kingdom. As of March 31, 2022, the significant majority of Tripadvisor's cash was denominated in U.S. dollars. As of March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor had \$446 million of cumulative undistributed earnings in foreign subsidiaries. Due to the one-time transition tax on the deemed repatriation of undistributed foreign subsidiary earnings and profits in 2017, as a result of the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, the majority of previously unremitted earnings have been subjected to U.S. federal income tax. To the extent future distributions from these subsidiaries will be taxable, a deferred income tax liability has been accrued on our condensed consolidated balance sheet, which was not material as of March 31, 2022.

#### Credit Facility

Tripadvisor is party to a credit agreement with a group of lenders initially entered into in June 2015, which, among other things, provides for a \$500 million revolving credit facility (the "Credit Facility") with a maturity date of May 12, 2024. As of March 31, 2022 and December 31, 2021, Tripadvisor had no outstanding borrowings and was in compliance with its covenants under the Credit Facility. While there can be no assurance that Tripadvisor will be able to meet the leverage ratio covenant after the Leverage Covenant Holiday (as defined in note 5 of the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements) ceases, based on its current projections, Tripadvisor does not believe there is a material risk it will not remain in compliance throughout the next twelve months.

	Three months ended March 31,		
		2022	2021
		amounts in millions	
Cash flow information			
Tripadvisor cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	86	(19)
Corporate cash provided (used) by operating activities		(1)	(1)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	85	(20)
Tripadvisor cash provided (used) by investing activities	\$	(14)	(10)
Corporate cash provided (used) by investing activities		—	
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	\$	(14)	(10)
Tripadvisor cash provided (used) by financing activities	\$	(10)	287
Corporate cash provided (used) by financing activities		—	42
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities	\$	(10)	329

During the three months ended March 31, 2022, Tripadvisor's primary uses of cash were \$14 million of capital expended for property and equipment and \$8 million related to payments of withholding taxes on net share settlement of equity awards.

The projected use of TripCo's corporate cash will primarily be to pay fees (not expected to exceed approximately \$4 million annually) to Liberty Media Corporation ("Liberty Media") for providing certain services pursuant to the services agreement and the facilities sharing agreement that TripCo entered into with Liberty Media or its subsidiaries, payment of dividends on the Series A Preferred Stock (unless added to the liquidation preference or paid in shares of Series A common stock of TripCo), interest expense on the Debentures, and to pay any other corporate level expenses. Debt service costs accrue on the variable prepaid forward borrowing described in note 5 to the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements. At maturity, the accreted loan amount due under the variable prepaid forward will be approximately \$42 million. A number of options are available to satisfy the liability as discussed above in potential sources of liquidity.

Tripadvisor believes that its available cash and cash equivalents will be sufficient to fund Tripadvisor's foreseeable working capital requirements, capital expenditures, existing business growth initiatives, debt and interest obligations, lease commitments and other financial commitments through at least the next twelve months. Tripadvisor's future capital requirements may also include capital needs for acquisitions, and/or other expenditures in support of its business strategy, and may potentially reduce Tripadvisor's cash balance and/or require Tripadvisor to borrow under its Credit Facility or to seek other financing alternatives.

#### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk

We are exposed to market risk in the normal course of business due to our ongoing investing and financial activities and the conduct of operations by Tripadvisor in different foreign countries. Market risk refers to the risk of loss arising from adverse changes in stock prices, interest rates and foreign currency exchange rates. The risk of loss can be assessed from the perspective of adverse changes in fair values, cash flows and future earnings. We have established policies, procedures and internal processes governing our management of market risks and the use of financial instruments to manage our exposure to such risks.

We are exposed to changes in interest rates primarily as a result of our borrowing and investment activities, which include investments in fixed and floating rate debt instruments and borrowings used to maintain liquidity and to fund business operations. The nature and amount of our long-term and short-term debt are expected to vary as a result of future requirements, market conditions and other factors. We expect to manage our exposure to interest rates by maintaining what we believe is an appropriate mix of fixed and variable rate debt. We believe this best protects us from interest rate risk. We expect to achieve this mix by (i) issuing fixed rate debt that we believe has a low stated interest rate and significant term to maturity, (ii) issuing variable rate debt with appropriate maturities and interest rates, and (iii) entering into interest rate swap arrangements when we deem appropriate. As of March 31, 2022, our debt is comprised of the following amounts:

	Varia	Variable rate debt		Fixed rate debt	
	Principal amount	Weighted avg interest rate	Principal amount	Weighted avg interest rate	
		amount in millions			
Tripadvisor	\$ NA	NA	845	4.2%	
TripCo debt	\$ NA	NA	371	0.6%	

TripCo is exposed to foreign exchange rate fluctuations related primarily to the monetary assets and liabilities and the financial results of Tripadvisor's foreign subsidiaries. Assets and liabilities of foreign subsidiaries for which the functional currency is the local currency are translated into U.S. dollars at period-end exchange rates, and the statements of operations are generally translated at the average exchange rate for the period. Exchange rate fluctuations on translating foreign currency financial statements into U.S. dollars that result in unrealized gains or losses are referred to as translation adjustments. Cumulative translation adjustments are recorded in accumulated other comprehensive earnings (loss) as a separate component of stockholders' equity. Transactions denominated in currencies other than the functional currency are referred based on exchange rates at the time such transactions arise. Subsequent changes in exchange rates result in transaction gains and losses, which are reflected in income as unrealized (based on period-end translations) or realized upon settlement of the transactions. Cash flows from our operations in foreign countries are translated at the average rate for the period. Accordingly, TripCo may experience economic loss and a negative impact on earnings and equity with respect to our holdings solely as a result of foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations.

## Item 4. Controls and Procedures.

In accordance with Rules 13a-15 and 15d-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the Company carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of management, including its chief executive officer and its principal accounting and financial officer (the "Executives"), of the effectiveness of its disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based on that evaluation, the Executives concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of March 31, 2022 to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed in its reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms.

There has been no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the three months ended March 31, 2022 that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, its internal control over financial reporting.

# PART II—OTHER INFORMATION

# Item 1. Legal Proceedings

None.

# Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

No shares of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc. Series A common stock or Series B common stock were surrendered by our officers and employees to pay withholding taxes and other deductions in connection with the vesting or exercise of restricted stock, restricted stock units or options during the three months ended March 31, 2022.

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# Item 6. Exhibits

# (a) Exhibits

Listed below are the exhibits which are filed as a part of this Report (according to the number assigned to them in Item 601 of Regulation S-K):

Exhibit No.	Name
31.1	<u>Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification*</u>
31.2	<u>Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification*</u>
32	Section 1350 Certification**
101.INS	Inline XBRL Instance Document* - The instance document does not appear in the interactive data file because its
	XBRL tags are embedded within the inline XBRL document.
101.SCH	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document*
101.CAL	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Calculation Linkbase Document*
101.LAB	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Label Linkbase Document*
101.PRE	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Presentation Linkbase Document*
101.DEF	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Definition Document*
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101)*

\* Filed herewith

\*\* Furnished herewith

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# SIGNATURES

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

# LIBERTY TRIPADVISOR HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: May 4, 2022

Ву:

By:

/s/ GREGORY B. MAFFEI Gregory B. Maffei Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 4, 2022

/s/ BRIAN J. WENDLING

Brian J. Wendling Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

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# CERTIFICATION

I, Gregory B. Maffei, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this quarterly report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this quarterly report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in this quarterly report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this quarterly report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

 a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this quarterly report is being prepared;

b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this quarterly report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this quarterly report based on such evaluation; and

d) disclosed in this quarterly report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 4, 2022

/s/ GREGORY B. MAFFEI

Gregory B. Maffei Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

# CERTIFICATION

I, Brian J. Wendling, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this quarterly report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this quarterly report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in this quarterly report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this quarterly report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

 a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this quarterly report is being prepared;

b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this quarterly report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this quarterly report based on such evaluation; and

d) disclosed in this quarterly report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 4, 2022

/s/ BRIAN J. WENDLING

Brian J. Wendling Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

# Certification

# Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 1350, Chapter 63 of Title 18, United States Code)

Pursuant to section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (subsections (a) and (b) of section 1350, chapter 63 of title 18, United States Code), each of the undersigned officers of Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), does hereby certify, to such officer's knowledge, that:

The Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2022 (the "Form 10-Q") of the Company fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and information contained in the Form 10-Q fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: May 4, 2022

/s/ GREGORY B. MAFFEI

Gregory B. Maffei Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 4, 2022

/s/ BRIAN J. WENDLING

Brian J. Wendling Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

The foregoing certification is being furnished solely pursuant to section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (subsections (a) and (b) of section 1350, chapter 63 of title 18, United States Code) and is not being filed as part of the Form 10-Q or as a separate disclosure document.