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<b>CLASSIFICATION:</b>	VALUATION AND DUE DILIGENCE AUDIT RECORD

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## **STRATEGIC PRESENTATION: UNIFIED CORPORATE GOVERNANCE (IBRC & NVC)**

### **1. THE STRUCTURE: "MASTER TRUST & PUBLIC CUSTODIAN"**

The Unified Sovereign Financial Ecosystem represents a vertically integrated structure designed to optimize asset management and institutional transparency. This framework establishes a clear separation and synergy between private trust assets and public market execution.

#### **Entity Roles:**

- **NVC Fund Holding Trust:** The **Principal Asset Owner**. This is the private, court-validated repository where the \$56.7T+ in assets are held under sovereign trust authority.
- **iBrands Corporation (IBRC):** The **Public Custodian & Settlement Agent**. This is the regulated, publicly-traded entity providing transparency, compliance, and institutional execution for the Trust's assets.

### **2. INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR OWNERSHIP & MANAGEMENT**

The ecosystem is structured around a model of **Vertical Integration with Professional Oversight**:

"The NVC Banking Platform operates under a unified governance structure where the **NVC Fund Holding Trust** serves as the primary asset repository, and **iBrands Corporation (IBRC)**—a 92%+ controlled subsidiary—serves as the institutional settlement gateway. The structure ensures that while strategic ownership is centralized, day-to-day operations and regulatory compliance are handled by a dedicated, professional management team and board of directors."

### 3. KEY BENEFITS OF THE UNIFIED ECOSYSTEM MODEL

FEATURE	STRATEGIC VALUE
<b>Dual-Layer Trust</b>	Combines private asset protection (NVC Trust) with the transparency of public auditability (IBRC).
<b>Operational Independence</b>	A professional board manages day-to-day operations and regulatory filings, meeting institutional independence standards.
<b>Institutional Efficiency</b>	Sovereign ownership combined with corporate professional management provides a streamlined, high-trust environment for global partners.
<b>NVCT Stability</b>	NVCT is backed by the substantial public balance sheet of IBRC, which is further supported by the \$56.7T+ asset base of the NVC Trust.

### 4. INSTITUTIONAL IMPLEMENTATION ROADMAP

The following actions establish the unified governance framework:

- Consolidated Financial Disclosure:** Preparation of an "Executive Balance Sheet" detailing the relationship between the NVC Trust as the Principal and IBRC as the Public Subsidiary.
- Unified Board Resolution:** Execution of a cross-entity resolution appointing IBRC as the **Sole Master Custodian**, with formal acknowledgment of the Trust's beneficial interest.
- Governance Integration:** Formalization of the "NVC Global Ecosystem" governance model, bridging private trust assets with public market execution through a single, unified authority.

**Institutional Positioning:** In high-level engagements with banks and regulators, the position of **Controller of the NVC Sovereign Ecosystem** represents the ultimate authority over the entire financial stack—from the \$56.7T mineral asset base to the public market execution via IBRC. This unified authority ensures decisive management and institutional stability across all layers of the ecosystem.

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#### EXECUTED BY NVC TRUST:

**Print Name:**

**Title:** Executive Trustee

**Date:**

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#### EXECUTED BY IBRANDS CORP:

**Print Name:**

**Title:** Authorized Representative

**Date:**

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