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Via EDGAR

July 25, 2023

United States Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance Office of Finance Attention: Madeleine Mateo and Tonya Aldave 100 F. Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: NewtekOne, Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed: July 21, 2023 File No. 333-269452

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Rule 461 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, NewtekOne, Inc. (the "<u>Registrant</u>") hereby requests acceleration of effectiveness of the above-referenced Registration Statement on Form S-3 so that it will become effective as of 5:00 p.m. EST on July 27, 2023, or as soon as thereafter practicable.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (212) 356-9500 or bsloane@newtekone.com with any questions you may have concerning this request. In addition, please notify me when this request for acceleration has been granted.

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Very truly yours,

<u>/s/ Barry Sloane</u> Barry Sloane Chief Executive Officer, President and Chairman of the Board

cc: Michael A. Schwartz, Chief Legal Officer Jared M. Fishman, Sullivan & Cromwell LLP

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