## **Simple Summary**

Compensate contributor for risk analysis conducted during market volatility.

## **Motivation**

On November 12, 2022, Aave contributors, including members from BGD and Gauntlet, received a message through the security email box indicating a potential risk on the REN asset. The analysis included commentary on the liquidity and manipulation risk of REN. Although this analysis did not impact the analysis of the risk contributors or proposed actions, it is well appreciated that this individual followed the standard procedures to communicate through the proper Aave channels instead of posting potentially sensitive information on Twitter or otherwise.

We hope that individuals continue to use the proper channels to communicate bugs. The community should consider rewarding this individual. As such, Gauntlet will publish a Snapshot vote requesting the Aave Grants DAO to compensate this individual 20 AAVE tokens to the address 0xF7D9c506968bFb273eF1e9183d1A94d5a7Fe9371

(contingent on Aave Grants DAO renewal AIP passing).

## **Next Steps**

• Initiate Snapshot vote, targeting 1/19/2023. If approved via Snapshot, Aave Grants DAO to take care of the payment, given the relatively low amount, to reduce on-chain governance overhead.