

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re PLATINUM-BEECHWOOD LITIGATION : 18-cv-6658 (JSR)
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MELANIE L. CYGANOWSKI, as Equity :
Receiver for PLATINUM PARTNERS :
CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES MASTER FUND :
LP, PLATINUM PARTNERS CREDIT : 18-cv-12018 (JSR)
OPPORTUNITIES FUND (TE) LLC, :
PLATINUM PARTNERS CREDIT :
OPPORTUNITIES FUND LLC, PLATINUM :
PARTNERS CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES FUND :
INTERNATIONAL LTD., PLATINUM :
PARTNERS CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES FUND :
INTERNATIONAL (A) LTD., and :
PLATINUM PARTNERS CREDIT :
OPPORTUNITIES FUND (BL) LLC, :

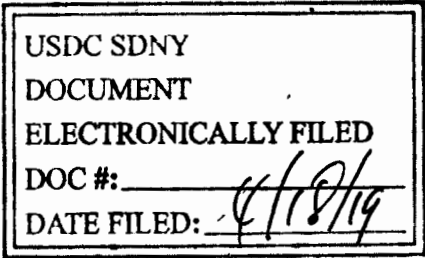
ORDER

Plaintiff,

-v-

BEECHWOOD RE LTD., et al.,

Defendants.



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JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.

On December 19, 2018, plaintiff Melanie L. Cyganowski, as Equity Receiver for Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Master Fund LP, Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Fund (TE) LLC, Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Fund LLC, Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Fund International Ltd., Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Fund International (A) Ltd., and Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Fund (BL) LLC, filed a multi-count Complaint against numerous defendants. ECF No. 1. On March 27, 2019, defendants Bankers Conseco Life Insurance

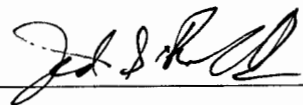
Company and Washington National Insurance Company filed an Answer, Cross-Claims and Third-Party Complaint ("TPC"). ECF No. 75. On March 29, 2019, plaintiff filed a First Amended Complaint ("FAC"). ECF No. 81.

On April 12 and April 15, 2019, the Court held telephone conferences with the parties in the above-captioned case to set a schedule to answer or move to dismiss the TPC or the FAC. Although the parties requested that the Court set separate schedules for the TPC and the FAC, the Court has decided to set a single schedule for both. Pursuant to this schedule, the deadline to answer or move to dismiss the TPC or the FAC is May 15, 2019. Opposition papers to any motions to dismiss must be filed by June 12, 2019, and reply papers must be filed by June 26, 2019. The Court will then hold oral argument on motions to dismiss the TPC and the FAC on July 1, 2019 at 10:00 AM.

In addition, per the parties' request, the deadline for the joinder of additional parties in this case (but not in the other consolidated cases) is extended to May 15, 2019.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: New York, NY
April 17, 2019



JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.