

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

PLATINUM MANAGEMENT (NY) LLC;  
PLATINUM CREDIT MANAGEMENT, L.P.;  
MARK NORDLICHT; DAVID LEVY;  
DANIEL SMALL;  
URI LANDESMAN;  
JOSEPH MANN;  
JOSEPH SANFILIPPO; and  
JEFFREY SHULSE;

Defendants.

Civil Case No. 16-6848 (DLI)(VMS)

ECF CASE

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that Craig Smyser of Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, L.L.P., who by Order of January 10, 2017 was granted leave to appear pro hac vice in this matter, hereby enters his appearance as counsel to Richard Schmidt, Black Elk Litigation Trustee (“Trustee”), in his capacity as subject of the Securities and Exchange Commission’s and Receiver’s Joint Emergency Motion for An Order To Show Cause and Temporary Restraining Order.

Dated: January 12, 2017  
Houston, Texas

Respectfully submitted,

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