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# United States District Court for the Southern District of New York Related Case Statement

### Full Caption of Later Filed Case:

Melanie L. Cyganowski, as Receiver for Platinum Partners Credit Opportunities Master Fund LP, et. al.

Plaintiff

vs.

Bermuda Re LTD., et al.

Defendant

#### Full Caption of Earlier Filed Case:

(including in bankruptcy appeals the relevant adversary proceeding)

Martin Trott and Christopher Smith, as Joint Official Liquidators and Foreign Representatives of Platinum Partners Value Arbitrage Fund LP (in Official Liquidation) and Platinum Partners Value Arbitrage Fund LP (in Official Liquidation)	f
Plaintiff	Case Number
VS.	18-cv-10936-JSR
Platinum Management (NY) LLC, et al.	
Defendant	1

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(If so, set forth procedural status and summarize any court rulings.)

On November 11, 2018, Trott filed its Complaint against Platinum Management (NY) LLC and the Beechwood defendants (the "PPVA Action"). On November 28, 2018, the case was reassigned to Judge Rakoff as related to Senior Health Insurance Company of Pennsylvania v. Beechwood Re Ltd., et al, Case No. 18-cv-06658. The initial conference for the PPVA Action was set for December 19, 2018 at 11 am.

Explain in detail the reasons for your position that the newly filed case is related to the earlier filed case.

The present case and the PPVA Action are related because the Beechwood defendants named in the PPVA Action are also Defendants in the present case. Many of the same material facts and transactions are the focus of both complaints, and in both cases, plaintiffs assert claims for breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, and RICO. In the present case, Plaintiffs allege that the PPVA plaintiffs were willing participants in the illicit relationship between the Platinum and Beechwood enterprises.

Accordingly, the Plaintiffs respectfully submit that these cases should be treated as related pursuant to S.D.N.Y. Local Civil Rule 13.

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On July 24, 2018, Senior Health Insurance Company of Pennsylvania ("SHIP") filed its complaint against the Beechwood defendants. On September 24, 2018, Defendant David Levy filed an answer to the complaint. On October 15, 2018, the remaining Defendants filed a motion to dismiss the complaint. On December 7th, Judge Rakoff issued an order granting in part and denying in part the Defendants' motion to dismiss.

On December 11th, Judge Rakoff issued an order postponing Levy's discovery obligations. SHIP filed a First Amended Complaint on December 14th.

Explain in detail the reasons for your position that the newly filed case is related to the earlier filed case.

The present case and the SHIP Action are related because the Beechwood defendants named in the SHIP Action are also Defendants in the present case. Many of the same material facts and transactions are the focus of both complaints, and in both cases, plaintiffs assert claims for breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, and RICO. In the present case, Plaintiffs allege that the SHIP plaintiffs were willing participants in the illicit relationship between the Platinum and Beechwood enterprises.

Accordingly, the Plaintiffs respectfully submit that these cases should be treated as related pursuant to S.D.N.Y. Local Civil Rule 13.

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