

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION
CORPORATION,

Plaintiff,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT
SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Substantively
Consolidated SIPA Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff
Investment Securities LLC and the Chapter 7 Estate of
Bernard L. Madoff,

Plaintiff,

v.

NATIXIS FINANCIAL PRODUCTS LLC and
BLOOM ASSET HOLDINGS FUND,

Defendants.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (LGB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 23-01017 (LGB)

ORDER ISSUING LETTER ROGATORY

Upon the motion (the “Motion”), dated April 15, 2026, brought by Irving H. Picard, as trustee (the “Trustee”) for the liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC, under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78aaa–III, substantively consolidated with the chapter 7 estate of Bernard L. Madoff, seeking entry of an order (the “Order”) issuing a Letter Rogatory (as defined in the Motion) to be transmitted, via the appropriate channels, to the Registrar of the Supreme Court in Hamilton, Bermuda, in connection with the documents being sought from Jill Virgil-Smith, General Counsel at HSBC Bank Bermuda Limited f/k/a Bank of Bermuda Limited; and it appearing that due and sufficient notice of the Motion has been given under the

circumstances; and it further appearing that the relief sought in the Motion is appropriate based upon the information provided in the Motion and in the record; and it further appearing that this Court has jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(a) and 1334(b); and after due deliberation; and sufficient cause appearing therefore; it is hereby

ORDERED that the Motion is granted; and it is further

ORDERED that the Letter Rogatory, in the form submitted with the Motion, shall be signed and sealed by the Court for transmission to the appropriate judicial authority in Bermuda so that valid service of process may be effectuated upon Jill Virgil-Smith, General Counsel at HSBC Bank Bermuda Limited.

DATED: April 28, 2026
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

/s/ Lisa G. Beckerman
HONORABLE LISA G. BECKERMAN
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE