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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

JUDGE

In re:

MF GLOBAL HOLDINGS LTD, et al.,

Debtors.

MF GLOBAL HOLDINGS LTD., as Plan Administrator; and MF GLOBAL ASSIGNED ASSETS LLC.

Plaintiffs/Appellees,

ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE COMPANY LTD., et al.,

Defendants/Appellants.

Chapter 11 Case No. 11-15059 (MG) (Jointly Administered)

Case No. 1:17-cv-00933-RWS Case No. 1:17-cv-00953-RWS

Adv. Proc. No. 16-01251 (MG)

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## STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned counsel for plaintiffs/appellees MF Global Holdings Ltd., as Plan Administrator, and MF Global Assigned Assets LLC ("MF GLOBAL") and defendants/appellants Allied World Assurance Company Ltd, Iron-Starr Excess Agency Ltd., Ironshore Insurance Ltd. and Starr Insurance & Reinsurance Limited (collectively, the "BERMUDA INSURERS"), that:

 MF GLOBAL and the BERMUDA INSURERS shall abide by the following deadlines in briefing the issue of appealability, specifically, whether the BERMUDA INSURERS'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The debtors in the chapter 11 cases are MF Global Holdings Ltd.; MF Global Finance USA Inc.; MF Global Capital LLC; MF Global Market Services LLC; MF Global FX Clear LLC; and MF Global Holdings USA Inc. The Bankruptcy Court entered an order of final decree closing the chapter 11 cases of MF Global Capital LLC, MF Global FX Clear LLC, and MF Global Market Services LLC on February 11, 2016.

appeals are as of right or, alternatively, whether the District Court should grant them leave to appeal:

- a. The BERMUDA INSURERS' opening briefs on appealability shall be due
   March 21, 2017.
- b. MF GLOBAL's opposition briefs on appealability shall be due April 4, 2017.
- c. The BERMUDA INSURERS' reply briefs on appealability shall be due April 11,
   2017.
- The hearing currently scheduled for March 23, 2017 shall be removed from the docket, and a new hearing scheduled at the Court's convenience for any date after briefing is completed on April 11, 2017.
- MF GLOBAL shall file its counter-designations of the record within one (1) business day
  from the entry of any order by the Court determining that the appeal should proceed to
  the merits stage.

Dated: March 7, 2017

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SO ORDERED:

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United States District Judge