UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL COMBINED UNIFORM SINGLE REPORT) PART II $\boxed{11}$

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BROKER OR DEALER		
LICEC CECLIPITIES (LICA) INC	as of	12/31/18
HSBC SECURITIES (USA) INC.		

STATEMENT OF SEGREGATION REQUIREMENTS AND FUNDS IN SEGREGATION FOR CUSTOMERS TRADING ON U.S. COMMODITY EXCHANGES

SEGREGATION REQUIREMENTS (Section 4d(2) of the CEACT)				
1. Net ledger balance				
A. Cash		\$	481,921,205	7010
B. Securities (at market)		_	1,493,716,880	7020
2. Net unrealized profit (loss) in open futures contracts traded on a contract market		_	(79,988,390)	7030
3. Exchange traded options		_	· · · · ·	
A. Add market value of open option contracts purchased on a contract market		_	301,256,983	7032
B. Deduct market value of open option contracts granted (sold) on a contract market		(84,168,226	$\overline{}$
4. Net equity (deficit) (add lines 1, 2, and 3)		-	2,112,738,452	7040
5. Accounts liquidating to a deficit and accounts with debit balances				
- gross amount	18,345,896	7045		
Less: amount offset by customer owned securities (18,345,896	7047	0	7050
6. Amount required to be segregated (add lines 4 and 5)		\$_	2,112,738,452	7060
FUNDS IN SEGREGATED ACCOUNTS				
7. Deposited in segregated funds bank accounts				
A. Cash			27,657,234	7070
B. Securities representing investments of customers' funds (at market)		-	124,135,894	
C. Securities held for particular customers or option customers in lieu of cash (at market)		_	318,033,475	$\overline{}$
8. Margins on deposit with derivatives clearing organizations of contract markets		·		
A. Cash		\$	22,671,426	7100
B. Securities representing investments of customers' funds (at market)		_	317,975,496	
C. Securities held for particular customers or option customers in lieu of cash (at market)		·	1,070,778,086	7120
9. Net settlement from (to) derivatives clearing organizations of contract markets		_	12,420,273	
10. Exchange traded options				
A. Value of open long option contracts		_	301,256,983	7132
B. Value of open short option contracts		(84,168,226	7133
11. Net equities with other FCMs				
A. Net liquidating equity		_	16,983,896	7140
B. Securities representing investments of customers' funds (at market)		_		7160
C. Securities held for particular customers or option customers in lieu of cash (at market)		_		7170
12. Segregated funds on hand (describe:) _	104,905,320	7150
13. Total amount in segregation (add lines 7 through 12)		-	2,232,649,857	7180
14. Excess (deficiency) funds in segregation (subtract line 6 from line 13)		\$_	119,911,405	7190
15. Management Target Amount for Excess funds in segregation		\$	109,000,000	
16. Excess (deficiency) funds in segregation over (under) Management Target Amount Exces	SS	\$	10,911,405	7198

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HSBC SECURITIES (USA) INC.	_	

STATEMENT OF SEGREGATION REQUIREMENTS AND FUNDS IN SEGREGATION FOR CUSTOMERS' DEALER OPTIONS ACCOUNTS

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. Amount required to be segregated in accord with Commission regulation 32.6	lance	\$	7200
Funds in segregated accounts		<u> </u>	
A. Cash	\$	7210	
B. Securities (at market) C. Total		7220	7230
. Excess (deficiency) funds in segregation			
(subtract line 2.C from line 1)		\$	7240

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STATEMENT OF SECURED AMOUNTS AND FUNDS HELD IN SEPARATE ACCOUNTS PURSUANT TO COMMISSION REGULATION 30.7

FOREIGN FUTURES AND FOREIGN OPTIONS SECURED AMOUNTS			
Amount required to be set aside pursuant to law, rule or regulation of a foreign or a rule of a self-regulatory organization authorized thereunder	gn government	\$_	0 7305
Net ledger balance - Foreign Futures and Foreign Option Trading - All Cust A. Cash B. Securities (at market)	tomers	\$_	49,345,444 7315 65,218,048 7317
2. Net unrealized profit (loss) in open futures contracts traded on a foreign	board of trade	-	2,698,259 7325
Exchange traded options A. Market value of open option contracts purchased on a foreign board of trade B. Market value of open contracts granted (sold) on a foreign board of trade		-	0 7335 0 7337
4. Net equity (deficit) (add lines 1. 2. and 3.)		\$_	117,261,751 7345
5. Accounts liquidating to a deficit and accounts with debit balances - gross amount Less: amount offset by customer owned securities	\$ 598,429 7351 (597,183) 7352		1,246 7354
6. Amount required to be set aside as the secured amount - Net Liquidating		\$ ₋	117,262,997 7355
7. Greater of amount required to be set aside pursuant to foreign jurisdiction	(above) or line 6.	\$	117,262,997 7360

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STATEMENT OF SECURED AMOUNTS AND FUNDS HELD IN SEPARATE ACCOUNTS PURSUANT TO COMMISSION REGULATION 30.7

FUNDS DEPOSITED IN SEPARATE REGULATION 30.7 ACCOUNTS		
1. Cash in banks		
A. Banks located in the United States	\$ 23,398,334 7500	
B. Other banks qualified under Regulation 30.7		
Name(s): HARRIS TRUST 7510	0 7520	\$ 23,398,334 7530
2. Securities		
A. In safekeeping with banks located in the United States	\$ 28,817,573 7540	
B. In safekeeping with other banks qualified under Regulation 30.7		
Name(s): HARRIS TRUST 7550	39,967,616 7560	68,785,189 7570
3. Equities with registered futures commission merchants		
A. Cash	\$ ₀ 7580	
B. Securities	0 7590	
C. Unrealized gain (loss) on open futures contracts	₀ 7600	
D. Value of long option contracts	₀ 7610	
E. Value of short option contracts	(0) 7615	0 7620
4. Amounts held by clearing organizations of foreign boards of trade Name(s): [7630]		
A. Cash	\$ 7640	
B. Securities	7650	
C. Amount due to (from) clearing organizations - daily variation	7660	
D. Value of long option contracts	7670	
E. Value of short option contracts	()7675	7680
5. Amounts held by members of foreign boards of trade Name(s): 7690		
A. Cash	\$	
B. Securities	36,400,475 7710	
C. Unrealized gain (loss) on open futures contracts	2,698,259 7720	
D. Value of long option contracts	0 7730	
E. Value of short option contracts	(60,603,791 7740
6. Amounts with other depositories designated by a foreign board of trade Name(s): 7750		0 7760
7. Segregated funds on hand (describe:)	0 7765
8. Total funds in separate section 30.7 accounts		\$ 152,787,314 7770
Excess (deficiency) set Aside Funds for Secured Amount (subtract Line 7)	Secured	
Statement page T10-3 from Line 8)		\$35,524,317 7380
10. Management Target Amount for Excess funds in separate section 30.7 a	accounts	\$ 25,000,000 7780
11. Excess (deficiency) funds in separate 30.7 accounts over (under) Manag	gement Target	\$ 10,524,317 7785

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STATEMENT OF CLEARED SWAPS CUSTOMER SEGREGATION REQUIREMENTS AND FUNDS IN CLEARED SWAPS CUSTOMER ACCOUNTS UNDER 4D(F) OF THE CEA

Cleared Swaps Customer Requirements		
1. Net ledger balance		
A. Cash	\$	(169,071,777) 8500
B. Securities (at market)		506,277,826 8510
2. Net unrealized profit (loss) in open cleared swaps		568,666,882
3. Cleared swaps options		
A. Market value of open cleared swaps option contracts purchased		0 8530
B. Market value of open cleared swaps option contracts granted (sold)	(<u>0</u>) <u>8540</u>
4. Net equity (deficit) (add lines 1, 2, and 3)	\$	905,872,931 8550
5. Accounts liquidating to a deficit and accounts with		
debit balances - gross amount \$		
Less: amount offset by customer owned securities (13,443,749) 8570		0 8580
6. Amount required to be segregated for cleared swaps customers (add lines 4 and 5)	\$	905,872,931 8590
Funds in Cleared Swaps Customer Segregated Accounts		
7. Deposited in cleared swaps customer segregated accounts at banks		
A. Cash	\$	26,192,910 8600
B. Securities representing investments of cleared swaps customers' funds (at market)		0 8610
C. Securities held for particular cleared swaps customers in lieu of cash (at market)		1,177,370 8620
8. Margins on deposit with derivatives clearing organizations in cleared swaps customer segregated accounts		
A. Cash		122,918,809
B. Securities representing investments of cleared swaps customers' funds (at market)		371,751,466
C. Securities held for particular cleared swaps customers in lieu of cash (at market)		505,100,456
9. Net settlement from (to) derivatives clearing organizations		(25,061,068) 8660
10. Cleared swaps options		
A. Value of open cleared swaps long option contracts		0 8670
B. Value of open cleared swaps short option contracts	(<u>0</u>) <u>8680</u>
11. Net equities with other FCMs		
A. Net liquidating equity		0 8690
B. Securities representing investments of cleared swaps customers' funds (at market)		0 8700
C. Securities held for particular cleared swaps customers in lieu of cash (at market)		0 8710
12. Cleared swaps customer funds on hand (describe:)		<u>0</u> 8715
13. Total amount in cleared swaps customer segregation (add lines 7 through 12)	\$	1,002,079,943 8720
14. Excess (deficiency) funds in cleared swaps customer segregation (subtract line 6 from line 13)	\$	96,207,012 8730
15. Management Target Amount for Excess funds in cleared swaps segregated accounts	\$	83,000,000 8760
16. Excess (deficiency) funds in cleared swaps customer segregated accounts over		
(under) Management Target Excess	\$	13,207,012 8770

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COMPUTATION OF CFTC MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT			
Net Capital required			
A. Risk-Based Requirement			
i. Amount of Customer Risk			
Maintenance Margin requirement	2,549,706,279 7415		
ii. Enter 8% of line A.i		203,976,502	25
iii. Amount of Non-Customer Risk			
Maintenance Margin requirement	973,772,881 7435		
iv. Enter 8% of line A.iii		77,901,830	45
v. Add lines A.ii and A.iv.	-	281,878,332	55
B. Minimum Dollar Amount Requirement	_	1,000,000 746	65

D. Minimum CFTC Net Capital Requirement. Enter the greatest of lines A, B or C

281,878,332 7490

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Note:

If amount on Line D (7490) is greater than minimum net capital requirement computed on Line 3760 (Page 6) then enter this greater amount on Line 3760. The greater of the amount required by SEC or CFTC is the minimum net capital requirement.

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C. Other NFA Requirement

310,066,165 7495

Note: If the Minimum

If the Minimum Net Capital Requirement computed on Line D (7490) is:

- (1) Risk Based Requirement, enter 110% of Line A (7455), or
- (2) Minimum Dollar Requirement of \$1,000,000 enter 150% of Line B (7465), or
- (3) Minimum Dollar Requirement of \$20,000,000 for FCMs offering or engaging in retail forex transactions or Retail Foreign Exchange Dealers ("RFED"), enter 110% of Line B (7465), or
- (4) Other NFA Requirement of \$20,000,000 plus five percent of the FCM's offering or engaging in retail forex transactions or Retail Foreign Exchange Dealers ("RFED") total retail forex obligations in excess of \$10,000,000 enter 110% of Line C (7475), or
- (5) Other NFA Requirement, enter 150% of Line C (7475).