



LEONARD CURTIS
BUSINESS RESCUE & RECOVERY

SVS SECURITIES PLC
(IN SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION)
("THE COMPANY")

URGENT NOTICE TO ALL CLIENTS AND CREDITORS
19 FEBRUARY 2020

FRAUDULENT COMMUNICATION WARNING

The Joint Special Administrators have been made aware that some clients may have received unauthorised and fraudulent correspondence (including emails) from claims management companies and asset recovery companies advising clients of the Company to make a bank transfer in order to secure the early release of client money from their SVS Securities account.

IF YOU RECEIVE SUCH A MESSAGE, YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED NOT TO TAKE ANY ACTION OR ENGAGE WITH THE SENDER. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT FOR CLIENTS TO MAKE A BANK TRANSFER TO A THIRD PARTY IN ORDER TO SECURE THE RELEASE OF ASSETS OR MONEY HELD IN THEIR ACCOUNT.

The appropriate authorities have been contacted and further action is being taken in respect of any parties identified as sending fraudulent communications to clients of the Company.

We encourage you to remain vigilant and to exercise caution when dealing with correspondence regarding the Special Administration. If you are in any doubt regarding the authenticity of any correspondence you may receive, please do not hesitate to contact the Joint Special Administrators on 0203 457 4871 or by email at svs@leonardcurtis.co.uk.

Support is available to all clients and further information on the Special Administration should be sought in the first instance from www.leonardcurtis.co.uk/svs.

Further information can also be found at <https://www.fca.org.uk/consumers/protect-yourself-scams>.

If you have lost money as a result of a scam, you should contact Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or visit www.actionfraud.police.uk.

Andrew Poxon, Julien Irving and Alex Cadwallader were appointed as Joint Special Administrators of SVS Securities PLC on 5 August 2019. The affairs, business and property of SVS Securities PLC are being managed by the Joint Special Administrators who act as agents of the Company, without personal liability. Julien Irving, Andrew Poxon and Alex Cadwallader are authorised to act as insolvency practitioners by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales. SVS Securities PLC is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. FCA reference number 220929. Registered in England No. 04402606. Registered Office: Riverside House, Irwell Street, Manchester M3 5EN.