UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
IN RE: HOLOCAUST VICTIM ASSETS LITIGATION	X : : :	Case No. CV 96-4849 (ERK)(MDG) (Consolidated with CV 96-5161 and CV 97-461)
This Document Relates to: All Cases		ORDER
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KORMAN, Chief Judge:

Upon consideration of the recommendation and request of Special Masters Paul Volcker and Michael Bradfield for amendments to the Rules Governing the Claims Resolution Process (the "Rules") concerning: (1) the use of the average 1945 account values for accounts with low values and the use of other plausible evidence for determining account values; (2) the permissibility of awards to sons- and daughters-in-law and other distant relatives; and (3) full payments of awards with respect to accounts with known values; and

Based on Article 49 of the Rules, which provides that the Rules may be amended by Special Masters with the approval of the Court, it is hereby

ORDERED that the attached amendments to the Rules are hereby approved.

Dated: Brooklyn, New York May 25, 2002

SO ORDERED:

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Edward R. Korman United States District Judge

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