

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

CRIMINALNO. 3:18-CR-0088-CWR-LRA

ARTHUR LAMAR ADAMS

**ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL MASTER**

This matter is before the Court on the unopposed motion of the Government to appoint the Receiver in *Securities and Exchange Commission v. Arthur Lamar Adams and Madison Timber Properties, LLC*, Case No. 3:18-CV-252-CWR-FKB (“the SEC Action”) as a Special Master in this action pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3664(d)(6). Docket No. 23. For the reasons stated in the joint motion, and for good cause found, the motion is GRANTED.

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED, that Allyson L. Mills be appointed Special Master in the instant action to submit proposed findings of fact and recommendations to the Court and to otherwise serve as directed below;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Special Master fashion a proposed restitution order and recommend findings to the Court on the following issues: (a) which entities and individuals are properly considered “victims” pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663A(a)(2); (b) the proper amount of restitution owed to each victim pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3663A(b) and 3664(e); and (c) an appropriate payment schedule pursuant to, among other sections, 18 U.S.C. § 3664(i); as well as other issues that may arise under 18 U.S.C. §§ 3663, 3663A, or 3664, and as may be ordered by the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Special Master notify identified victims as required by 18 U.S.C. §§ 3771(b)(1) and 3771(c)(1);

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Special Master recover and/or receive and distribute all restitution monies in this matter alongside or in accordance with the receipt and distribution of funds in the SEC Action in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, and further be reimbursed for costs and expenses, as allowed and defined in the order appointing the Receiver in the SEC Action.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Special Master's responsibilities and powers under this Order are intended to complement and work in harmony with the responsibilities and powers of the Receiver in the SEC Action in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi.

DATED: 11/26/18

s/ Carlton W. Reeves  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE