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Fill in this information to identify the case:	
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:	
District of New Jersey (State)	
Case number (If known):	Chapter <u>11</u>

Official Form 201

Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1.	Debtor's name	BlockFi Lending LLC) 				
2.	All other names debtor used in the last 8 years Include any assumed names, trade names, and doing business as names	N/A					
3.	Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)	6 1 - 1 8 6 5	0 1	7			
4.	Debtor's address	Principal place of business			Mailing address, if d of business	lifferent from p	rincipal place
		201 Montgomery Street, Su Number Street	uite 263		Number Street		
		Jersey City	NJ	07302	P.O. Box		
		City	State	ZIP Code	City	State	ZIP Code
		Hudson			Location of principa principal place of bu	al assets, if diffeusiness	erent from
		County			Number Street		
					City	State	ZIP Code
5.	Debtor's website (URL)	www.blockfi.com					

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Debt	or BlockFi Lending LLC	Case number (if known)				
6.	Type of debtor	Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)) Partnership (excluding LLP) Other. Specify:				
7.	Describe debtor's business	A. Check one: Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A)) Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B)) Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44)) Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A)) Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6)) Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))				
		 B. Check all that apply: □ Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. § 501) □ Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80a-3) □ Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80b-2(a)(11)) 				
		C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor. See http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes . 5239_				
8.	Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?	Chapter 7 ☐ Chapter 9 ☐ Chapter 11. Check all that apply: ☐ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D), and its aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$3,024,725. If this sub-box is selected, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B). ☐ The debtor is a debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 1182(1), its aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$7,500,000, and it chooses to proceed under Subchapter V of Chapter 11. If this sub-box is selected, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return, or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).				
		 ☑ A plan is being filed with this petition. ☐ Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b). ☐ The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the Attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11 (Official Form 201A) with this form. ☐ The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 				
		12b-2.				

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Debto	BlockFi Lending LLC Name					Case number (if know	n)	
9.	Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years? If more than 2 cases, attach a separate list.	ĭ No ☐ Yes.				MM / DD / YYYY		
10.	Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor? List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list.	☐ No M Yes.	Debtor District Case nu	Name Invance			When	Affiliate 11/28/2022 MM / DD / YYYY
11.	Why is the case filed in this district?	Debt imme distri	ediately p ict.	ad its domicile, princi preceding the date of	this petition	or for a longer pa	art of such 18	n this district for 180 days 0 days than in any other ip is pending in this district.
	Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?		Why doe It pos Wha It nee It inc atter asse	es the property nee ses or is alleged to p t is the hazard? eds to be physically s cludes perishable goo ntion (for example, liv tts or other options).	d immediate ose a threate secured or pods or asset estock, sea	te attention? (Characteristics) to fimminent and corotected from the sthat could quickly sonal goods, mea	eck all that app identifiable hat weather. ly deteriorate t, dairy, produ	or lose value without uce, or securities-related
			☐ No	Insurance agency Contact name Phone			_	

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Debtor	BlockFi Lending LLC		Case nui	mber (if known)	
	or's estimation of able funds		for distribution to unsecured cree expenses are paid, no funds		ution to unsecured creditors.
14. Estin credi		☐ 1-49 ☐ 50-99 ☐ 100-199 ☐ 200-999	☐ 1,000-5,000 ☐ 5,001-10,000 ☐ 10,001-25,000	☐ 25,001- ☐ 50,001- ☐ More th	
15. Estin	nated assets _{dated}	\$0-\$50,000 \$50,001-\$100,000 \$100,001-\$500,000 \$500,001-\$1 million	\$1,000,001-\$10 million \$10,000,001-\$50 million \$50,000,001-\$100 million \$100,000,001-\$500 m	on \(\simeq \) \$1,000, lion \(\simeq \) \$10,000	00,001-\$1 billion 000,001-\$10 billion 0,000,001-\$50 billion an \$50 billion
16. Estin	nated liabilities _{dated}	□ \$0-\$50,000 □ \$50,001-\$100,000 □ \$100,001-\$500,000 □ \$500,001-\$1 million	\$1,000,001-\$10 million \$10,000,001-\$50 million \$50,000,001-\$100 million \$100,000,001-\$500 m	on \Bara \$1,000, lion \Bara \$10,000	00,001-\$1 billion 000,001-\$10 billion 0,000,001-\$50 billion an \$50 billion
17. Decla	Request for Relief, Decl G Bankruptcy fraud is a seri \$500,000 or imprisonmen aration and signature of orized representative of	ous crime. Making a false s t for up to 20 years, or both. The debtor requests re		9, and 3571.	
debto			to file this petition on behalf o		at the information is true and
			perjury that the foregoing is true //2022 / YYYYY	e and correct. Zachary Prince	
		Signature of authorized report Title President	presentative of debtor	Printed name	

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Debtor	Name BIOCKFI LENGING LLC		Case n	umber (if known))		
18. Sign	nature of attorney	/s/ Michael D. Sirota /s/ Richard S. Kanowitz Signature of attorney for debtor		Date	11 / 28 / 2022 MM / DD / YYYY		
		Michael D. Sirota	Richard S. Kanowitz	<u>z</u>			
		Printed name Cole Schotz P.C.	Haynes and Boone	LLP			
		Firm name 25 Main Street	30 Rockefeller Plaz	a, 26th Flo	oor, New York, NY 10112		
		Number Street Hackensack		NJ	07601		
		City (201) 489-3000		State msi	zIP Code rota@coleschotz.com richard.kanowitz@haynesboone.com		
		Contact phone		Emai	il address		
		014321986 (Sirota)	; 047911992 (Kanowi	nowitz) New Jersey			
		Bar number		State			

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Pending Bankruptcy Cases Filed by the Debtor and Affiliates of the Debtor

On the date hereof, each of the entities listed below (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") filed a petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code. The Debtors have moved for joint administration of these cases under the case number assigned to the chapter 11 case of BlockFi Inc.

BlockFi Inc.

BlockFi Trading LLC

BlockFi Lending LLC

BlockFi Wallet LLC

BlockFi Ventures LLC

BlockFi International Ltd.

BlockFi Investment Products LLC

BlockFi Services, Inc.

BlockFi Lending II LLC

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Fill in this information to identify the case and this filing:	
Debtor Name BlockFi Lending LLC	
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:	New Jersey
Case number (If known): 22-	(State)

Official Form 202

Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors

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An individual who is authorized to act on behalf of a non-individual debtor, such as a corporation or partnership, must sign and submit this form for the schedules of assets and liabilities, any other document that requires a declaration that is not included in the document, and any amendments of those documents. This form must state the individual's position or relationship to the debtor, the identity of the document, and the date. Bankruptcy Rules 1008 and 9011.

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Declaration and signature

I am the president, another officer, or an authorized agent of the corporation; a member or an authorized agent of the partnership; or another individual serving as a representative of the debtor in this case.

I have examined the information in the documents checked below and I have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct:

	Schedule A/B: Assets–Real and Personal Property (Official Form 206A/B)							
	Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 206D)							
	Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 206E/F)							
	Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases (Official Form 206G)							
	Schedule H: Codebtors (Official Form 206H)							
	Summary of Assets and Liabilities for Non-Individuals (Official Form 206Sum)							
	Amended Schedule							
M	Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders (Official Form 204)							
Ø	Other document that requires a declaration List of Equity Security Holders and Statement of Corporate Ownership							
	I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 11/28/2022							
	MM / DD / YYYY Signature of individual signing on behalf of debtor							
	Zachary Prince Printed name							
	President							
	Decition or relationship to debter							

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Fill in this information to identify the case:	
Debtor name: BlockFi Inc., et al.	\Box Check if this is an amended filing
United States Bankruptcy Court for the: District of New Jersey	
Case number (if known):	

Official Form 204

Chapter 11 or Chapter 9: List of Creditors Who Have the 50 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders

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A list of creditors holding the 50 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an insider, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 50 largest unsecured claims.

Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code		address of creditor contact	(for example, trade debts, claim is bank loans, professional services, and government unliquidated, amount and de		amount. If claim is I	y unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim s partially secured, fill in total claim action for value of collateral or setoff to		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured Claim	
1	Ankura Trust Company, LLC, as Trustee for the Indenture dated as of February 28, 2022 James J. McGinley 140 Sherman Street, 4th Floor Fairfield, CT 06824	Ankura Trust Company, LLC, as Trustee for the Indenture dated as of February 28, 2022 James J. McGinley PHONE: 203-319-6900 EMAIL: james.mcginley@ankura.com	Indenture				\$729,036,246.00	
2	West Realm Shires Inc. (FTX US) John J. Ray III 3500 South Dupont Highway Dover, DE 19901	West Realm Shires Inc. (FTX US) John J. Ray III	Loan				\$275,000,000.00	
3	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$48,561,400.00	
4	Securities & Exchange Commission Hane Kim Brookfield Place 200 Vesey Street, Suite 400 New York, NY 10281-1022	Securities & Exchange Commission Hane Kim PHONE: 212-336-1088 EMAIL: kimha@SEC.GOV	Settlement				\$30,000,000.00	
5	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$27,930,663.00	
6	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$25,531,937.00	
7	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$16,450,930.00	
8	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$10,092,477.00	
9	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$9,130,266.00	
10	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$6,500,000.00	

¹ As of the Petition Date, an analysis of whether the foregoing claims are contingent, unliquidated or disputed has not been completed

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Debto	Document Page 9 of 20 Case number (if known)							
Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code		Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government	Indicate if claim is contingent,	Amount of unsecured claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unse amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in tot amount and deduction for value of collateral calculate unsecured claim.		total claim	
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured Claim	
11	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$6,416,732.00	
12	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$6,264,675.00	
13	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$6,042,827.00	
14	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$5,713,322.00	
15	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$5,500,232.00	
16	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$5,482,181.00	
17	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$5,000,000.00	
18	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$4,670,469.00	
19	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$3,995,213.00	
20	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$3,290,438.00	
21	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$3,290,186.00	
22	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$3,092,832.00	
23	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$3,084,390.00	

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Case number (if known)

Name of creditor and complete mailing Name, telephone number, and email Nature of the claim Amount of unsecured claim address, including zip code address of creditor contact (for example, trade debts, If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim bank loans, professional contingent, amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim services, and government unliquidated, amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim. contracts) or disputed 1 Deduction for value Total claim, if of collateral or **Unsecured Claim** partially secured setoff Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,733,625,00 24 25 Name and Address on File Client \$2,618,909.00 Information on File 26 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,600,000.00 27 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,527,023,00 28 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,385,343,00 29 Name and Address on File Information on File Institutional Loans \$21,670,000.00 \$19,405,815.00 \$2,264,185.00 30 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,195,060.00 31 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$2,028,277.00 32 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$1,799,293.00 33 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$1,769,481.00 Name and Address on File \$1,693,730.00 Information on File 35 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$1,680,488.00 36 Name and Address on File Information on File Client \$1,647,320.00 Case 22-19365 Doc 1 Filed 11/28/22 Entered 11/28/22 10:37:43 Desc Main Document Page 11 of 20

	or: <u>BlockFi Inc., <i>et al.</i></u>	Documen	t Page 11 c	of 20	Case number (if known)			
Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code		Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government	Indicate if claim is contingent,	Amount of unsecured claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.			
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured Claim	
37	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,646,355.00	
38	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,630,590.00	
39	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,535,700.00	
40	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,471,911.00	
41	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,454,081.00	
42	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,398,077.00	
43	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,354,519.00	
44	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,253,815.00	
45	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,201,448.00	
46	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,100,609.00	
47	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,046,888.00	
48	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,042,364.00	
49	Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$1,000,189.00	

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	Name of creditor and complete mailing	Name, telephone number, and email	Nature of the claim	Indicate if	Amount of unsecure	ed claim	
	address, including zip code	address of creditor contact	services, and government	contingent, unliquidated,	If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured of amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or seto calculate unsecured claim.		n total claim
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured Claim
!	50 Name and Address on File	Information on File	Client				\$999,650.00

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hearings thereof;

United States Bankruptcy Court

			District Of New Jersey		
[n :	re				
	-	ockFi Lending LLC	Case No.	22-	
Del	btor			11	
		DISCLOSURE OF COMPENS	SATION OF ATTORNEY I	FOR DEBTOR	
1.	nan ban	rsuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr med debtor(s) and that compensation paid to akruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for serv attemplation of or in connection with the bank	me within one year before the ices rendered or to be rendered	e filing of the petition in	
	For	legal services, I have agreed to accept		\$_100,000 (retainer)	
	Prio	or to the filing of this statement I have receive	ved	\$85,852.50*	
	Bal	lance Due		\$_0.00	
2.	The	e source of the compensation paid to me was	:	* In addition to the above-referenced \$85,852.50 in compensation for services rendered prior to	
		Debtor Other (spec	ify)	the Petition Date, Cole Schotz has received \$1,738 in chapter 11 filing fees for this debtor, and \$1,738 in chapter 11 filing fees for each of	
3.	The	e source of compensation to be paid to me is	:	this debtor's affiliated debtors and debtors in possession.	
		Debtor Other (spec	ify)	·	
4.		X I have not agreed to share the above-dimembers and associates of my law firm.	sclosed compensation with ar	ny other person unless they are	
		I have agreed to share the above-disclomembers or associates of my law firm. A copeople sharing in the compensation, is attact	opy of the agreement, togethe		
5.		return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agre, including:	eed to render legal service for	r all aspects of the bankruptcy	
	a.	Analysis of the debtor's financial situation file a petition in bankruptcy;	, and rendering advice to the	debtor in determining whether to	
	b.	Preparation and filing of any petition, sche-	dules, statements of affairs an	nd plan which may be required;	

c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned

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d. Representation of the debtor in adversary proceedings and other contested bankruptcy matter	d.	Representation	of the debtor i	n adversarv	proceedings and	other contested	bankruptcy matter
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e.	[Other	provisions	as needed]
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See retention papers.

 $6. \quad \text{By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following services:} \\$

None.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

11/28/2022 /s/ Michael D. Sirota

Date Signature of Attorney

Cole Schotz P.C.

Name of law firm

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United States Bankruptcy Court

		-	Distr	rict Of New Jersey	
In	re				
				Case No. 22-	_
De	btor [BlockFi Lending	LLC	Chapter 11	_
		DISCLOSU	JRE OF COMPENSATI	ON OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR	
1.	name bankr	d debtor(s) and that c ruptcy, or agreed to be	ompensation paid to me w	016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the all rithin one year before the filing of the petition is rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debt by case is as follows:	n
	For le	egal services, I have a	greed to accept	\$750,000 (retainer)	
	Prior	to the filing of this st	atement I have received.	\$ 1,904,529.03	-
	Balan	nce Due		<u>\$</u> 0	
2.	The s	ource of the compens	sation paid to me was:		
		Nebtor	Other (specify)		
3.	The s	ource of compensation	on to be paid to me is:		
		Nebtor Debtor	Other (specify)		
4.	n	I have not agreed nembers and associate	to share the above-disclose es of my law firm.	ed compensation with any other person unless t	hey are
		nembers or associates		ompensation with a other person or persons who f the agreement, together with a list of the nam	
5.		urn for the above-disc including:	closed fee, I have agreed to	o render legal service for all aspects of the bank	ruptcy
		Analysis of the debtor ile a petition in bankr		rendering advice to the debtor in determining w	hether to
	b. P	Preparation and filing	of any petition, schedules	, statements of affairs and plan which may be re	equired;
		Representation of the learings thereof;	debtor at the meeting of cr	reditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjoint	urned

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- d. Representation of the debtor in adversary proceedings and other contested bankruptcy matters;
- e. [Other provisions as needed] see retention papers

6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following services: none.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

11/28/2022

Date

Richard Kanowitz
Signature of Attorney

Haynes and Boone, LLP

Name of law firm

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United States Bankruptcy Court

				- 	District Of _	New Jersey			
In	re	BlockFi Len	ding LLC						
						Case No. 2	22 -		
Del	btor					Chapter 11	1		
		DISCLO	SURE O	F COMPENS	ATION OF	ATTORNEY FO)R D	EBTOR	
1.	nan ban	rsuant to 11 U .S.C. § ned debtor(s) and thankruptcy, or agreed to attemplation of or in contemplation.	at compens o be paid to	sation paid to a o me, for servi	me within one ces rendered	year before the for to be rendered	filing	of the petition in	
	For	legal services, I hav	e agreed to	accept			. \$	2,000,000.00 (ret	ainer)
	Prio	or to the filing of this	s statemen	I have receiv	ed		\$_	1,470,327.45	
	Bal	ance Due					\$_	0.00	
2.	The	e source of the comp	ensation p	aid to me was	:				
		Debtor		Other (speci	fy)				
3.	The	e source of compensa	ation to be	paid to me is:					
		Debtor		Other (speci	fy)				
4.		I have not agreemembers and association	ed to share ciates of m	the above-disy law firm.	sclosed compo	ensation with any	othe	er person unless they	/ are
			ates of my	law firm. A co	opy of the agr			on or persons who a a list of the names	
5.		return for the above-oe, including:	disclosed f	èe, I have agro	eed to render	legal service for a	all as	pects of the bankrup	otcy
	a.	Analysis of the deb		icial situation,	and rendering	g advice to the de	btor	in determining whe	ther to
	b.	Preparation and fili	ing of any	petition, sched	lules, stateme	nts of affairs and	plan	which may be requ	ired;
	c.	Representation of thearings thereof;	he debtor a	at the meeting	of creditors a	nd confirmation l	heari	ng, and any adjourn	ed

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- d. Representation of the debtor in adversary proceedings and other contested bankruptcy matters;
- e. [Other provisions as needed]

See retention papers.

6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following services:

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

November 28, 2022

/s/ Christine A. Okike

Date

Signature of Attorney

Kirkland & Ellis LLP and Kirkland & Ellis International LLP

Name of law firm

UNITED STATES	BANKRUPTCY	COURT
DISTRICT	OF NEW JERSE	Y

In re: BlockFi Lending LLC		Chapter 11
	Debtor.	Case No. 22()
		(Joint Administration Requested)

LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS

Pursuant to Rule 1007(a)(3) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, BlockFi

Lending LLC hereby provides the following list of holders of equity interests:

Name and Address of	Kind of Interest	Percentage of
Interest Holder		Interests Held
BlockFi Inc. 201 Montgomery Street, Suite 263 Jersey City, NJ 07302	100% Membership	100%

DATED: November 28, 2022

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

In re: BlockFi Lending LLC		Chapter 11	
Blockfi Lending LLC	Debtor.	Case No. 22()	
		(Joint Administration Requested)	

STATEMENT OF CORPORATE OWNERSHIP

Pursuant to Rules 1007(a)(1) and 7007.1 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the undersigned authorized officer of BlockFi Lending LLC certifies that the following corporate entities/individuals own more than 10% of the Debtor's equity interest.

Shareholder	Percentage of Total Shares
BlockFi Inc. 201 Montgomery Street, Suite 263 Jersey City, NJ 07302	100% Membership Interest

DATED: November 28, 2022

ACTION BY JOINT UNANIMOUS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE GOVERNING BODIES

November 27, 2022

The undersigned, being (i) all the members of the board of directors, (ii) all the managers, or (iii) all the members, whether one or more, as the case may be (each, a "Governing Body" and, collectively, the "Governing Bodies"), of the entities specified on the signature pages hereto (collectively, the "Company") do hereby consent to, adopt, and approve the resolutions set forth herein by joint written consent (this "Consent"), pursuant to (as applicable) and in accordance with the articles of incorporation, limited liability company agreement, operating agreement, bylaws, or similar governing document (in each case as amended or amended and restated) of each Company and the laws of the state, province, or country of formation of each Company as set forth next to each Company's name on Exhibit A.

WHEREAS, the Governing Bodies have reviewed and considered presentations by the management and the financial and legal advisors of the Company regarding the liabilities and liquidity situation of the Company, the strategic alternatives available to it, and the effect of the foregoing on the Company's business.

WHEREAS, the Governing Bodies have had the opportunity to consult with the management and the financial and legal advisors of the Company and to fully consider each of the strategic alternatives available to the Company.

WHEREAS, the Governing Bodies have reviewed and considered presentations by the management and the financial and legal advisors of the Company regarding the transactions contemplated under the proposed chapter 11 plan of reorganization (the "**Plan**").

WHEREAS, the Company engaged Willis Towers Watson ("**WTW**") to assist the Companies in analyzing the compensation arrangements of their respective employees;

WHEREAS, with the assistance of WTW, the Company has developed (i) the non-insider key employee retention program in the form received and reviewed by the undersigned (as the same may be modified with the approval of the undersigned, the "**KERP**") for certain of their employees and (ii) the non-insider targeted retention plan in the form received and reviewed by the undersigned (as the same may be modified with the approval of the undersigned, the "**TRP**") for certain of their employees;

WHEREAS, WTW has vetted and performed a *de novo* review of the KERP and the TRP in an effort to determine whether the KERP and the TRP are consistent with market practices and compensation levels for other companies operating in chapter 11, and, following its review, WTW prepared a report with respect to the KERP and the TRP (the "**WTW Presentation**"); and

WHEREAS, the Governing Bodies have consulted with management, WTW, and the Company's restructuring counsel and other advisors regarding the KERP and the TRP; and

WHEREAS, after its review of the WTW Presentation and further deliberation and discussion with the Company's advisors and the Company's management team, the Governing Bodies deem it advisable and in the best interests of the Company, its creditors, and parties in interest to authorize the Company to implement and adopt the KERP and the TRP to retain certain non-insider employees for the duration of the Company's Chapter 11 Cases and for the Company to take any actions (including seeking approval of the KERP and the TRP from the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey (the "Bankruptcy Court")) to implement the KERP and the TRP.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

Chapter 11 Filing

RESOLVED, that, in the judgment of each applicable Governing Body, it is desirable and in the best interests of the Company, its stakeholders, its creditors, and other parties in interest, that each Company shall be, and hereby is, authorized to file, or cause to be filed, a voluntary petition for relief (each, a "**Chapter 11 Case**") under the provisions of chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "**Bankruptcy Code**") in the Bankruptcy Court and any other petition for relief or recognition or other order that may be desirable under applicable law in the United States.

RESOLVED, that any of the Chief Executive Officer, President, Chief Financial Officer, any Executive Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary or any other duly appointed officer of each Company (collectively, the "<u>Authorized Signatories</u>"), acting alone or with one or more other Authorized Signatories be, and they hereby are, authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and file on behalf of each Company all petitions, schedules, lists, and other motions, papers, or documents, and to take any and all other action that they deem necessary or proper to obtain such relief, including, without limitation, any action necessary to maintain the ordinary course operation of each Company's business.

Retention of Professionals

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the law firm of Kirkland & Ellis LLP and Kirkland & Ellis International LLP (together, "**Kirkland**") as general bankruptcy co-counsel to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations, including filing any motions, objections, replies, applications, or pleadings; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of Kirkland.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the law firm of Haynes and Boone, LLP ("**Haynes Boone**") as general bankruptcy co-counsel to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations, including filing any motions, objections, replies, applications, or pleadings; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of Haynes Boone.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the law firm of Cole Schotz P.C. ("Cole Schotz") as local bankruptcy counsel to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations, including filing any motions, objections, replies, applications, or pleadings; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of Cole Schotz.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the firm of Berkeley Research Group, LLC ("**BRG**"), as financial advisor to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to

advance the Company's rights and obligations; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of BRG.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the firm of Moelis & Company ("**Moelis**"), as investment banker to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of Moelis.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the firm of C Street Advisory Group, LLC ("C Street"), as strategic and communications advisors to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of C Street.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the firm of Walkers (Bermuda) Limited ("Walkers") as special Bermuda counsel to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed appropriate applications for authority to retain the services of Walkers.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ the firm of Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC ("**Kroll**") as notice and claims agent to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code, and to take any and all actions to advance the Company's rights and obligations; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed appropriate applications for authority to retain the services of Kroll.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to employ any other professionals to assist the Company in carrying out its duties under the Bankruptcy Code; and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with power of delegation, is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers and fees, and to cause to be filed an appropriate application for authority to retain the services of any other professionals as necessary.

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, with power of delegation, authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and file all petitions, schedules, motions, lists, applications, pleadings, and other papers and, in connection therewith, to employ and retain all assistance by legal counsel, accountants, financial advisors, and other professionals and to take and perform any and all further

acts and deeds that each of the Authorized Signatories deem necessary, proper, or desirable in connection with the Company's Chapter 11 Case, with a view to the successful prosecution of such case.

Bermuda Ancillary Proceedings

RESOLVED, that in the judgment of the Governing Body of BlockFi International Ltd. ("**BlockFi International**") it is desirable and in the best interest of BlockFi International, its interest holders, its creditors, and other parties in interest, that BlockFi International file or cause to be filed a winding-up petition in furtherance of a local Bermuda proceedings (the "**Bermuda Petition**") in the Supreme Court of Bermuda (the "**Bermuda Court**");

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized to file or cause to be filed with the Bermuda Court the Bermuda Petition;

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized, empowered and directed to, concurrent with the filing of the Bermuda Petition, make an application to appoint [Ernst & Young] as joint provisional liquidator; and

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered to execute (under the Common Seal of the Company, if appropriate), deliver, and file or cause to be filed with the Bermuda Court, including through Walkers, on behalf of BlockFi International, all papers, motions, applications, schedules, and pleadings necessary or convenient to facilitate the Bermuda Petition and all other matters and proceedings, and any and all other documents, including affidavits and declarations, necessary or appropriate in connection with the Bermuda Petition, each in such form or forms as the Authorized Signatories may approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by said individual taking such action or the execution thereof.

Non-Insider Key Employee Retention Program

RESOLVED, that the Company approves and adopts the KERP and the TRP (in each case, as the same may be subject to approval from the Bankruptcy Court); and

RESOLVED, that any of Authorized Signatories be, and each hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed to cause the Company to implement the KERP and the TRP;

General

RESOLVED, that with respect to each of the foregoing entities authorized to file a chapter 11 case (each a "**Filing Entity**" and, collectively, the "**Filing Entities**"), any and all past actions heretofore taken by the Authorized Signatories, any director, any manager, or any member of any Filing Entity in the name and on behalf of such Filing Entity in furtherance of any or all of the preceding resolutions be, and the same hereby are, ratified, confirmed, and approved in all respects; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Governing Body of each Filing Entity has received sufficient notice of the actions and transactions relating to the matters contemplated by this Consent, as required by the governance documents of such Filing Entity, or hereby waives any right to have received such notice.

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Exhibit A

Company

Company	Jurisdiction
BlockFi Inc.	Delaware
BlockFi Wallet LLC	Delaware
BlockFi Ventures LLC	Delaware
BlockFi Trading LLC	Delaware
BlockFi Services, Inc.	Delaware
BlockFi Lending LLC	Delaware
BlockFi Lending II LLC	Delaware
BlockFi Investment Products LLC	Delaware
BlockFi International Ltd.	Bermuda

BLOCKFI INC.

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EUCHURY LEE PRIME

Name: Zachary Lee Prince

Title: Director

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Florencia Marquez

Name: Florencia Marquez

Title: Director

Docusigned by:

Tony Lauro

Name: Tony Lauro II

Title: Director

DocuSigned by:

Name: Jennifer Hill

Title: Independent Director

—Docusigned by:

Scott Vogel

Name: Scott Vogel

Title: Independent Director

BLOCKFI TRADING LLC

—DocuSigned by:

Name: Alan J. Carr

Title: Independent Manager

BLOCKFI LENDING LLC

Docusigned by:

Harry Typer

Name: Harvey L. Tepner Title: Independent Manager

BLOCKFI LENDING II LLC

By: BLOCKFI LENDING LLC

Its: Sole Member

DocuSigned by:

Name: Zachary Lee Prince

EACHARY LEE PRINCE

Title: President

BLOCKFI WALLET LLC

DocuSigned by:

Pamela Corrie

Name: Pamela B. Corrie
Title: Independent Manager

BLOCKFI VENTURES LLC BLOCKFI INVESTMENT PRODUCTS LLC

By: **BLOCKFI INC.** Its: Sole Member

Name: Zachary Lee Prince

EACHARY LEE PRINCE

Title: Chief Executive Officer and President

BLOCKFI SERVICES, INC.,

DocuSigned by:

Name: Amit Cheela

Title: Director

BLOCKFI INTERNATIONAL LTD.

DocuSigned by:

Name: Jill Frizzley
Title: Director