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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

NO. CIV. S-09-0931 LKK/GGH

Plaintiffs,

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WALTER BALDAIN, JR.,

MICHAEL BALDAIN,

ORDER AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE

SERVICING, INC., OPTION ONE

MORTGAGE CORPORATION, QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORP.,

OLYMPIC MORTGAGE & INVESTMENT

COMPANY, INC., PHILLIP RUBLE and TIMOTHY ALAN SMITH and DOES 1-20, inclusive,

Defendants.

Plaintiffs in this suit bring numerous claims against various private financial businesses and two individuals involved with plaintiffs' home mortgage. Two of these defendants, American Home Mortgage Servicing, Inc. ("AHMS") and Sand Canyon Corporation (f/k/a Option One Mortgage Corporation) ("Option One"), moved to dismiss all eleven claims against them. Pursuant to local rule 78-230(c), plaintiffs' opposition or statement of non-opposition to

this motion was due by August 3, 2009. Plaintiffs did not file an opposition or non-opposition. Instead, plaintiffs filed an amended complaint. The amended complaint abandons plaintiffs' claims under RICO and Cal. Civ. Code § 2923.5, adds a claim for negligence, and adds some allegations to the repeated nine claims.

It appears that many of the arguments raised in the motion to dismiss the initial complaint may also apply to the amended complaint. Nonetheless, the court declines to address this issue without briefing directly on point from either party.

Accordingly, the pending motion to dismiss, Doc. No. 13, is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE as moot.

SENIOR JUDGE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: August 5, 2009.