UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA FORT MYERS DIVISION

AARON GERST, DWAYNE JAYROE, RENITA LYNN RANSOM, PAMELA HOWIE, GERALD FRAZIER, DOUGLAS WASHINGTON, SMITH CHARMAYNE, MATTHEW D. SAMPSON, KENA M. WILLIAMS, JAMES BARROW and KENNETH KNIGHT,

Plaintiffs,

v. Case No: 2:14-cv-201-FtM-38CM
HSBC BANK USA, N.A.,

Defendant.

ORDER¹

This matter comes before the Court on Receiver's Report Concerning the Hoffman Law Group, and Request for Stay of Proceedings (<u>Doc. #9</u>) filed on August 18, 2014. Upon consideration, the Court finds staying this matter is appropriate.

Accordingly, it is now

ORDERED:

Receiver's Request for Stay of Proceedings (<u>Doc. #9</u>) is **GRANTED**. This
matter is **STAYED** until further Court order.

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- Receiver, Mark J. Bernet, shall file a status report no later than September 30,
 2014, as to whether this stay should be extended.
- 3. The Clerk is directed to add a stay flag on the docket.

DONE and ORDERED in Fort Myers, Florida this 3rd day of September, 2014.

SHERI POLSTER CHAPPELL UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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