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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA AUGUSTA BIV.

DUBLIN DIVISION

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IN RE: SARALAND, LLLP,

Case No. 314-091

SO DIST OF GA

Debtor.

(Bankr. Case No. 12-30113)

## ORDER

On July 16, 2014, Mr. Lister W. Harrell, filed a notice of appeal in the United States Bankruptcy Court in a Chapter 11 proceeding pertaining to the debtor, Saraland, LLLP. (See Bankr. Case No. 12-30113 (S.D. Ga. Mar. 29, 2012).) Mr. Harrell is a general partner of the debtor. (Bankr. Doc. No. 1, at 3.) Mr. Harrell is appealing the Bankrupcty Court's Order of June 27, 2014, which denied his motion to continue a hearing. (Bankr. Doc. No. 666.)

Mr. Harrell's appeal from this Order, dated July 16, 2014, was deficient in several respects, particularly in its failure to substantially conform to the appropriate Official Form for a notice of appeal and in the failure to pay the \$298.00 filing fee. (See Bankr. Doc. No. 674.) Mr. Harrell was given seven days to cure the noted deficiencies. (Id.) He failed to do so.

On August 21, 2014, Mr. Harrell's appeal was docketed in this district court. However, Mr. Harrell had not filed a designation of contents for inclusion in the record on appeal

or a statement of the issues to be presented on appeal. <u>See</u> Fed. R. Bankr. P. 8006. Also, Mr. Harrell had not paid the filing fee.

This Court informed Mr. Harrell that his appellant's brief was due by September 8, 2014. Mr. Harrell did not file a brief; indeed, he has never filed anything with this Court in the over three months the appeal has been pending.

The Court readily concludes that Mr. Harrell has not diligently prosecuted this appeal. He has not complied with the procedural rules and has not paid the required filing fee.

Accordingly, maintenance of this matter is not warranted. IT IS ORDERED that the appeal be DISMISSED for failure to prosecute.

ORDER ENTERED at Augusta, Georgia, this \_\_\_\_ day

December, 2014.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE