UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA SHREVEPORT DIVISION

COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT

CIVIL ACTION NO. 08-cy-2008

FUND, INC.

**VERSUS** 

JUDGE HICKS

RONCOR, INC., ET AL

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HORNSBY

**MEMORANDUM ORDER** 

Plaintiff has obtained a default judgment against the principal defendant. It appears that the only claims remaining in this civil action are those against the individual defendants,

Ronald E. Duncan and Brenda S. Duncan. The court has been advised that the Duncans have

filed for bankruptcy protection in the bankruptcy court in the Southern District of Alabama.

The court has delayed any further steps in this case because of the bankruptcy stay, and to

allow counsel for Plaintiff time to consider seeking relief from the stay. There is no

indication in the record of this case that there is an effort afoot to lift the stay.

Counsel for Plaintiff is ordered to file into the record by October 30, 2009 either:

(1) a motion to voluntarily dismiss this action, or (2) a copy of a motion filed in the

bankruptcy court that seeks relief from the bankruptcy stay to allow Plaintiff to pursue this

action against the Duncans in this court. If counsel chooses the latter route, he shall inform

the court in writing of the status of the motion to lift stay on the first day of each month until

the motion is decided. Failure to comply with this order may result in dismissal of the

remaining claims for failure to prosecute.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Shreveport, Louisiana, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2009.

MARK L. HORNSBY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE