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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

MOHNS, INC.,

Appellant,

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Case No. 13-C-0367 Bankr. Case No. 11-2182

JOHN M. WILSON a/k/a J. MICHAEL WILSON and CHRISTINE A. WILSON f/k/a CHRISTINE A. PETERSON

and

BRUCE A. LANSER, Bankruptcy Trustee, Appellees.

DECISION AND ORDER

Mohns, Inc. has filed a motion to have costs taxed in its favor under Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 8014, which provides in relevant part as follows:

Except as otherwise provided by law, agreed to by the parties, or ordered by the district court or the bankruptcy appellate panel, costs shall be taxed against the losing party on an appeal. If a judgment is affirmed or reversed in part, or is vacated, costs shall be allowed only as ordered by the court.

In the present case, the order of the bankruptcy court was vacated, and I do not believe that any party qualifies as a "losing party on appeal." Therefore, each side shall bear its own costs on appeal.

Accordingly, Mohns's motion for costs is **DENIED**.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 17th day of October 2013.

s/ Lynn Adelman

LYNN ADELMAN District Judge