NO. 23884

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

NORWEST BANK OF MINNESOTA, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE AMRESCO RESIDENTIAL SECURITIES MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST 1998-2, Plaintiff-Appellee

vs.

PETRA DUREG SALVADOR, ROGER DUREG SALVADOR, VELMA DUREG SALVADOR, PETRA D. SALVADOR, as Trustee of the Victorio B. Salvador and Petra D. Salvador Revocable Living Trust, dated February 5, 1994, Defendants-Appellants,

and

ASSOCIATES FINANCIAL SRVICES COMPANY OF HAWAII, INC. and FOSTER VILLAGE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, Defendants-Appellees

and

JOHN DOES 1-50, JANE DOES 1-50, DOE PARTNERSHIPS 1-50, DOE CORPORATIONS 1-50, DOE ENTITIES 1-50, and DOE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS 1-50, Defendants

APPEAL FROM THE FIRST CIRCUIT COURT (CIV. NO. 99-3915)

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL (By: Moon, C.J., Levinson, Nakayama, Ramil, and Acoba, JJ.)

Upon review of the record, it appears that: (1) this court informed Appellants by letter dated August 27, 2001, that the time for filing the opening brief expired on August 12, 2001, and, that, pursuant to Rule 30 of the Hawai'i Rules of Appellate Procedure, the matter would be called to the attention of the court for such action as the court deemed proper including dismissal of the appeal; (2) Appellants informed the court by letter dated August 30, 2001, that they would be filing a dismissal stipulation; and (3) Appellants have failed to file the stipulation for dismissal or the opening brief; therefore,

> IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the appeal is dismissed. DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, October 30, 2001.