

EXHIBIT A

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30th Judicial Circuit



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RE: **Davis v Local Emergency Financial Assistance Loan Board et al, 13-281-NZ**

Dear Counsel,

The Court has received correspondence from Defendants' counsel alleging that the above action is stayed pursuant to the July 25, 2013 Order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Michigan in *In re City of Detroit, Michigan*, Case No. 13-53846. Based on the language of the July 25, 2013 Order of the Bankruptcy Court and the Motion that the Order is predicated upon, this Court believes that there is a question concerning whether this action is stayed. Based on this concern, the Court requires that one or both of the parties seek an interpretation of the extent of the stay from the Bankruptcy Court **within 7 days** of this correspondence or this Court will proceed to issue its ruling on Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment according to the Court of Appeals Order in this matter.

Hon. William E. Collette

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