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WEKESA MADZIMOYO'S OPPOSITION AND RESPONSE TO THE RESCAP BORROWER CLAIMS TRUST'S OBJECTION TO CLAIM NO. 5800 (PRO SE)

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INTRODUCTION

- 1. Wekesa Madzimoyo ("Claimant") filed a civil action against GMAC, JPMorgan Chase, NYBMT, McCurdy and Candler and Anthony DeMarlo in the DeKalb County Superior Court in the State of Georgia on July 29, 2009. Claimant's complaints sought declaratory relief to prevent a wrongful foreclosure sale.
- 2. On October 16, 2014, the ResCap Borrower Claims Trust (the "Trust") filed its objection to Claimant's Proof of Claim advancing multiple arguments which are not supported by the law or facts before the Court.
- 3. The Claims are based on a pre-petition lawsuit filed by Claimant in Georgia state court. Accordingly, Claimant hereby files this Response to the Trust's Objection pursuant to section 502(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 3007. Claimant opposes the Trust's objection on the basis that the Trust's reasons for disallowance and expungement are premature because the underlying issues set forth in the GA State action are pending on appeal. As such, the determination by the Trust of no liability for the amount of claim is unsupported until final disposition by the GA State Appellate Court in the State of Georgia. (See Appellate Brief Exhibit 1)
- 4. Essentially the Trust makes unsupported factual arguments that are not admissible under the federal rules and cannot overcome the presumption in favor of Claimant. In response, Claimant puts forward actual admissible evidence and legal argument based on federal and Georgia law as is called for in paragraph 15 Governing Law of the Security Deed signed by Claimant to FT Mortgage DBA Equibanc. For the reasons stated herein, the Trust's Objection should be overruled.

I. Claimant Requests the Court to Take Judicial Notice

- 5. Claimant requests that the Court take judicial notice of GMAC's letter noticing servicing rights are being assigned sold or transferred to GMACM on July 1, 2009, a true and correct copy is attached as **Exhibit 2** hereto.
- 6. Claimant requests that the Court take judicial notice of a copy of Claimant's *purported*original ("FIRST Note") displaying an endorsement in Blank. A true and correct copy is attached as **Exhibit 3** hereto.
- 7. Claimant requests that the Court take judicial notice of another copy of Claimant's *purported* original ("SECOND Note") displaying two special endorsements and a *purported* allonge. A true and correct copy is attached as **Exhibit 4** hereto.
- 8. Claimant requests that the Court take judicial notice of a copy of DeKalb County GA,
 Superior Court Judge Tangela Barrie's Order Reopening the Case. See attached Second
 Amended Complaint (SAC), Exhibit 3.

Factual Background

- 9. The Claimant, Wekesa Madzimoyo, signed a security deed with FT MORTGAGE COMPANIES dba EQUIBANK MORTGAGE CORPORATION on March 23rd, 1999.
- 10. After approval of a loan modification by Home Comings Financial in February 2009, the Claimant desired to seek better modification terms by negotiating with his true lender (secured creditor).
- 11. Therefore, he started a documented exchange (via certified letters and return receipts) with the Debtor et al. asking them to clarify their standing as secured creditor, servicer, agent, attorney, debt collectors, investor, trustee, attorney-in-fact, or otherwise, relative to the subject property.
- 12. The Claimant was / is not in default on his mortgage obligation.

- 13. The Debtor et al. refusing to adequately and lawfully document their standing, the Claimant became suspicious and upon independent investigation became fearful of double jeopardy that he may be paying the wrong party, and that he unwittingly had become part of a mortgage scam.
- 14. The Claimant began to lawfully withhold payments with full belief and contention that Debtor et al. had no standing in his loan or mortgage or property.
- 15. On July 3rd, 2009 Claimant received a NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE. GMAC was noted as the Servicer; The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, National Association fka The Bank of New Your Trust Company, N.A. as successor to JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. (NYBMT) Trustee for RAMP 2006 RP2 (RAM) was noted as Creditor. (See SAC, Exhibit 2)
- 16. DeKalb County Superior Court Judge Tangela M. Barrie, examined over 50 pages of communication (requesting validation) between Claimant Madzimoyo and the Debtor et al. spanning months between April and July 2009.
- 17. Judge Barrie granted the Emergency Temporary Restraining Order on July 29th, 2009 and set a hearing date for August, 28th, 2011 and ordered the Defendants to "Bring proper evidence of chain of title." (emphasis added) (See SAC, Exhibit 3)
- 18. The Debtor et al. removed the Claimant's Emergency Petition to Federal District Court on August 27, 2009.
- 19. Seven months after Debtor et al. commenced foreclosure proceedings, and after they were ordered to bring proper evidence of chain of title by Judge Barrie, the Debtor et al. executed and filed an assignment claiming that The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, National Association fka The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A. as successor to JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA as Trustee for RAMP 2006 RP2 (RAM) was the secured creditor. (See SAC, Exhibit 6)

- 20. The Debtor et al. were granted a dismissal (Judgment on the Pleadings) by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia, Atlanta Division on January 3, 2011. On January 4th, 2011 the Debtor et al. filed into the DeKalb County Courthouse what would become the first of two corrective assignments. (Exhibit 5)
- 21. The Claimant appealed the United States District Court's order to the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals.
- 22. On July 25th, 2011 the Debtor et al. commenced their 3rd foreclosure on Claimant's home. The NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE on Subject Property from Debtor et al. McCurdy and Candler, LLC. and NYBMT changed the corporate entity claiming the right to foreclose. They listed the same trustee (NYBMT), but a new secured creditor/note-holder RAAC 2006 RP2 (RAAC) (See SAC, Exhibit 4)
- 23. On September 1, 2011, the Claimant filed another Complaint into the Superior Court of DeKalb County, GA. On September 2, 2011.
- 24. DeKalb County Superior Court Judge Michael Hancock issued a TRO to enjoin the Debtor et al. from conducting the foreclosure sale of the Plaintiff's property, noting that the new secured creditor on the Notice of Foreclosure (RAAC-2006-RP2) was at variance with the secured creditor listed in the 1st Corrected Assignment to (RAMP-2006-RP2) in the DeKalb County real estate record.
- 25. Judge Hancock sent the case to Judge Barrie's Court. (See SAC Exhibit 5). On September 7, the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals ruled for the Claimant, and remanded the case back to DeKalb County. On March 26, the two cases were consolidated.
- 26. On June 4, 2012, The Debtor ResCap-GMAC filed a Notice of Bankruptcy and Effect of Automatic Stay.

- 27. On June 15, 2012 the court stayed the action in the case "until said bankruptcy case (GMAC) has been fully disposed of by the Bankruptcy Court."
- 28. On August 29, 2012, this Court entered the Bar Date Order, which established November 9, 2012 at 5:00 p.m. as the deadline to file proofs of claim by virtually all creditors against the Debtor et al. (the "General Bar Date") and prescribed the form and manner for filing proofs of claim. (ECF Doc. # 1309 ^ 2, 3.)
- 29. On November 7, 2012, Claimant filed proof of claim No. 5800, a General Unsecured claim in the amount of \$2,275,000.00 against Debtor GMAC Mortgage, LLC.
- **30.** August 29, 2013 Judge Barrie granted the Debtor et al.'s Motion to Reopen Proceedings over Claimant's objections.
- 31. Debtor et al. filed Motion for a Judgment on the Pleadings to dismiss the Claimant's case. Claimant opposed.
- 32. On February 10, 2013, Judge Barrie called a hearing to hear outstanding motions. The Claimant also stated -for the record another cause of action violation of the one satisfaction rule to add to his pleadings. Debtor et al. opposed.
- 33. On April 22, 2014, the Claimant filed his second amended complaint supporting his oral arguments, adding this new cause of action. See second amended complaint (SAC) attached.
- 34. On April 23, 2014 Judge Barry held another hearing. On June 5, 2014, Judge Barrie granted the Debtor et al.' motion for Judgment on the Pleadings dismissing the Claimant's case with prejudice.
- 35. On October 16, 2014 the Trust filed the *ResCap Borrower Claims Trust's Objection to Claims 5800 (No Liability Borrower Claims)* The ResCap Trust attached a chart for each claim submitted by Claimant asserting their lack of liability. In support of the Objection, the ResCap

Trust submitted the Declarations of Kathy Priore (the "Priore Decl.," the Trust's Objection, Exhibit 2) and Alexandria Reyes (the "Reyes Decl.," the Trust's Objection, Exhibit 3).

36. On Oct. 31, 2014, Claimant filed his Amended Appellate Brief into the Georgia Appellate Court.

STANDARD OF REVIEW

II.

37. Section 501(a) of the Bankruptcy Code provides that "[a] creditor . . . may file a proof of claim." 11 U.S.C. § 501(a). A filed proof of claim is "deemed allowed, unless a party in interest ... objects." 11 U.S.C. § 502(a). If the claim is properly filed, it is prima facie evidence of the validity and amount of the claim. See FED. R. BANKR. P. 3001(f). A party in interest may object to a proof of claim, and once an objection is made, the court must determine whether the objection is well founded. See 4 COLLIER ON BANKRUPTCY \(^502.02/2)\((16th ed. 2013). Although Bankruptcy Rule 3001(f) establishes the initial evidentiary effect of a filed claim... [t]he burden of proof for claims brought in the bankruptcy court under [section] 502(a) rests on different parties at different times. Initially, the claimant must allege facts sufficient to support the claim. If the averments in his filed claim meet this standard of sufficiency, it is "prima facie" valid. In other words, a claim that alleges facts sufficient to support a legal liability to the claimant satisfies the claimant's initial obligation to go forward. The burden of going forward then shifts to the objector to produce evidence sufficient to negate the primafacie validity of the filed claim. It is often said that **the objector must produce evidence** equal in force to the **prima facie** case. In practice, the objector must produce evidence which, if believed, would refute at least one of the allegations that is essential to the claim's legal sufficiency. If the objector produces sufficient evidence to negate one or more of the sworn facts in the proof of claim, the burden reverts to the claimant to prove the validity of the claim by a preponderance of the evidence. In re Allegheny Intern., Inc., 954 F.2d 167, 173-74 (3rd Cir. 1992) (internal citations omitted). In re MF Global Holdings Ltd., Nos. 11-15059, 11-02790, 2012 WL 5499847, at * 3 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Nov. 13, 2012) ("The party objecting to the proof of claim bears the burden of "providing evidence to

show that the proof of claim should not be allowed"), (emphasis and underscore added)

validity is overcome—e.g., the objecting party establishes that the proof of claim lacks a sound legal basis—the burden shifts to the claimant to support its proof of claim unless the claimant would not bear that burden outside of bankruptcy." Id. (citing In re Oneida Ltd., 500 B.R. 384, 389 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009). Bankruptcy Code section 502(b)(1) provides that claims may be disallowed if "unenforceable against the debtor and property of the debtor, under any agreement or applicable law." To determine whether a claim is allowable by law, bankruptcy courts look to "applicable nonbankruptcy law." In re W.R. Grace & Co., 346 B.R. 672, 674 (Bankr. D. Del. 2006). "What claims of creditors are valid and subsisting obligations against the bankrupt at the time a petition is filed, is a question which, in the absence of overruling federal law, is to be determined by reference to state law." In re Hess, 404 B.R. 747, 749 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009) (quoting Vanston Bondholders Protective Comm. v. Green, 329 U.S. 156, 161 (1946)).

Claimant's pleadings must be liberally construed. Haines v. Kerner, 404 U.S. 519, 520. See also Erickson v. Pardus, 551 U.S. 89, 94 (2007.)

Further, "[l]awyers must be held to higher standards" than pro se parties. *In re Maurice*, 69 F.3d 830 (7th Cir. 1995) at ^16.

III. ARGUMENT

The party objecting to the proof of claim bears the burden of "providing evidence to show that the proof of claim should not be allowed. *In re MF Global Holdings Ltd.*, Nos. 1115059, 11-02790, 2012 WL 5499847, at * 3 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Nov. 13, 2012) Claimant disputes that the declaration of Kathy Priore is sufficient to shift the burden of proof unto Claimant.

- A. The ResCap Trust's Purported Declaration of Kathy Priore is not Admissible under the Federal Rules of Evidence and Should be Disregarded and Stricken
- 40. The declaration of Kathy Priore with which the Trust attempts to support its version of the facts explicitly incorporates inadmissible hearsay evidence and should be disregarded by the Court. Specifically, Ms. Priore's declaration states: "...In my role as Associate Counsel at ResCap, I was responsible for the management of litigation among my other duties, I continue to assist the Liquidating Trust and the Borrower Claims Trust (the "Borrower Trust") in connection with the claims reconciliation process... Except as otherwise indicated, all facts set forth in this Declaration are based upon my personal knowledge of the Debtor et al.'s operations, information learned from my review of relevant documents and information I have received through my discussions with other former members of the Debtor et al.'s management or other former employees of the Debtor et al.'s, the Liquidating Trust, and the Borrower Trust's professionals and consultants."
- "...I or my designee at my direction have reviewed and analyzed the proof of claim forms and supporting documentation, if any, filed by the claimants... Since the Plan became effective and the Trust was established, I, along with other members of the Liquidating Trust's management or other employees of the Liquidating Trust have consulted with the Trust to continue the claims reconciliation process, analyze claims, and determine the appropriate treatment of the same. In connection with such review and analysis, where applicable, I or other of the Liquidating Trust personnel, under my supervision, and the Liquidating Trust's and the Trust's professional advisors, have reviewed..." (Priore Declaration) (emphasis added)
- 41. Federal Rule of Evidence 801 defines hearsay as "a statement that (1) the declarant does not make while testifying at the current trial or hearing; and (2) a party offers in evidence to prove

the truth of the matter asserted in the statement." The Priore declaration falls squarely under this definition, as the declarant, Ms. Priore, is not making her statements to be presented to the Court at a hearing on the objection to Claimant's Proof of Claims, and the statements contained in her declaration are being offered for their truth. *Federal Rule of Evidence 802* precludes admission of hearsay unless otherwise provided by a federal statute, the Federal Rules of Evidence or other rules prescribed by the Supreme Court.

- 42. In this case, no such provision is made for the testimony in Ms. Priore's declaration, which she admits is based on information provided by an unknown number of unnamed persons. To the extent the Trust relies on the exception for regularly conducted activity for the admissibility of Ms. Priore's declaration, this reliance is misplaced. *Federal Rule of Evidence 803(6)* does provide that a record of a regularly conducted activity is admissible as an exception to the hearsay rule. However, in order to qualify as a record of a regularly conducted activity however, the party offering the purported record <u>must show</u>, *inter alia*, that "the record was made at or near the time by or from information transmitted by someone with knowledge... the record was kept in the course of a regularly conducted activity of a business... making the keeping of the record a regular practice of that activity...[and]...neither the source of information nor the method or circumstances of preparation indicate a lack of trustworthiness." Here, the Priore Declaration was not made at or near the time of the events it recounts.
- 43. The declaration was executed on October 16, 2014, but purports to describe events that happened as far back as March 30, 2007. There is no showing by the Trust that the statements in the declaration were transmitted by anyone with knowledge of the facts alleged. Indeed, the Trust does not even assert such transmission. Secondly, the declaration is not a document kept in the course of the Trust's regularly conducted business activity, and there is no showing or assertion to

supplied by unnamed individuals at unspecified times, but then does not indicate at any time what particular facts were transmitted to Ms. Priore by these persons indicates a lack of trustworthiness that should preclude the declaration's admission into evidence. It is the business records that constitute the evidence, not the testimony of the witness referring to them. To prove the content of a writing, recording, or photograph, the <u>original</u> writing, recording, or photograph is required except as otherwise provided by law.

- 44. How can the parties or the Court determine which of the facts in the declaration are based on Ms. Priore's personal knowledge, and which have been supplied by the unnamed persons to which she refers? How can the parties or the Court even know that such unnamed persons actually exist? The vague, boilerplate references to unnamed sources of unspecified information indicates a lack of trustworthiness in the circumstances of this declaration's preparation that should preclude its admission.
- 45. In a similar situation where a declarant hoped to affirm the accuracy of information transmitted by an unknown number of unnamed persons at unnamed times, the Federal District Court for the Eastern District of New York stated that "[s]ignificantly, Plaintiff never identified the source for her information regarding the interaction, or lack thereof, between [other parties], and her assertion appears to be rooted in hearsay..." *Hyek v. Field Support Services, Inc.*, 702 F.Supp.2d 84, 96 (E.D.N.Y. 2010). Such is the case here. The Trust hopes to support numerous factual assertions with Ms. Priore's declaration, which admittedly relies on information transmitted by an unspecified number of unnamed people on unspecified dates. <u>Such a declaration is plainly inadmissible hearsay not subject to any exception to the general ban on hearsay evidence and should be excluded, stricken, and otherwise disregarded by the</u>

Court.

- 46. Claimant contends that the Debtor et al. have failed to come forth with any admissible evidence refuting his allegations essential to his claims. Claimant contends that his Property is under threat of being wrongfully foreclosed upon by the Debtor et al., Debtor et al.'s agents and/or coconspirators without any legal, equitable or pecuniary right. As a result of the Debtor et al.'s acts and omissions, Claimant has sustained damages and losses which are subject to his Proof of Claim No. 5800 which the Trust has not rebutted whatsoever with any admissible evidence. Claimant acknowledges that the trial court dismissed his wrongful foreclosure action against Debtor ResCap-GMAC and its agent and/or co-conspirator non-debtor, NYBMT.
- 47. Four theories lie at the heart of Claimant's Second Amended Complaint. Moreover, the newly discovered evidence corroborates two of the three theories below. See Second Amended Complaint attached.

Claimant Alleges Four Legal Theories of Liability

Theory No. 1

- 48. Claimant contends that ResCap concurrently sold his Note and Security deed to two companies RAAC-2006 RP2 and RAMP-2006 RP2 (typically called "pools") so that both of these companies held ownership of this loan and deed simultaneously, and both of these companies via their trustee NYBMT has asserted their ownership, by accessing the Powers of Sales clause in Claimant's security deed both declaring the Claimant in default, and both commencing foreclosure proceedings against the Claimant. (See SAC, Exhibits 2 and 4)
- 49. If this theory is proven, then Debtor ResCap either applied the monies to the Claimant's

loan (extinguishing it) or doubled the Claimant's debt to enrich itself at the Claimant's expense without the Claimant's permission or consent. Additionally, if this theory is proven true, ResCap (alone or in cooperation with GMAC, JPMorgan Chase, NYBMT, et al) fraudulently collected mortgage payments from the Claimant when none were do to them. It will mean that Debtor also broke the chain of title and violated Georgia's One Satisfaction Law. OCGA 11-3-602

Theory 2:

- 50. That valid "corrective assignments" of mortgage notes and security deeds which affect property rights is held to a greater standard than are scrivener's errors, and are required to be approved by those affected by it and/ or by the Courts
- 51. Relevance: If this theory is true, then the Debtor et al.'s 1st and especially the 2nd Corrected assignment is invalid and conveys no legal title or rights to the Debtor et al.'s pools, or designees in Georgia. If true, then proper discovery regarding the corrected assignments would be in order as well as injunctive and declaratory relief from the Courts for the Claimant.
- 52. If true, it mitigates against the Debtor et al.'s claim that "deed holder" renders the "identity of the note holder" of no regard, and "freely assignable" in spite of filed documents that questions the integrity of the chain of title.

Theory 3:

53. The purported transfer of the "Loan" evidenced by the "Note" and "Security Deed" from Equibanc to ResCap has not been memorialized by any documented transfer supporting ResCap's claim that it could legally, "transfer its interest" or "securitize" the loan on about June 1, 1999. The Note with Residential Funding stamp differs from copies of the note provided via QWR responses

and over 5 years of litigation. Neither evidenced a sale of Note and or Deed from FT Mortgage/Equibanc to Residential Funding)

- 54. Additionally, by the Debtor et al.'s own declaration (Exhibit D "The Loan was <u>pulled out</u> of securitization in late 2005...") Taking the Debtor et al. at their words that the ownership of "Loan and Note" and "Security Deed" was transferred ("pulled out"), then there is not documentation of the sale or assignment. Additionally, there it was "held" by some entity from late 2005 until April 2006, when according to the Debtor et al. it was "put into another trust." The Claimant avers that this further evidences a break in the chain of title which invalidates Debtor's claim to Claimants property and years of loan payments.
- 55. Any or both transfers of the Note or Deed to companies RAAC-2006 RP2 and RAMP-2006 RP2 (so called "securitization) constitute legal transfer/s, but none are memorialized by the steps outlined in the PSA (Pooling and Servicing Agreement). The 2001 purported assignment from FT Mortgage/Equibanc to First Bank of Chicago as Trustee (Exhibit 6) fails to say exactly to whom they are acting as trustee.

Theory No. 4

56. The Claimant - signer of the "Note" denies that the loan transfer was complete - that there was no consideration, and therefore no enforceable contract. If the signer of the note denies that the transaction was complete — i.e., there was no consideration and therefore there is no enforceable contract, then the burden switches back to the "holder" of the note to step into the shoes of the original lender to prove that the loan actually occurred, the original lender was the creditor and the signer was the debtor.

- 57. The Claimant avers that ResCap-GMAC is a stranger to the Note and Security deed, because the contract was between the borrower and the FT Mortgage (DBA EQUIBANC), and the Claimant's theory is that the money for the transaction was provided by ResCap or another outside party creating a debt to that outside party who was never privy with the originator.
- 58. If the creditor named as payee (FT Mortgage) and mortgagee was not the source of the funds then there is no underlying debt. The truth is that the holder of the paper is NOT the party who was the creditor at "closing." The closing was fictitious. It really is that simple. If the fact-finding of Discovery proves this true, such as the Claimant avers, a cause of action for fraud would be evident.
- 59. If Claimant's theory is proven, then Debtor et al.'s failure to comply with the PSA voids the *purported* sale and/or transfer of Claimant's mortgage to either or both RAMP-2006-RP@ or RAAC-RP2.
- And if that *purported* sale and/or transfer is void, then it goes on to say that the *purported* sale and/or transfer to the trustees First Bank of Chicago, JPMorgan Chase, NYBMT is also void and that neither the Debtor or any of the entities in this case possess *any* right or *any* interest in Claimant's promissory note or security deed. These entities have no power to service, enforce or otherwise act on the loan if the loan has been pledged to the RAMP or RAAC companies. These entities have no right to enter into settlement agreements, modification agreements, nor to execute a "release and satisfaction of mortgage." As a result, ResCap GMAC and the list of trustees would be *legal strangers* to Claimant's mortgage contracts.
- **61.** In sum, Claimant alleges Debtor Homecomings and Debtor et al. (RFC, ResCap, GMAC,

and RAMP-2006-RP2 AND RAAC-2006 –R2) possibly more, perpetrated a fraud on him, and fraud upon the courts, and as such, should be criminally remanded.

WILL PREVAIL IN GA APPELLATE COURT

Standard of Review for Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings;

- 62. As an appellate court, "[W]e review de novo a trial court's determination that a pleading fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted, construing the pleadings in the light most favorable to the plaintiff and with any doubts resolved in the plaintiff's favor. Babalola v. HSBC Bank, USA, N.A., 324 Ga. App. 750 (751 SE2d 545) (2013) [OCGA § 9-11-8(a)(2)(A)]
- 63. In evaluating the sufficiency of the complaint, "[i]t must be remembered that the objective of the [Civil Practice Act] is to avoid technicalities and to require only a short and plain statement of the claim that will give the defendant fair notice of what the claim is and a general indication of the type of litigation involved; the discovery process bears the burden of filling in details. [282 Ga. 714] 34; (Citations omitted).
- 64. The critical question is whether, under the assumed set of facts, a right to some form of legal relief would exist. [Allied Asphalt Co. v. Cumbie, 134 Ga.App. 960, 962, 216 S.E.2d 659 (1975)]; [accord Kansas City, St. L. & C. R. Co. v. Alton R. Co., 124 F.2d 780, 783 (7th Cir.1941)] ("The question is not whether the Plaintiff has asked for the proper remedy but whether under his pleadings he is entitled to any remedy.' [Cit.]."). Thus, a complaint will not be dismissed under OCGA § 9-11-12(b)(6) for requesting the wrong form of relief, or no relief at all, as long as the complainant is entitled to some legal remedy under the facts pled. See OCGA § 9-11-54(c)(1).
- 65. The Civil Practice Act "does not countenance . . . dismissals based on a judge's disbelief of a complaint's factual allegations." [Neitzke v. Williams, 490 U.S. 319, 327, 109 S.Ct. 1827, 104 L.Ed.2d 338 (1989)]. See Scheuer v. Rhodes, 416 U.S. 232, 236, 94 S.Ct. 1683, 40 L.Ed.2d 90 (1974) (well-pleaded complaint may proceed even if it appears that "a recovery is very remote and unlikely").

ERROR TO LIFT AUTOMATIC STAY

66. In order to lift the Stay, only non-monetary claims against Appellee GMAC could be adjudicated. While the Reyes Declaration and the Debtor et al.'s pleadings indicate that the Judge ordered the case reopened on the basis that "all claims for monetary relief against GMACM

remain stayed but that nonmonetary claims concerning the property could proceed" (Reyes Decl. Paragraph 10), this is not true, the Judge made no distinction in her order to re-open. And, if she intended to she failed to explicate which claims would go forth and which would not. (See Exhibit 7)

67. Additionally, Claimant asserts that Debtor et al. violated Georgia's One Satisfaction Rule and his right to interplead both RAAC-2006-RP2(RAAC) and RAMP-2006-RP2 (RAMP).

Claimant's pleadings throughout and clarification in his Opposition to the Debtor et al.'s Motion to Reopen the Case clearly articulates that he has monetary claims against defendant GMAC (ResCap). Additionally, the record shows that Claimant had filed a claim against Appellee/Creditor – GMAC (ResCap) in the US Southern District of New York Bankruptcy Court for \$2,275,000.00 pursuant to section 502(b) of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code").

One Satisfaction Violation, Injunctive, Declaratory Relief

- 68. Claimant's Court appearances on Feb. 10, 2014 and April 23, 2014, as well as his 2nd Amended Complaint (See attached) have documented his claims that the Debtor et al. are in violation of the Court of Equity's and Georgia's One Satisfaction rule OCGA 11-3-602. See also United States v. Reliable Transfer Co., Inc., 421 U.S. 397 (1975). The Supreme Court first noted that the "one satisfaction rule" only comes into play in those instances where the debtor would be overcompensated (Emphasis mine)
- 69. The record shows that both RAMP and RAAC have claimed ownership in the Claimant's property and both have attempted to foreclose. (See SAC, Exhibits 2 and 4)

Georgia Supreme Court Justice David E. Nahmias has been heard to say in the oral arguments

of You v. Chase (See Exhibit 1) that Georgia has a 'One Satisfaction Rule that bars double recovery.' He further was heard to have said that 'if such a double jeopardy situation would occur against a home-owner, the homeowner could inter-plead the competing parties.'

The lower court has ignored this equitable cause of action articulated by the Claimant.

Likewise, the Claimant avers that the assertions that GA Supreme Court Justice Nahmias was heard to say challenges the lower court's ruling that the Claimant has no standing to challenge the Debtor et al.'s standing.

Break in Chain of Title

70. The Debtor et al.'s attempt to avert the conflicting claims is confounded by their own Motion For Judgment on The Pleadings (See Exhibit 1) where they list a chain of title that starts with FT Mortgage and ends with RAMP-2006 RP2, then in the foot note #8 references a 2nd Second Corrective Assignment. (See Exhibit 8) This 2nd Corrective Assignment as read in the court hearing of April 23rd shows that the current purported assignee of record is RAAC-2006 RP2. Here's an excerpt from the April 23rd Hearing Transcript Pages 7 and 8).

"The COURT (Judge Tangela Barrie):

"...And then the second corrective assignment of the security deed, which of course becomes the big issue here, and that one is in deed book 22644, page 791, and on that one basically the corrective assignment of the security deed shows that there's a JP Morgan Chase Bank, NA as trustee but now it's for RAAC, R-A-A-C, 2006 RP2.

THE COURT: And his (the Claimant's) position with regard to that is that there are basically, at this point, two banks or trust pools that has his loan, because you have one RAMP, R-A-M-P, 2006 and then you have RAAC 2006 RP2. I think the analysis that was given to me previously was that that was a — basically a clerical error and that that's the reason why the clerical corrective assignment of security deed was done.

MR. WINDHAM (Attorney for Debtor et al.): Well, I guess I would say two things to that, your Honor. I can't confirm -- I assume if there was a -- that there was a clerical error or there could have been a transfer from RAMP to RAAC that were all leading up to the eventual foreclosure, but --

THE COURT: Okay. However, my concern is -- the reason I brought you here today, was to determine if a RAMP 2006 RP2 exists, because if it does, in fact, exist, it does mean that there are two entities with this deed.

- ...But there's nothing -- you have haven't -- you haven't articulated that there's a transfer and there is no document that shows a transfer between -- between RAMP and RAAC."
- 71. The Claimant avers that the Debtor et al.'s record of varying and conflicting assignees and after-the-fact assignments (Exhibits 5 and 8) followed by two corrective assignments and court-recorded explanations of "I can't confirm," and "I assume," and "it doesn't matter" if two different parties both hold simultaneous notes on the subject property evidences both a plausible allegation of injury due to doubling Claimant's indebtedness, and a very real conflict that begs for Discovery or Declarative Judgment to clear up.

Claimant Has Standing to Challenge Putative Assignments &other Defects Not Barred by Montgomery v. BAC

- 72. The Debtor et al. and the state lower court leaned heavily on Montgomery v. BAC and You v. Chase to support that it "doesn't matter who or how many note holders there are, and that the Claimant doesn't have standing to challenge assignments of notes, deeds or other defects. This case is unlike Montgomery in key aspects:
- 73. While Montgomery challenged MERS's right to convey the assignment to BAC, Claimant has never challenged FT Mortgage's or any succeeding assignee's right to assign the rights and interest in the security deed. Instead, in his original Complaint (Exhibit 1) Plaintiff challenged the Defendant's claim that they held those rights based on (a) a broken chain of title via errors in the

securitization chain violation of 14-44-162 (b) no (executed or filed) assignment prior to foreclosure, and in his 2nd amended complaint (See SAC attached) based on a break in the chain of title caused by apparently duplicated and simultaneous assignments and actual utilization of the Powers of Sales clauses by RAMP (NYBMT) and to RAAC (NYBMT).

- 74. The Claimant avers that the Montgomery v. BAC Court would not have intended to preclude all borrowers from challenging the validity of mortgage assignments under Georgia law.
- 75. To support this assertion, note that the US District Court for the Northern District of Georgia in *Bahaeddin Kharazmi vs. BAC* has ruled:

"While plaintiff has not asserted a viable claim for damages for wrongful attempted foreclosure, he does assert a cognizable claim for injunctive relief barring Bank of America from proceeding with a foreclosure based on its alleged lack of authority to foreclose. (Compl. ¶ 103-115.) A court may enjoin a nonjudicial foreclosure sale where the authority to foreclose is in question. See Atlanta Dwellings, Inc. v. Wright, 527 S.E.2d 854, 856 (Ga. 2000); West v. Koufman, 384 S.E.2d at 666; Cotton v. First Nat'l Bank of Gwinnett Co., 220 S.E.2d 132 (Ga. 1975)" (Emphasis mine)

76. While not binding in Georgia, the 6th Circuit Court of Appeals in *Slorp v. Lerner*, *Sampson, et al* offers a persuasive course when their ruling similar to Montgomery v. BAC was taken too broadly:

"The district court in Livonia Properties stated that an individual "who is not a party to an assignment lacks standing to challenge that assignment," and our Livonia Properties opinion quoted and endorsed that general statement, perhaps inartfully. 399 F. App'x at 102.

But we quickly limited the scope of that rule, clarifying that a non-party homeowner may challenge the validity of an assignment to establish the assignee's lack of title, among other defects. Id. (citing 6A C.J.S. Assignments § 132); see also Carmack v. Bank of N.Y. Mellon, 534 F. App'x 508, 511–12 (6th Cir. 2013)

"Livonia's statement on standing should not be read broadly to preclude all borrowers from challenging the validity of mortgage assignments under Michigan law." Thus a non-party homeowner may challenge a putative assignment's validity on the basis that it was not effective to pass legal title to the putative assignee. See Conlin v. Mortg. Elec. Registration Sys., 714 F.3d 355, 361 (6th Cir. 2013); Livonia Props., 399 F. App'x at 102; see also Woods v. Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., 733 F.3d 349, 353–54 (1st Cir. 2013); 6A C.J.S. Assignments § 132 ("The debtor may also question a plaintiff's lack of title or the right to sue.").

Not Barred by You v. Chase

- 77. While the lower court has said "As the Deed Holder, BNY is the "secured creditor" entitled to exercise the powers of sale under Georgia law. See You v. JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., 293 Ga 67 (2013)" the You v. Chase ruling does not apply in this case for several reasons
 - The Claimant seeks protection from actual doubling of his debt obligation and
 double foreclosure owing to his loan/deed having been owned simultaneously
 by two companies. Even if those two companies (RAMP and RAAC) had
 actual standing and did assign the deed to one trustee, NYBMT such
 assignment of "holder" status doesn't preclude NYBMT from acting on both
 of their instructions to attempt of foreclose or otherwise collect the alleged
 debt.
 - The record proves that the Debtor et al. or their trustee (NYBMT) can and have attempted to collect from the Claimant for both RAMP and RAAC in the past.
 - Based on Claimant's interpretation of what GA Supreme Court Justice David
 E. Nahmias was heard to say at the You v. Chase Oral Arguments about a
 homeowner interpleading in the face of actual double jeopardy, this is the kind
 of protection to which he may have been referring. (Exhibit 9)

- The Claimant has averred a break in the chain of title and or simultaneous holding of title by ResCap, RAMP or RAAC renders their authority in subject loan or property and their ability to assign the security deed in the subject property void.
- If the attempted transfer was void, then NYBMT could not claim to be the holder of the Madzimoyo deed by virtue of being the successor trustee of the securitized trust. (See Thomas A. Glaski, V. Bank of America, NA, et al 5th District Court of Appeals, California)
- Nothing in the You v. Chase ruling suggested that the Court held that the putative
 assignee of note or deed was above challenge by the homeowner/borrowers and
 Claimant has already shown above why Claimant is not barred by Montgomery v.
 BAC.

DEBTOR ET AL. IS NOT AUTHORIZED TO FORECLOSE

- 78. The Plaintiff raised the contradiction between RAAC's claim to the Plaintiff's note and security deed via a Notice of Foreclosure and the Defendant's 1st Corrective Assignment claiming the note and security deed for RAMP-BNY in his 2nd Complaint and Motion for Temporary Restraining order (See Exhibit 1)
- 79. Based on the conflict between the DeKalb County records and Debtor "owners" via Notices of Foreclosure, Superior Court Judge Michael Hancock ruled the Defendants in violation of OCGA 44-14-162 (a-c). Over the Defendants' "he hasn't tendered his arrears" and "he's here for a second bite of the apple" objections, Judge Hancock, halted the Sept. 6th 2011 foreclosure sale, and allowed the Plaintiff's second case to move forward. That case would later be consolidated with the Plaintiff's original Complaint remanded back to Superior Court by 11th Circuit mandate (Exhibit 1)
- 80. The Defendants Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings, nor any other of their pleadings

deny the competing claims recognized by Judge Hancock.

- 81. The lower court Judge presented You v. Chase as the answer: "First, under You, BNY is entitled to foreclose without regard to the identity of the note holder. (Exhibit 1). The Claimant avers that the lower court has confused the "identities of the note holder" with the valid authority of the note holders. The Claimant avers that the You Court assumed that the assigner and the assignment of security deed to the "holder" would be valid under Georgia law.
- **82.** Babalola v. HSBC Bank, USA NA (Ga. App., 2013) demonstrates that evidence is required to determine if you have authority to foreclose:

"We are unable to determine from the pleadings (as opposed to the evidence presented in support of the motion to dismiss), however, whether HSBC was the holder of the security deed, as it contends it was, or whether Litton was appointed to serve as HSBC's agent with respect to that deed. We are therefore constrained to find that Babalola's assertion that neither HSBC nor Litton had the authority to foreclose on his property supports his wrongful foreclosure claim."

- 83. The Debtor et al's second challenge to the Claimant's "one satisfaction theory" is that he "sites no authority prohibiting assignment of the Note which is freely assignable absent some provision to the contrary." While the note may have been assigned, both Superior Court Judge Tangela Barrie and Hancock have enjoined the Debtor, et al from a foreclosure sale for want of a "complete chain of title." The record clearly shows that whenever the Debtor et al. have attempted to show a complete chain of title, it was either non-existent or contradicted by the Debtor et al.'s own filings in the DeKalb County, GA real estate Records.
- 84. To find the "provision to the contrary" we need look no further than to this Court of

Appeals in Holloway v. U.S. Bank Trust National Association:

"There is some evidence that U.S. Bank acquired its security deed from a party who acquired her interest through <u>constructive fraud</u>, so the bank has not shown as a matter of law that it acquired good title. We therefore reverse." (Emphasis mine)

SECOND CORRECTIVE ASSIGNMENT FAILS

- 85. The Claimant avers that the dual and simultaneous selling "either paid off his mortgage or doubled his indebtedness without his permission or consent. Moreover, the record shows that the Claimant has long maintained that he owes the Debtor et al. nothing, and they have yet to martial evidence that they are legal owners of his debt or security deed. When the Debtor et al. first commenced foreclosure they weren't the lawful assignees, and each time they have attempted to assert the validity of their claim, they have contradicted themselves.
 - No assignment executed to establish Claimant's indebtedness to RAMP-BNY at the
 first foreclosure attempt July, 2009. Contradiction between Notice (Secured
 Creditor) and 1st Corrected assignment challenge validity of Defendants claim of
 title (Judge Hancock)
 - The same contradiction between who the Defendants claim in their Motion to
 Dismiss is the valid assignee (RAMP-BNY), and the 2nd Corrected Assignment
 (RAAC-BNY) exists now. Only the roles have been reversed.
- **86.** Plaintiff's documented objections and citation of authority to the 1st objections stand doubly here:

According to US Legal.Com:

The doctrine of Scrivener's error is a legal principle which permits a typographical error in a written contract to be corrected by parol evidence if the evidence is clear, convincing, and precise. However if such correction affects property rights then it must be approved by those affected by it. (Emphasis Added) Scrivener's error is an error due to a minor mistake or inadvertence and not one that occurs from judicial reasoning or determination.

CLAIMANT HAS EFFECTIVELY STATED A CLAIM FOR WRONGFUL FORECLOSURE, INJUNCTIVE RELIEF, DAMAGES, AND IS NOT BOUND BY GA LAW TO TENDER ARREARS

Though not always using the caption of wrongful foreclosure, Georgia courts have recognized claims for (1) injunctive relief to set aside a past unlawful foreclosure, (2) damages arising out of a past unlawful foreclosure, (3) injunctive relief to prevent an unauthorized foreclosure, and (4) damages arising out of an attempted unauthorized foreclosure. See, e.g., Curl v. Fed. Sav. & Loan, 244 S.E.2d 812, 812 (Ga. 1978); Calhoun First Nat'l Bank v. Dickens, 443 S.E.2d 837, 838 (Ga. 1994); West v. Koufman, 384 S.E.2d 664, 665 (Ga. 1989); Sale City Peanut & Milling Co. v. Planters & Citizens Bank, 130 S.E.2d 518, 520 (Ga. Ct. App. 1963"

88. According to the Gonzaga Law Review:

"Many jurisdictions have found that attempted wrongful foreclosure gives rise to a common law cause of action, if under the rubric of other claims. For example, Georgia courts have found liability for attempted wrongful foreclosure in common law theories of damage to compensate a grantor's damaged reputation, invasion of privacy, and libel arising from the illegal foreclosure. These courts allow plaintiffs to assert a claim for attempted wrongful foreclosure when a defendant breaches their duty by knowingly and intentionally publicizing "untrue and derogatory" information concerning the debtor's financial condition and the debtor sustains damages as a direct result of this publication (Emphasis Added)

(See Aetna Fin. Co. v. Culpepper, 315 S.E. 2d 228, 232 (Ga. Ct. App. 1984); Jenkins v. McCalla

Ravmer LLC, 492 Fed. Appx. 968, 972 (11th Cir. 2012); Sale City Peanut Co. v. Planters & Citizens Bank, 130 S.E. 2d 518, 520 (Ga. Ct. App. 1963); Hodson v. Whitworth, 266 S.E. 2d 561, 565 (Ga. Ct. App. 1980); Mayo v. Bank of Carroll County, 276 S.E.2d 660 (Ga. Ct. App. 1981)

- 89. "A wrongful publication that plaintiff has defaulted on a loan may constitute an untrue and derogatory statement concerning the plaintiff's financial condition. See Hauf v. HomEq Servicing Corp., No. 4:05-CV-109, 2007 WL 486699, at *6 (N.D. Ga. Feb. 9, 2007)."
- 90. In Bahaeddin Kharazmi v. BAC (US District Court for the Northern District of GA) the Court found, "Plaintiff is alleging that Bank of America does not hold his note. (Compl. ¶ 23.) If Plaintiff succeeds in proving that Bank of America is not the holder of the note, in addition to the other elements required for injunctive relief, then no tender would be required because no sum would be due to Bank of America under the note. See Everson v. Franklin Discount Co., 285 S.E.2d 530, 533 (Ga. 1982); Sapp v. ABC Credit & Inv. Co., 253 S.E.2d 82, 87 (Ga. 1979); Davis v. Atlanta Fin. Co., 129 S.E. 51, 52 (Ga. 1925). Therefore, the Court finds that dismissal on grounds of failure to tender would be premature at this time, because Plaintiff has alleged facts in the complaint that suggest he owes no duty in equity to Bank of America (Emphasis mine)
- 91. The Debtor et al.'s position, and that of the lower court that "Plaintiff may not state a claim for wrongful foreclosure where no sale actually occurred" relies on Hay v. Bank of Am, which relies on Edwards v. BAC who referenced Roper: "Plaintiffs may not state a claim for wrongful foreclosure where no foreclosure sale has actually occurred."); Roper v. Parcel of Land, No. 1:09-CV-0312-RWS, 2010 WL 1691836, at *2 (N.D. Ga. Apr. 23, 2010).
- 92. Claimant's investigation reveals that on this issue, Roper was poorly plead. In fact, the

Plaintiff in Roper had motioned for a voluntary dismissal prior to the ruling. What's more: Roper motioned to dismiss her counsel, which was granted. She continued though; she wanted to withdraw apparently without the service of counsel.

93. The Claimant avers that the Roper Court merely ruled based on the brief presented.

Neither the Roper, Edwards nor Hay Courts addressed the established ruling listed above. Based on the Claimant's research, these were simply not brought to the Court's attention.

CLAIMANT IS ENTITLED TO EQUITABLE, QUIET TITLE AND DECLARATIVE AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

94. Regarding Quiet Title and Declaratory relief, the Georgia Court of Appeals in *Washington* vs. *FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE* (August 6, 2014) has ruled:

"Even though Washington may lack standing to bring a quiet title action, it appears that his complaint sufficiently states a basis for the trial court to issue a declaratory judgment regarding parties"

95. In that same case:

...the trial Court determined that the complaint shows that Washington lacks current legal title or current prescriptive title and therefore that he lacks standing to seek and order quieting title (Woodberry v. Bank of America and OCGA 23-3-61) Although Washington characterized his action, in part, as one seeking quiet title, however "the well-established rule in Georgia is that, under our system of notice pleadings, the substance, rather than the nomenclature, of legal pleadings determines their nature." (Emphasis Added.) Cotton v. Federal Land Bank, 246 Ga. 188, 191 (269SR2d422)(1980) See also Kuriatnyk v. kuriatnyk, 286 Ga, 589, 590 (690 SE2d 397) (2010) (accord.) Accordingly, "pleadings, motions, and orders are to be construed according to their substance and function and not merely as to their nomenclature, being always mindful to construe such

documents in a manner compatible with the best interest of justice."

- **96.** Plaintiff is entitled to declarative relief given the previously documented dual, competing claims on subject property and double claims to Plaintiff's indebtedness
- 97. On injunctive relief Georgia law is clear on this matter:
- "A Court may enjoin a non-judicial foreclosure sale in a wrongful foreclosure action where the authority to foreclose is in question". See Atlanta Dwellings, Inc. v. Wright, 527 S.E. 2nd 854,856 (Ga. 2000).

Although the Debtor, et al. have asserted otherwise, Georgia Courts have already allowed <u>"A</u> claim of wrongful foreclosure or a power of sale can be asserted even though a debt is in default,"

(Emphasis added) Brown et al v. Freeman; and vice versa., 222 Ga App. 213 (474 SE2d 73

V. CONCLUSION

98. As stated herein, Claimant has stated valid claims for liability against Debtor – ResCap – GMAC. The trust presents a blanket defense void of any evidence for the Court to rebut the *prima facie* presumption in favor of Claimant. Additionally, as set forth above, Mr. Madzimoyo has never admitted to being in default on his Mortgage Loan, and has disputed the ResCap GMAC, et al. efforts as Servicer and purported "lender/note/interest holders" ability to legally make such a claim against him. Mr. Madzimoyo's claims set forth in all his causes of action are neither time barred, nor speculative, and if the Court has any hesitation whatsoever, Claimant requests the Court to exercise its discretion and permit him to pursue his claims in the pending action in the Georgia Appellate Court or alternatively to appoint a special master at the Debtors' and the Trust's expense to make findings of fact after a period of discovery and an evidentiary hearing/trial. In sum, Mr. Madzimoyo's claim should be moved to the liability borrower claims

pool and retain its status as an active claim for which the Debtors are wholly liable. For these reasons, Claimant requests the Court to overrule the Trust's Objection with prejudice or grant leave to pursue the alternative relief requested herein.

99. WHEREFORE, the Claimant respectfully requests that the Court enter an order in which Mr. Madzimoyo's claim is neither disallowed nor expunged, granting the relief herein and granting such other relief as is just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November, 5, 2014

Wekesa O. Madzimoyo
Wekesa Madzimoyo, Claimant

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In Re: Chapter 11

RESIDENTIAL CAPITAL, LLC, et al.

Case No.: 12-12020 (MG)

Debtors.

ORDER DENYING OBJECTION OF THE RESCAP BORROWER TRUST CLAIM NUMBER 5800 FILED BY WEKESA MADZIMOYO

Upon consideration of the objection of the ResCap Borrowers Claims Trust As the successor to Residential Capital, LLC, and its affiliated debtors and debtors in possession with respect to Borrower Claims, and the response and opposition by Wekesa Madzimoyo, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

- The relief requested in the Objection is DENIED as set forth in the Court's Memorandum
 Opinion and/or statements on the record at a hearing held on November 20, 2014 in this
 Court;
- 2. The relief requested by the ResCap Borrower Trust is denied with prejudice; and
- Kurtzman Carlson Consultants LLC, the Claims and Noticing Agent on behalf of the Debtors, is directed to mark the claims register consistent with this Order.

Dated:	. 2014
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The Honorable Martin Glenn United States Bankruptcy Judge [Type text]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy was mailed on November 5, 2014 to:

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