GEORGE HAGUE, AS TRUSTEE

Plaintiffs,

Defendants.

IRREVOCABLE TRUST, et al.,

v.

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., et al.,

OF THE HAGUE FAMILY

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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Dated: 7/2/12

ORDER STAYING DECISION ON MOTION FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES

NO. C11-02366 TEH

This matter comes before the Court on Defendants' motion for award of attorney's fees, filed April 24, 2012 by Defendant Wells Fargo Bank. Plaintiff, in his opposition to the motion for attorney's fees, requests the Court stay decision on this matter pending the determination of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals on the merits of the motion to dismiss granted by this Court. Defendants, in their reply to Plaintiff's opposition, do not offer any authority suggesting that it would be inappropriate to do so, nor clearly oppose this request by Plaintiff, and therefore the Court grants Plaintiff's request to defer ruling on the issue of attorney's fees until a decision on the pending appeal has issued. The hearing previously set for July 16, 2012, is hereby VACATED, and decision on the matter of attorney's fees is STAYED pending a determination on Plaintiff's appeal. Defendants shall re-file their motion for award of attorney's fees within fourteen days of the issuance of the appellate court's decision on Plaintiff's appeal.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT