## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH CENTRAL DIVISION

In re

STEPHEN CARLOS DANA aka Casa De Mia KAROLYN SUE DANA.

ORDER

Debtors.

Civil No: C-87-617W

Bankruptcy No. 87C-00810

PRUDENTIAL FEDERAL SAVINGS,

Appellee,

-vs-

STEPHEN CARLOS DANA aka Casa De Mia KAROLYN SUE DANA,

Appellants.

This court held a hearing on this matter on November 10, 1987. Richard Calder represented the appellants. David T. Berry represented the respondents. After the hearing this court informed counsel that it was of the tentative opinion that debtors' attempted filing of a Chapter 13 bankruptcy petition while another Chapter 13 petition was pending was void at its inception. See Administration of Veterans' Affairs v. Lunsford, 39 B.K. 490 (Bktcy N.D. Ga. 1984); In re Whet, Inc., 33 B.R. 443 (Bktcy D. Mass. 1983); <u>In re Cowen</u>, 29 B.R. 888 (Bktcy D. Mass. 1983). Because counsel had not had an adequate opportunity to brief this issue this court asked counsel to submit briefs on the issue. In response to this request the appellants informed us

that they were in agreement with this tentative ruling and asked this court to immediately enter an order dismissing their bankruptcy. Therefore, the bankruptcy of Stephen Carlos Dana, Bankruptcy No. 87C-00810, District Court No. C-87-617W, is dismissed.

Dated this 40 day of December, 1987.

David K. Winder

United States District Judge

Mailed a copy of the foregoing to the following named counsel this day of December, 1987.

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