

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR CREDIT SUISSE
FIRST BOSTON MORTGAGE SECURITIES CORP., CSMC
MORTGAGE-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-6

v.

MARTYN J. YOUNG et al.

Submitted on Briefs January 28, 2016
Decided February 2, 2016

Panel: ALEXANDER, MEAD, GORMAN, JABAR, HJELM, and
HUMPHREY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

US Bank National Association appeals from an order of the Superior Court (York County, *Fritzsche, J.*) requiring it to pay Martyn J. Young's attorney fees accrued in Young's defense of the Bank's foreclosure complaint. Contrary to the Bank's contention, the court did not abuse its discretion in determining that the Bank's conduct throughout the proceedings leading to a dismissal of the complaint without prejudice warranted an exercise of the court's inherent authority to impose sanctions. *See Chiappetta v. LeBlond*, 544 A.2d 759, 760 (Me. 1988) (“[T]he trial court does possess inherent authority to sanction parties . . . for abuse of the litigation process. We review such action . . . under an abuse of discretion standard.” (citations omitted)).

The entry is:

Order affirmed.

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