

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:97-cv-02958-TPJ**

EDDINGTON v. CIA, et al
Assigned to: Judge Thomas Penfield Jackson
Demand: \$0
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 12/10/1997
Date Terminated: 10/20/1999
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government
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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/10/1997	1	COMPLAINT filed by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON (JMF) (Entered: 12/22/1997)
12/10/1997		SUMMONS (5) issued to federal party(s) federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD , and non-parties: U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (JMF) (Entered: 12/22/1997)
12/10/1997	2	MOTION filed by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON for leave to file complaint in violation of local rule 106 (e) (JMF) (Entered: 12/22/1997)
01/16/1998	3	MOTION (UNOPPOSED) filed by federal defendant to extend time to one-week to answer complaint [1-1] (JMF) (Entered: 01/20/1998)

01/20/1998	4	ORDER by Judge James Robertson : granting motion to extend time to one-week to answer complaint [1-1] [3-1] by federal defendant ; Answer extended to 1/23/98 for DOD, for DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, for DOS, for CIA (N) (jeb) (Entered: 01/20/1998)
01/26/1998	5	MOTION filed by federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD to extend time for ten days to answer or respond to the complaint [1-1] (JMF) (Entered: 01/28/1998)
02/02/1998	6	ORDER by Judge James Robertson : granting motion to extend time for ten days to answer or respond to the complaint [1-1] [5-1] by federal defendant ; Answer extended to 2/5/98 for DOD, for DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, for DOS, for CIA (N) (jeb) (Entered: 02/02/1998)
02/05/1998	7	AMENDED COMPLAINT by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON [1-1] . (JMF) (Entered: 02/06/1998)
02/13/1998	8	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE for federal defendant by Charles F. Flynn (JMF) (Entered: 02/17/1998)
02/13/1998	9	NOTICE OF FILING by federal defendants' of related case (97cv0108;TPJ) (JMF) (Entered: 02/17/1998)
02/17/1998	10	ANSWER TO AMENDED COMPLAINT [7-1] by federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD (JMF) (Entered: 02/19/1998)
02/27/1998		CASE REASSIGNED to Judge Thomas P. Jackson (jeb) (Entered: 03/03/1998)
03/13/1998	11	MEET AND CONFER STATEMENT/REPORT (JOINT) PURSUANT TO L.R. 206(d) filed by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON, federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD . (tth) (Entered: 03/16/1998)
05/12/1998		STATUS HEARING before Judge Thomas P. Jackson : status hearing set for 9:30 7/24/98 ; Reporter: P.Merana (rew) (Entered: 05/12/1998)
05/22/1998	12	MOTION filed by federal defendant CIA for summary judgment as to count one (tb) (Entered: 05/26/1998)
05/22/1998	13	ERRATA by federal defendant CIA of the declaration of William H. McNair in support of a motion for summary judgment as to count one of the first admended complaint; declaration (1); exhibit (1) (tb) Modified on 05/27/1998 (Entered: 05/26/1998)
05/22/1998	14	STATUS REPORT (JOINT) by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON, federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD (tb) (Entered: 05/26/1998)
06/04/1998	15	RESPONSE by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON in opposition to motion for summary judgment as to count one [12-1] by CIA ; exhibits (8) (tb) (Entered: 06/05/1998)

06/12/1998	16	MOTION (UNOPPOSED) filed by federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD to extend time to 7/2/98 to reply to plaintiff's opposition to defendant's motion for summary judgment as to count one (tb) (Entered: 06/15/1998)
06/23/1998	17	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion to extend time to 7/2/98 to reply to plaintiff's opposition to defendant's motion for summary judgment as to count one [16-1] by DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, CIA (N) (rew) (Entered: 06/30/1998)
07/01/1998	18	SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL for federal defendants CIA, DOS, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, and DOD, substituting Eric Mark Jaffe for attorney Charles Francis Flynn for DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, and CIA (tb) (Entered: 07/02/1998)
07/02/1998	19	REPLY by federal defendant CIA to response to motion for summary judgment as to count one [12-1] by CIA (tth) (Entered: 07/06/1998)
07/23/1998	20	MOTION filed by federal defendants CIA, DOS, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, and DOD to extend time to 8/11/98 to file a motion for summary judgment (tb) (Entered: 07/24/1998)
07/24/1998		STATUS HEARING before Judge Thomas P. Jackson : status hearing set for 9:30 8/24/98 ; Reporter: P.Merana (rew) (Entered: 07/24/1998)
07/27/1998	21	MEMORANDUM AND ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson ,granting defendant's motion for summary judgment as to Court one of the amended complaint and directing the clerk to enter judgment as to count one only. (N) (N) (rew) (Entered: 07/27/1998)
07/27/1998	22	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion to extend time to 8/11/98 to file a motion for summary judgment [20-1] by DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, CIA motion for summary judgment due by 8/11/98 ; (N) (rew) (Entered: 07/27/1998)
07/27/1998	23	JUDGMENT by Judge Thomas P. Jackson in favor of federal defendant CIA against plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON as to count one of the amended compalint only.(N) (rew) (Entered: 07/27/1998)
08/11/1998	24	MOTION (UNOPPOSED) filed by federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD to extend time to 8/25/98 to file a summary judgment motion as to count four of plaintiff's amended complaint (tb) (Entered: 08/12/1998)
08/12/1998	25	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion to extend time to 8/25/98 to file a summary judgment motion as to count four of plaintiff's amended complaint [24-1] by DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, CIA motion for summary judgment due by 8/25/98 ; (N) (rew) (Entered: 08/12/1998)
08/24/1998		MOTION HEARING before Judge Thomas P. Jackson, defendants motion for summary judgment on counts 1,6 and 10 heard and taken under admisement, status hearing set for 9:30 10/30/98 Reporter: P. Merana (rew) (Entered: 08/24/1998)

08/31/1998	26	STIPULATION AGREED SCHEDULE FOR COUNT 4 filed and fiated by Judge Thomas P. Jackson setting schedule for processing FOIA request, exhibit A . (N) (rew) (Entered: 09/01/1998)
09/25/1998	27	NOTICE OF INTERLOCUTORY APPEAL by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON from judgment order [23-1], entered on: 07/27/98; \$105.00 FILING FEE PAID, copies mailed to Mark S. Zaid & Eric M. Jaffe. (tb) (Entered: 09/28/1998)
09/28/1998		TRANSMITTED PRELIMINARY RECORD on appeal [27-1] by PATRICK G. EDDINGTON to U.S. Court of Appeals (tb) (Entered: 09/28/1998)
10/01/1998		USCA # 98-5469 assigned for appeal [27-1] by PATRICK G. EDDINGTON (tb) (Entered: 10/02/1998)
10/29/1998		SCHEDULING NOTICE: status hearing set for 9:30 1/29/98 ; before Judge Thomas P. Jackson . (rew) (Entered: 11/17/1998)
02/11/1999	28	MEET AND CONFER STATEMENT/REPORT PURSUANT TO L.R. 206(d) filed by plaintiff, federal defendants. (tb) (Entered: 02/12/1999)
02/12/1999		STATUS HEARING before Judge Thomas P. Jackson : status hearing set for 9:30 4/26/99 ; Reporter: P. Merana (rew) (Entered: 02/12/1999)
03/08/1999	29	MOTION filed by federal defendant CIA, federal defendant DOS, federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, federal defendant DOD for partial summary judgment in its favor as to count four of the plaintiffs' first amended complaint with respect to DOD's response to date to the Freedom of Information Act request that is the subject of this count on the grounds that no genuine issue of material fact exists and DOD is entitled to judgment as a matter of law ; exhibits (7) (tw) (Entered: 03/09/1999)
04/07/1999	30	CERTIFIED COPY of Order filed in USCA dated 2/16/99, referencing appeal [27-1] , affirming the judgment of USDC . USCA # 98-5469 (cjp) (Entered: 04/11/1999)
04/15/1999	31	MOTION filed by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON for a nunc pro tunc extension of time to 5/10/99 to submit their Opposition and/or Cross-Motion to the Department of Defense's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment as to Count Four. (tth) (Entered: 04/16/1999)
04/19/1999	32	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion for a nunc pro tunc extension of time to 5/10/99 to submit their Opposition and/or Cross-Motion to the Department of Defense's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment as to Count Four. [31-1] by PATRICK G. EDDINGTON response to motion for summary judgment due 5/10/99 ; status hearing set for 9:30 8/27/99 ; (N) (rew) (Entered: 04/19/1999)
05/10/1999	33	CROSS MOTIONS by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON for discovery (tw) (Entered: 05/11/1999)
05/10/1999	34	RESPONSE by plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON in opposition to DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE's motion for partial summary judgment as to count four [29-1]; declarations (2) (tw) Modified on 05/11/1999 (Entered: 05/11/1999)

05/20/1999	35	MOTION (UNOPPOSED) filed by federal defendant DOD to extend time to 6/10/99 to reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Department of Defense's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment as to Count Four and Plaintiff's Cross-Motion for Discovery (tth) (Entered: 05/21/1999)
05/25/1999	36	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion to extend time to 6/10/99 to reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Department of Defense's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment as to Count Four and Plaintiff's Cross-Motion for Discovery [35-1] by DOD response to motion for summary judgment due 6/10/99 ; (N) (rew) (Entered: 05/27/1999)
06/10/1999	37	REPLY by federal defendant DOD to response to motion for partial summary judgment in its favor as to count four of the plaintiffs' first amended complaint with respect to DOD's response to date to the Freedom of Information Act request that is the subject of this count on the grounds that no genuine issue of material fact exists and DOD is entitled to judgment as a matter of law [29-1] by DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, CIA; Exhibit (1) (tth) (Entered: 06/11/1999)
08/26/1999		SCHEDULING NOTICE: status hearing set for 9:30 9/16/99 ; before Judge Thomas P. Jackson . (rew) (Entered: 08/26/1999)
08/30/1999		SCHEDULING NOTICE: status hearing set for 9:30 9/16/99 ; before Judge Thomas P. Jackson . (rew) (Entered: 08/30/1999)
09/15/1999		SCHEDULING NOTICE: status hearing set for 9:30 10/22/99 ; before Judge Thomas P. Jackson . (rew) (Entered: 09/15/1999)
10/18/1999	38	STATUS REPORT by plaintiffs, federal defendants (tw) (Entered: 10/20/1999)
10/19/1999	39	ORDER by Judge Thomas P. Jackson : granting motion for partial summary judgment in its favor as to count four of the plaintiffs' first amended complaint with respect to DOD's response to date to the Freedom of Information Act request that is the subject of this count on the grounds that no genuine issue of material fact exists and DOD is entitled to judgment as a matter of law [29-1] by DOD, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, DOS, CIA, and directing clerk to enter judgment, and all other pending motions are denied as moot and the action is dismissed with prejudice. (N) (rew) (Entered: 10/20/1999)
10/21/1999	40	JUDGMENT by Judge Thomas P. Jackson in favor of federal defendant DEPARTMENT OF STATE and against plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON as to count 4 of plaintiffs first amended complaint. (N) (rew) Modified on 10/21/1999 (Entered: 10/21/1999)
02/03/2000	41	NOTICE OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS by Mark Steven Zaid representing plaintiff PATRICK G. EDDINGTON . New address: 1275 K Street, NW , Suite 770, WASHINGTON DC 202 371 6626 . (bjsp) (Entered: 02/04/2000)