

**U.S. District Court  
Northern District of Georgia (Atlanta)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:20-cv-02752-TWT**

Wattleton v. U.S. Department of Justice  
Assigned to: Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 06/29/2020  
Date Terminated: 07/29/2021  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 540 Mandamus & Other  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff****David Earl Wattleton**

represented by **David Earl Wattleton**  
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Federal Medical Center  
PMB 4000  
Rochester, MN 55903-4000  
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**Defendant****U.S. Department of Justice**

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
06/29/2020	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT filed by David Earl Wattleton. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(eop) Please visit our website at <a href="http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms">http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms</a> to obtain Pretrial Instructions and Pretrial Associated Forms which includes the Consent To Proceed Before U.S. Magistrate form. (Entered: 07/01/2020)
06/29/2020	<u>3</u>	<b>DOCUMENT FILED IN ERROR (duplicate filing)</b> COMPLAINT for Mandamus Relief filed by David Earl Wattleton. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet) (jpk) Please visit our website at <a href="http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms">http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms</a> to obtain Pretrial Instructions and Pretrial Associated Forms which includes the Consent To Proceed Before U.S. Magistrate form. Modified on 7/1/2020 to edit text (jpk). (Entered: 07/01/2020)
07/01/2020	<u>2</u>	FOURTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONA VIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 7/1/20. (eop) (Entered: 07/01/2020)
07/01/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>2</u> Order. (eop) (Entered: 07/01/2020)
07/01/2020		Submission of <u>1</u> Complaint to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker for IFP review. (jpk) (Entered: 07/01/2020)
07/02/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>2</u> Order. (kt) (Entered: 07/02/2020)
07/07/2020	<u>4</u>	<b>WITHDRAWN PER THE 15 ORDER ORDER:</b> The Clerk is DIRECTED to re-designate this action as a non-prisoner case and to terminate the referral to the Magistrate Judge pursuant to Standing Order No. 14-01. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 7/7/2020. (bnp) Modified on 4/23/2021 (ah). (Entered: 07/07/2020)
07/07/2020		Case no longer referred to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. (bnp) (Entered: 07/07/2020)

07/07/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>4</u> Order. (bnp) (Entered: 07/07/2020)
07/07/2020	<u>5</u>	ORDER: Plaintiff must, within THIRTY (30) DAYS of the date of the entry date of this order, either submit the full filing and administrative fee of \$400.00, or execute and return a financial affidavit seeking leave to proceed in forma pauperis. The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to forward the appropriate financial affidavit to plaintiff, together with a copy of this Order. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 7/7/2020. (bnp) (Entered: 07/08/2020)
07/08/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>5</u> Order and IFP form. (bnp) (Entered: 07/08/2020)
07/13/2020	<u>6</u>	FIFTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 7/10/2020 (mmc) (ADI) (Entered: 07/13/2020)
07/14/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton RE: <u>6</u> Fifth Admin Order. (aaq) (Entered: 07/14/2020)
07/20/2020	<u>7</u>	APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis by David Earl Wattleton. (bnp) (Entered: 07/21/2020)
07/21/2020		Submission of <u>5</u> Order, <u>7</u> APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. (bnp) (Entered: 07/21/2020)
07/22/2020	<u>8</u>	ORDER GRANTING In Forma Pauperis, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). However, Service of Process shall not issue at present time and the Clerk shall submit this file to the assigned District Judge for a frivolity determination under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2). Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 7/22/2020. (kt) (Entered: 07/22/2020)
07/22/2020		Submission of <u>8</u> Order ruling on IFP. (kt) (Entered: 07/22/2020)
07/22/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>8</u> Order ruling on IFP, Order that Service of Process shall not issue at present time. (kt) (Entered: 07/22/2020)
08/04/2020	<u>9</u>	SIXTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 08/03/2020. (dgs) (ADI) (Entered: 08/04/2020)
08/05/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>9</u> Sixth Amended Order. (kt) (Entered: 08/05/2020)
09/02/2020	<u>10</u>	SEVENTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 9/1/2020. (ddm) (ADI) (Entered: 09/02/2020)
09/03/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>10</u> Notice (Other). (adg) (Entered: 09/03/2020)
09/29/2020	<u>11</u>	EIGHTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID19 AND RELATED CORONA VIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 09/28/2020. (adg) (ADI) (Entered: 09/29/2020)
09/30/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>11</u> Notice (Other). (kt) (Entered: 09/30/2020)
12/09/2020	<u>12</u>	NINTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 12/08/2020. (aaq) (ADI) (Entered: 12/09/2020)
12/11/2020		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>12</u> Notice (Other). (bdb) (Entered: 12/11/2020)

01/28/2021	<u>13</u>	TENTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 01/27/2021. (ddm) (ADI) (Entered: 01/28/2021)
01/29/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>13</u> Notice (Other). (kt) (Entered: 01/29/2021)
03/10/2021	<u>14</u>	ELEVENTH AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 20-01 RE: COURT OPERATIONS UNDER THE EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY COVID-19 AND RELATED CORONAVIRUS. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 03/09/2021 (mmc) (ADI) (Entered: 03/10/2021)
03/11/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>14</u> Notice (Other). (ah) (Entered: 03/11/2021)
04/22/2021	<u>15</u>	ORDER REFERRING CASE to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. The Courts July 7, 2020, order re-designating this action as a non-prisoner case and terminating the referral to the Magistrate Judge is hereby WITHDRAWN. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 4/22/2021. (ah) (Entered: 04/23/2021)
04/23/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>15</u> Order Referring Case to Magistrate Judge. (ah) (Entered: 04/23/2021)
04/26/2021	<u>16</u>	ORDER: Plaintiff MUST supplement his complaint within TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS of the date of this order by filing a written response with the Clerk of Court stating whether he previously submitted a request to the DOJ for a copy of the evaluation, the date of any such request, and whether the DOJ has responded to his request. The Clerk is hereby DIRECTED to resubmit this action to the undersigned Magistrate Judge upon receipt of plaintiffs supplement or at the expiration of the time period noted above. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 4/26/2021. (ah) (Entered: 04/27/2021)
04/27/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>16</u> Order (ah) (Entered: 04/27/2021)
05/20/2021		Submission of <u>16</u> Order, to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. (ah) (Entered: 05/20/2021)
05/25/2021	<u>17</u>	ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE. Plaintiff is ORDERED to show cause why this action should not be DISMISSED by filing a written response with the Clerk of Court within FOURTEEN (14) DAYS of the date of this order. The Clerk is hereby DIRECTED to resubmit this action to the undersigned Magistrate Judge seventeen (17) days from the entry date of this order. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 5/25/2021. (ah) (Entered: 05/26/2021)
05/27/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>17</u> Order to Show Cause. (rvb) (Entered: 05/27/2021)
06/16/2021		Submission of <u>17</u> Order to Show Cause, to Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. (ah) (Entered: 06/16/2021)
06/30/2021	<u>18</u>	FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION. The undersigned RECOMMENDS that this action be DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE for plaintiffs failure to comply with lawful orders of the Court. The Clerk is DIRECTED to terminate the referral to the Magistrate Judge. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 6/30/2021. (ah) (Entered: 06/30/2021)
06/30/2021	<u>19</u>	ORDER for Service of <u>18</u> Final Report and Recommendation, by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker. Each party may file written objections to the Report & Recommendation within 14 days of service. If no objections are filed, the Report & Recommendation may be adopted as the opinion and order of the District Court. Signed by Magistrate Judge Linda T. Walker on 6/30/2021. (ah) (Entered: 06/30/2021)
06/30/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>19</u> Order for Service of Report and Recommendation,. (ah) (Entered: 06/30/2021)
07/01/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>18</u> FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION re <u>1</u> Complaint, filed by David Earl Wattleton. (ah) (Entered: 07/01/2021)

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07/28/2021		Submission of <u>18</u> FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION re <u>1</u> Complaint, filed by David Earl Wattleton, to District Judge Thomas W. Thrash Jr.. (ah) (Entered: 07/28/2021)
07/29/2021	<u>20</u>	ORDER adopting <u>18</u> Final Report and Recommendation. This action is DISMISSED. Signed by Judge Thomas W. Thrash, Jr. on 7/29/2021. (ah) (Entered: 07/30/2021)
07/29/2021		Civil Case Terminated. (ah) (Entered: 07/30/2021)
07/30/2021	<u>21</u>	CLERK'S JUDGMENT dismissing this action. (ah)--Please refer to <a href="http://www.ca11.uscourts.gov">http://www.ca11.uscourts.gov</a> to obtain an appeals jurisdiction checklist-- (Entered: 07/30/2021)
07/30/2021		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to David Earl Wattleton re <u>21</u> Clerk's Judgment, <u>20</u> Order on Final Report and Recommendation. (ah) (Entered: 07/30/2021)