U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cv-02427-ABJ

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

JUSTICE

Assigned to: Judge Amy Berman Jackson Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/15/2021 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/15/2021	1	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC–8734204) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons for US Attorney for DC, # 3 Summons for US Attorney General, # 4 Summons for U.S. Department of Justice)(Lee, Eric) (Entered: 09/15/2021)
09/15/2021	2	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Lee, Eric) (Entered: 09/15/2021)
09/15/2021		Case Assigned to Judge Amy Berman Jackson. (zsb) (Entered: 09/15/2021)
09/16/2021	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # 1 Notice and Consent)(adh,)

		(Entered: 09/16/2021)
09/22/2021	4	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 9/17/2021. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 10/17/2021. (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of David Rothstein)(Lee, Eric) (Entered: 09/22/2021)
09/22/2021	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 09/22/21. (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of David Rothstein)(Lee, Eric) (Entered: 09/22/2021)
09/22/2021	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE served on 9/22/2021 (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of David Rothstein)(Lee, Eric) (Entered: 09/22/2021)
10/18/2021	7	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.(Davis, Elliott) (Entered: 10/18/2021)
10/18/2021		MINUTE ORDER. Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. The requirements of Local Civil Rule 16.3 and Rule 26(f) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure appear to be inapplicable. Defendant shall file a dispositive motion or, in the alternative, a report setting forth the schedule for the completion of its production of documents to plaintiff, on or before November 15, 2021. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Amy Berman Jackson on 10/18/2021. (lcabj1) (Entered: 10/18/2021)
10/27/2021	<u>8</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Rebecca Michelle Kopplin on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Kopplin, Rebecca) (Entered: 10/27/2021)
10/27/2021	9	NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. Attorney Elliott M. Davis terminated. (Davis, Elliott) (Entered: 10/27/2021)
11/15/2021	<u>10</u>	STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Kopplin, Rebecca) (Entered: 11/15/2021)
11/15/2021		MINUTE ORDER. In light of the joint status report <u>10</u> , it is ORDERED that the parties submit another joint status report by December 15, 2021. Signed by Judge Amy Berman Jackson on 11/15/2021. (lcabj1) (Entered: 11/15/2021)
12/15/2021	<u>11</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC (Lee, Eric) (Entered: 12/15/2021)