

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cv-01491-CRC**

CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY et al
Assigned to: Judge Christopher R. Cooper
Cause: 05:702 Administrative Procedure Act

Date Filed: 06/02/2021
Date Terminated: 02/11/2022
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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V.

Defendant

**U.S. INTERNATIONAL
DEVELOPMENT FINANCE
CORPORATION**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
06/02/2021	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-8495955) filed by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons DFC, # <u>3</u> Summons AG, # <u>4</u> Summons USADC, # <u>5</u> Declaration Financial Disclosure CBD, # <u>6</u> Declaration Financial Disclosure FoE, # <u>7</u> Declaration Financial Disclosure CIEL)(Snape, William) (Entered: 06/02/2021)
06/02/2021		Case Assigned to Judge Christopher R. Cooper. (adh,) (Entered: 06/02/2021)
06/02/2021	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney

		General (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(adh,) (Entered: 06/02/2021)
06/02/2021	<u>3</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Financial Disclosure for CIEL, # <u>2</u> Financial Disclosure for FoE)(Snape, William) (Entered: 06/02/2021)
06/10/2021	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 6/9/2021. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 8/8/2021. (Snape, William) (Entered: 06/10/2021)
06/10/2021	<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 06/09/2021. (Snape, William) (Entered: 06/10/2021)
06/10/2021	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION served on 6/10/2021 (Snape, William) (Entered: 06/10/2021)
07/08/2021	<u>7</u>	DECLARATION by William Snape and others by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration Sarah Uhlemann, # <u>2</u> Declaration Kate DeAngelis, # <u>3</u> Declaration Doug Norlen, # <u>4</u> Declaration Carla Zendejas, # <u>5</u> Exhibit Attachment A, # <u>6</u> Exhibit Attachment B, # <u>7</u> Exhibit Attachment C, # <u>8</u> Exhibit Attachment D)(Snape, William) (Entered: 07/08/2021)
07/09/2021	<u>8</u>	MOTION to Dismiss , MOTION to Dismiss for Lack of Jurisdiction (<i>Defendant's Motion to Dismiss</i>) by U.S. INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Luh, James) (Entered: 07/09/2021)
07/13/2021	<u>9</u>	Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>File Opposition to Motion to Dismiss</i> by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Snape, William) Modified event on 7/13/2021 (ztd). (Entered: 07/13/2021)
07/16/2021		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>9</u> Motion for Extension of Time: It is hereby ORDERED that plaintiffs' time to respond to defendants' motion to dismiss is extended to August 13, 2021. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 7/16/2021. (lccrc1) (Entered: 07/16/2021)
08/13/2021	<u>10</u>	Memorandum in opposition to re <u>8</u> MOTION to Dismiss MOTION to Dismiss for Lack of Jurisdiction (<i>Defendant's Motion to Dismiss</i>) filed by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Attachment E, # <u>2</u> Exhibit Attachment F, # <u>3</u> Exhibit Attachment G, # <u>4</u> Declaration Re-filing ECF 7, # <u>5</u> Declaration Re-filing ECF 7.1, # <u>6</u> Declaration Re-filing ECF 7.2, # <u>7</u> Declaration Re-filing ECF 7.3, # <u>8</u> Declaration Re-filing ECF 7.4, # <u>9</u> Exhibit Re-filing Attachment A, ECF 7.5, # <u>10</u> Exhibit Re-filing Attachment B, ECF 7.6, # <u>11</u> Exhibit Re-filing Attachment C, ECF 7.7, # <u>12</u> Exhibit Re-filing Attachment D, ECF 7.8)(Snape, William) (Entered: 08/13/2021)
08/20/2021	<u>11</u>	REPLY to opposition to motion re <u>8</u> MOTION to Dismiss MOTION to Dismiss for Lack of Jurisdiction (<i>Defendant's Motion to Dismiss</i>) (<i>Defendant's Reply Memorandum in Support of Motion to Dismiss</i>) filed by U.S. INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION. (Luh, James) (Entered: 08/20/2021)
12/15/2021	<u>12</u>	NOTICE <i>Supplementary Facts</i> by CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration)(Snape, William) (Entered: 12/15/2021)
02/11/2022	<u>13</u>	ORDER granting Defendant's <u>8</u> Motion to Dismiss. See full Order and accompanying Memorandum Opinion for details. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 2/11/2022. (lccrc1) (Entered: 02/11/2022)

02/11/2022	<u>14</u>	MEMORANDUM OPINION re: <u>13</u> ORDER granting Defendant's <u>8</u> Motion to Dismiss. See full Memorandum Opinion for details. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 2/11/2022. (lccrc1) (Entered: 02/11/2022)
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