

**U.S. District Court**  
**District of Columbia (Washington, DC)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cv-02082-APM**

AMERICAN OVERSIGHT v. U.S. CENSUS BUREAU  
Assigned to: Judge Amit P. Mehta  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 08/03/2021  
Date Terminated: 06/24/2022  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
08/03/2021	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. CENSUS BUREAU ( Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-8643307) filed by AMERICAN OVERSIGHT. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons USAO, # <u>3</u> Summons AG, # <u>4</u> Summons Census Bureau)(Lewis, Emma) (Entered: 08/03/2021)
08/03/2021	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by AMERICAN OVERSIGHT (Lewis, Emma) (Entered: 08/03/2021)
08/03/2021		Case Assigned to Judge Amit P. Mehta. (adh, ) (Entered: 08/03/2021)
08/03/2021	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. CENSUS BUREAU, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(adh, ) (Entered: 08/03/2021)
09/13/2021	<u>4</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU.(Robinson, John) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
09/13/2021	<u>5</u>	ORDER. Both a Complaint and an Answer are now before the court in this FOIA case. It is hereby ordered that the parties shall meet and confer and file a Joint Status Report on or before September 27, 2021. The Joint Status Report shall include (1) the status of Plaintiff's FOIA request; (2) the anticipated number of documents responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request; (3) the anticipated date(s) for release of the documents requested by Plaintiff; (4) whether a motion for stay is likely under Open America v. Watergate Special Prosecution Force, 547 F.2d 605 (D.C. Cir. 1976); and (5) whether the parties anticipate summary judgment briefing and, if so, a proposed briefing schedule. See the attached Order for details. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 9/13/2021. (lcapm2) (Entered: 09/13/2021)

09/17/2021	<u>6</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File <i>Joint Status Report</i> by AMERICAN OVERSIGHT. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lewis, Emma) (Entered: 09/17/2021)
09/19/2021		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>6</u> Consent Motion for Extension of Time to File Joint Status Report. The parties' Joint Status Report shall now be due on or before September 29, 2021. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 9/19/2021. (lcapm2) (Entered: 09/19/2021)
09/29/2021	<u>7</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 09/29/2021)
09/30/2021		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall submit an additional Joint Status Report by November 12, 2021, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 9/30/2021. (lcapm2) (Entered: 09/30/2021)
11/12/2021	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 11/12/2021)
11/15/2021		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall submit an additional Joint Status Report by January 11, 2022, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 11/15/2021. (lcapm2) (Entered: 11/15/2021)
11/15/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 1/11/2022 (zjch, ) (Entered: 11/15/2021)
01/11/2022	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 01/11/2022)
01/11/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall submit an additional Joint Status Report by February 25, 2022, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 1/11/2022. (lcapm2) (Entered: 01/11/2022)
02/25/2022	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 02/25/2022)
02/25/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall submit an additional Joint Status Report by April 11, 2022, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 2/25/2022. (lcapm2) (Entered: 02/25/2022)
04/11/2022	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 04/11/2022)
04/12/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall submit an additional Joint Status Report by May 26, 2022, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 4/12/2022. (lcapm2) (Entered: 04/12/2022)
04/12/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 5/26/2022 (zjch, ) (Entered: 04/13/2022)
05/23/2022	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CENSUS BUREAU. (Robinson, John) (Entered: 05/23/2022)
05/23/2022		MINUTE ORDER. It would appear that Defendant has produced what it believes to be all non-exempt responsive records to Plaintiff. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report by June 27, 2022, which advises whether any outstanding disputes remain and, if so, proposes a schedule for further proceedings. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 5/23/2022. (lcapm2) (Entered: 05/23/2022)
06/24/2022	<u>13</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by AMERICAN OVERSIGHT. (Lewis, Emma) (Entered: 06/24/2022)