## **U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC)** CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:22-cv-00117-TNM

CENTER FOR IMMIGRATION STUDIES v. U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES

Assigned to: Judge Trevor N. McFadden

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 01/18/2022 Date Terminated: 09/19/2022

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: Federal Question

## **Plaintiff**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
01/18/2022	1	COMPLAINT against U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC–8986157) filed by CENTER FOR IMMIGRATION STUDIES. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons for US Attorney, # 3 Summons for US Attorney General, # 4 Summons for Defendant)(Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 01/18/2022)
01/19/2022		Case Assigned to Judge Trevor N. McFadden. (zsb) (Entered: 01/19/2022)
01/19/2022	2	STANDING ORDER Establishing Procedures for Cases Before Judge Trevor N. McFadden. The parties are hereby ORDERED to read and comply with the directives in the attached standing order. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 1/19/22. (lctnm3) (Entered: 01/19/2022)
01/24/2022	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(znm) (Entered: 01/24/2022)
02/01/2022	<u>4</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by CENTER FOR IMMIGRATION STUDIES (Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 02/01/2022)
02/03/2022	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 2/1/2022. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 3/3/2022. (Attachments: # 1

		Summons Mailing receipt)(Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 02/03/2022)
02/03/2022	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 02/01/2022. (Attachments: # 1 Summons Mailing receipt)(Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 02/03/2022)
02/03/2022	7	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES served on 1/31/2022 (Attachments: # 1 Summons Mailing receipt)(Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 02/03/2022)
02/25/2022	<u>8</u>	Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Answer or Otherwise Respond to Complaint</i> by U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Simon, Jeremy) (Entered: 02/25/2022)
02/26/2022		MINUTE ORDER granting the government's <u>8</u> Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time. The government shall respond to Plaintiff's complaint on or before March 31, 2022. Further requests for an extension will be disfavored. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 2/26/2022. (lctnm3) (Entered: 02/26/2022)
02/28/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 3/31/2022. (hmc) (Entered: 02/28/2022)
03/31/2022	9	MOTION to Dismiss <i>or</i> , <i>Alternatively</i> , MOTION for Summary Judgment by U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES. (Attachments: # 1 Statement of Undisputed Material Facts, # 2 Declaration of Cynthia Munita, # 3 Proposed Order)(Simon, Jeremy) (Entered: 03/31/2022)
04/14/2022	<u>10</u>	Memorandum in opposition to re 2 MOTION to Dismiss <i>or, Alternatively</i> MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by CENTER FOR IMMIGRATION STUDIES. (Axelrod, Julie) (Entered: 04/14/2022)
04/19/2022	<u>11</u>	REPLY to opposition to motion re 2 MOTION to Dismiss <i>or, Alternatively</i> MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES. (Simon, Jeremy) (Entered: 04/19/2022)
09/16/2022	<u>12</u>	MEMORANDUM OPINION re Defendant's <u>9</u> Motion to Dismiss or, alternatively, fo Summary Judgment. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 9/16/22. (lctnm2) (Entered: 09/16/2022)
09/16/2022	<u>13</u>	ORDER. For the reasons stated in the <u>12</u> Memorandum Opinion, Defendant's <u>9</u> Motion for Summary Judgment is GRANTED. See attached Order for details. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 9/16/22. (lctnm2) (Entered: 09/16/2022)