U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cv-02387-BAH

REED SMITH LLP v. FOOD AND DRUG

ADMINISTRATION

Assigned to: Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/10/2021 Date Terminated: 10/28/2022

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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09/10/2021	1	COMPLAINT FOR INJUNCTIVE RELIEF against FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC–8723261) filed by REED SMITH LLP. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit FOIA Request and Request Confirmation, # 2 Exhibit FDA FOIA Request Confirmation Email, # 3 Exhibit August 9 Email and Acknowledgement Letter, # 4 Civil Cover Sheet, # 5 Summons FDA, # 6 Summons Attorney General, # 7 Summons U.S. Attorney)(Segroves, James) (Entered: 09/10/2021)
09/10/2021	2	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by REED SMITH LLP (Segroves, James) (Entered: 09/10/2021)
09/13/2021		Case Assigned to Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell. (zsb) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
09/13/2021	<u>3</u>	STANDING ORDER. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on September 13, 2021. (lcbah3) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
09/14/2021	4	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # 1 Notice and Consent)(znmw) (Entered: 09/14/2021)
09/29/2021	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Stephen DeGenaro on behalf of FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 09/29/2021)

09/29/2021	<u>6</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Respond to the Complaint</i> by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 09/29/2021)
09/29/2021		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) GRANTING defendant's <u>6</u> Consent Motion for an Extension of Time to Respond to the Complaint and DIRECTING that defendant file a responsive pleading or motion by November 3, 2021. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on September 29, 2021. (lcbah3) (Entered: 09/29/2021)
10/01/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer to the Complaint due by 11/3/2021. (ztg) (Entered: 10/01/2021)
11/03/2021	7	ANSWER to Complaint by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION.(DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 11/03/2021)
11/17/2021	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 11/17/2021)
11/18/2021		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, in light of the parties' <u>8</u> Joint Status Report, the parties to submit, by January 5, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule to govern further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on November 18, 2021. (lcbah3) (Entered: 11/18/2021)
11/23/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 1/5/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 11/23/2021)
01/05/2022	9	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 01/05/2022)
01/06/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, in light of the parties' 2 Joint Status Report, the parties to submit, by February 4, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule to govern further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on January 6, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 01/06/2022)
01/07/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 2/4/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 01/07/2022)
02/04/2022	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 02/04/2022)
02/04/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, in light of the parties' 10 Joint Status Report, the parties to submit, by March 2, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule to govern further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on February 4, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 02/04/2022)
02/04/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 3/2/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 02/04/2022)
03/02/2022	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 03/02/2022)
03/02/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, in light of the parties' 11 Joint Status Report, the parties to submit, by April 1, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule to govern further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on March 2, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 03/02/2022)
03/03/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 4/1/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 03/03/2022)
04/01/2022	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 04/01/2022)
04/01/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, upon consideration of the parties' 12 Joint Status Report, the parties to file, by May 2, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule for further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on April 1, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 04/01/2022)
04/01/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 5/2/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 04/01/2022)

05/02/2022	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 05/02/2022)
05/04/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, upon consideration of the parties' 13 Joint Status Report, the parties to file, by August 1, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court whether any disputes remain between the parties, and if so, proposing a schedule for further proceedings. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on May 4, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 05/04/2022)
05/04/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/1/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 05/04/2022)
08/01/2022	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. (DeGenaro, Stephen) (Entered: 08/01/2022)
08/01/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DIRECTING, upon consideration of the parties' 14 Joint Status Report, the parties to submit, by October 31, 2022, a joint status report advising the Court of the status of their discussions concerning the resolution of this matter and proposing a schedule for further proceedings, unless a stipulation of dismissal has been filed prior to that date. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on August 1, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 08/01/2022)
08/02/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 10/31/2022. (ztg) (Entered: 08/02/2022)
10/27/2022	<u>15</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal (<i>Joint</i>) by REED SMITH LLP. (Segroves, James) (Entered: 10/27/2022)
10/27/2022		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) DISMISSING this matter, with prejudice, pursuant to plaintiff's <u>15</u> Joint Stipulation of Dismissal and Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii). The Clerk of Court is directed to close this case. Signed by Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell on October 27, 2022. (lcbah3) (Entered: 10/27/2022)