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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS					DEFENDANTS						
Energy Policy Advocates					Securities & Exchange Commission						
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(b) COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF 88888 (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)					COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED DEFENDANT						
					(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)						
(c) ATTORNEYS (FIRMNAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER)					NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED ATTORNEYS (IF KNOWN)						
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Washington, DC 20009											
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II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION				TIZE	ENSHIP O	F PRIN	CIPAT.	PARTIE	S (DI ACE ANY INONE)	POV FOR	
(PLACE AN x IN ONE BOX ONLY)				III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (PLACE AN x IN ONE BOX FOR PLAINTIFF AND ONE BOX FOR DEFENDANT) FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY!							
1 U.S. Government	O 3 F	ederal Question			PTF DFT				PTF		
Plaintiff		J.S. Government Not a Party)	Citizen	ofthis	State			rated or Principal Place	O 4	O 4	
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Defendant		ndicate Citizenship of	CRIZOII	or tall	Janoi Diaio	U 2	U 2		rated and Principal Place	O 5	O 5
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IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT (Place an X in one category, A-N, that best represents your Cause of Action and one in a corresponding Nature of Suit)											
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O A. Antitrust	O B.	Personal Injury/	C) C.	. Admini	istrative	Ageno	ev.	O D. Tempora	irv Rest	raining
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	345 Marine Product Liability			36 3	863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g)) 864 SSID Title XVI				*(If Antitrust, then A governs)*		
		0 Motor Vehicle									
	355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability				865 RSI (405(g))						
360 Other Personal Injury						. 1 4					
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O E. General Civ	ıı (Other)	OR		0	F. Pro	Se Ger	ieral C	ivil			
Real Property		Bankruptcy	:		Federal '						
210 Land Condemna	ation	422 Appeal 27 USC 1				Taxes (U		ffor	465 Other Immi	gration A	Actions
220 Foreclosure		423 Withdrawal 28 U	SC 157		defendant)			470 Racketeer Influenced			
230 Rent, Lease & Ejectment 240 Torts to Land Prisoner Petitions					871 IRS-Third Party 26 U		26 USC	& Corrupt Organization			
7.10 10 10 20 10					/**			480 Consumer Credit			
245 Tort Product Liability 535 Death Penalty 290 All Other Real Property 540 Mandamus & Other			her		Forfeiture/Penalty			485 Telephone Consumer			
550 Civil Rights				625 Drug Related Sei				p			
Personal Property 555 Prison Conditions			s	Property 21 USC 881			490 Cable/Satellite TV				
370 Other Fraud 560 Civil Detainee – Cond				ditions 690 Other			850 Securities/Commodities/				
371 Truth in Lending of Confinement				Other		ther Statutes			Exchange 896 Arbitration		
380 Other Personal Property						375 False Claims Act			899 Administrative Procedure		
Damage Property Rights 385 Property Damage 820 Copyrights					376 Qui Tam (31 USC			Act/Review or Appeal of			
					3729(a))			Agency Decision			
Product Liability S30 Patent S35 Patent - Abbrevia			ated New	ted New		400 State Reapportionment			950 Constitutionality of State		
Drug Application					430 Banks & Banking			Statutes			
840 Trademark			· 		450 Commerce/ICC Rates/etc			890 Other Statutory Actions			
	880 Defend Trade Se	d Trade Secrets Act of			460 Deportation			(if not administrative agency			
	2016 (DTSA)				462 Naturalization			review or Privacy Act)			
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O G. Habeas Corpus/ 2255	O H. Employment Discrimination	O I. FOIA/Privacy Act	O J. Student Loan					
530 Habeas Corpus – General 510 Motion/Vacate Sentence 463 Habeas Corpus – Alien Detainee	442 Civil Rights — Employment (criteria: race, gender/sex, national origin, discrimination, disability, age, religion, retaliation)	895 Freedom of Information Act 890 Other Statutory Actions (if Privacy Act)	152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loan (excluding veterans)					
	(If pro se, select this deck)	*(If pro se, select this deck)*						
N. Labor/ERISA (non-employment) ☐ 710 Fair Labor Standards Act ☐ 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations ☐ 740 Labor Railway Act ☐ 751 Family and Medical Leave Act ☐ 790 Other Labor Litigation ☐ 791 Empl. Ret. Inc. Security Act	■ L. Other Civil Rights (non-employment) 441 Voting (if not Voting Rights Act) 443 Housing/Accommodations 440 Other Civil Rights 445 Americans w/Disabilities – Employment 446 Americans w/Disabilities – Other 448 Education	M. Contract 110 Insurance 120 Marine 130 Miller Act 140 Negotiable Instrument 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits 160 Stockholder's Suits 190 Other Contracts 195 Contract Product Liability 196 Franchise	○ N. Three-Judge Court 441 Civil Rights – Voting (if Voting Rights Act)					
V. ORIGIN								
O 1 Original Proceeding From State Court C								
VI. CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE 5 USC 552 et seq., violation(s)	E U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH Y of Freedom of Information Act.	OU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIE	F STATEMENT OF CAUSE.)					
VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT	CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23 DEMAND JU	osn/a Check Y RY DEMAND: YES	ES only if demanded in complaint					
VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY	(See instruction) YES	NO X Ifyes, pl	ease complete related case form					
DATE: January 9, 2023	SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF REC	/s/Matthew D. Hardin						
	INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING CITY Authority for Civil Cover							

The JS-44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replaces nor supplements the filings and services of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. Consequently, a civil cover sheet is submitted to the Clerk of Court for each civil complaint filed. Listed below are tips for completing the civil coversheet. These tips coincide with the Roman Numerals on the cover sheet.

- COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF/DEFENDANT (b) County of residence: Use 11001 to indicate plaintiff if resident of Washington, DC, 88888 if plaintiff is resident of United States but not Washington, DC, and 99999 if plaintiff is outside the United States.
- CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES: This section is completed only if diversity of citizenship was selected as the Basis of Jurisdiction III. under Section II.
- CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT: The assignment of a judge to your case will depend on the category you select that best IV. represents the primary cause of action found in your complaint. You may select only one category. You must also select one corresponding nature of suit found under the category of the case.
- CAUSE OF ACTION: Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing and write a brief statement of the primary cause. VI.
- VIII. RELATED CASE(S), IF ANY: If you indicated that there is a related case, you must complete a related case form, which may be obtained from the Clerk's Office.

Because of the need for accurate and complete information, you should ensure the accuracy of the information provided prior to signing the form.