U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:20-cv-01238-JMC

CALLIMACHI v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Assigned to: Judge Jia M. Cobb

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 05/12/2020 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
05/12/2020	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number ADCDC-7116162) filed by RUKMINI CALLIMACHI. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A–E, # 2 Exhibit F–J, # 3 Exhibit K–O, # 4 Exhibit P–T, # 5 Civil Cover Sheet, # 6 Summons)(Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020	2	NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew Topic on behalf of RUKMINI CALLIMACHI (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/13/2020		Case Assigned to Judge Tanya S. Chutkan. (adh,) (Entered: 05/13/2020)
05/13/2020	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(adh,) (Entered: 05/13/2020)
06/18/2020	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE served on 5/20/2020 (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 06/18/2020)
06/18/2020	<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 5/20/2020. (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 06/18/2020)
06/18/2020	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 5/20/2020. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 6/19/2020. (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 06/18/2020)
06/19/2020	7	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE.(Mussenden, Paul) (Entered: 06/19/2020)
06/19/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. The requirements of LCvR 16.3 and Rule 26(f) of the Federal Rules of Civil procedure appear to be inapplicable. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the parties shall meet and confer and propose a schedule for proceeding in this matter. The schedule shall address the status of Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated number of documents responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated date(s) for release of the documents requested by Plaintiff, whether a motion for an Open America stay is likely in this case, whether a Vaughn index will be required in this case, whether and when either party anticipates filing a dispositive motion, and any other pertinent issues. The parties shall file a joint status report that addresses these issues no later than 8/3/2020. The joint status report shall be accompanied by a proposed order. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 6/19/2020. (DJS) (Entered: 06/19/2020)
06/22/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/3/2020. (tb) (Entered: 06/22/2020)
08/03/2020	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Mussenden, Paul) (Entered: 08/03/2020)
08/04/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Having considered the parties' joint status report <u>8</u> , it is hereby ordered that the parties shall file another joint report and proposed order by October 2, 2020. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 8/4/2020. (DJS) (Entered: 08/04/2020)

08/04/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Report due by 10/2/2020. (tb) (Entered: 08/04/2020)
10/02/2020	9	Joint STATUS REPORT by RUKMINI CALLIMACHI. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 10/02/2020)
10/05/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Having considered the parties' joint status report 2, it is hereby ordered that the parties shall file another joint report by 12/1/20 and every 60 days thereafter. To the extent the report contains a proposed production or briefing schedule, the report shall be accompanied by a proposed order. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 1/5/2020. (DJS) (Entered: 10/05/2020)
10/05/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 12/1/2020. (tb) (Entered: 10/05/2020)
12/01/2020	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Mussenden, Paul) (Entered: 12/01/2020)
01/29/2021	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Mussenden, Paul) (Entered: 01/29/2021)
01/29/2021	<u>12</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Johnny Hillary Walker, III on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE Substituting for attorney Paul Mussenden (Walker, Johnny) (Entered: 01/29/2021)
03/18/2021	<u>13</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Dedra Seibel Curteman on behalf of All Defendants Substituting for attorney Johnny Walker (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 03/18/2021)
04/02/2021	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 04/02/2021)
06/02/2021	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 06/02/2021)
08/02/2021	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 08/02/2021)
10/01/2021	<u>17</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 10/01/2021)
11/16/2021		Case directly reassigned to Judge Jia M. Cobb. Judge Tanya S. Chutkan is no longer assigned to the case. (rj) (Entered: 11/16/2021)
11/30/2021	<u>18</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 11/30/2021)
01/31/2022	<u>19</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 01/31/2022)
04/04/2022	<u>20</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Joshua Loevy on behalf of RUKMINI CALLIMACHI (Loevy, Joshua) (Entered: 04/04/2022)
04/04/2022	<u>21</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by RUKMINI CALLIMACHI. (Loevy, Joshua) (Entered: 04/04/2022)
05/31/2022	<u>22</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 05/31/2022)
08/01/2022	<u>23</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 08/01/2022)
10/03/2022	<u>24</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 10/03/2022)
12/02/2022	<u>25</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 12/02/2022)
02/01/2023	<u>26</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 02/01/2023)
02/28/2023	<u>27</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Merrick Jason Wayne on behalf of RUKMINI CALLIMACHI (Wayne, Merrick) (Entered: 02/28/2023)

03/21/2023	<u>28</u>	ENTERED IN ERRORJoint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) Modified on 3/21/2023 (znmw). (Entered: 03/21/2023)
03/21/2023		NOTICE OF ERROR regarding <u>28</u> Status Report. The following error(s) need correction: Incorrect court header/case caption/case number. Incorrect document or case. Please refile. (znmw) (Entered: 03/21/2023)
04/03/2023	<u>29</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 04/03/2023)
06/01/2023	<u>30</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Curteman, Dedra) (Entered: 06/01/2023)