CIVIL COVER SHEET

JS-44 (Rev. 11/2020 DC)					DEFENDANTS						
I. (a) PLAINTIFFS INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK, 2025 Guadalupe Street, Suite 260 Austin, Texas 78705					DEFENDANTS NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH, c/o U.S. Department of Health, General Counsel 200 Independence Avenue, S.W. Washinαton. D.C. 20201						
(b) COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF Travis, TX (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)					COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED DEFENDANT (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY) NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED						
(c) ATTORNEYS (FIRM NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER)				+	EYS (IF KNO						
				I. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (PLACE AN X IN ONE BOX FOR							
(PLACE AN x IN ONE BOX ONLY) 1 U.S. Government 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)			PLAINTIFF AND ONE BOX FOR DEFENDANT) FOR DIVERSITY CASES ON LY! PTF DFT Citizen of this State O 1 O 1 Incorporated or Principal Place				PTF 0 4	DFT 0 4			
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Defendant (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in item III)			Citizen o	Subject of	oject of a 3		of Busine	ess in Another State	06	06	
IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT						Foreign 1	Nation		0 0		
(Place an X in one category, A-N, that best represents your Cause of Action and <u>one</u> in a corresponding Nature of Suit)											
O A. Antitrust	O B. <i>F</i>	Personal Injury/ Ialpractice	0	C. Adi Rev	ninistrativ ew			O D. Temporary Restraining Order/Preliminary Injunction			
410 Americas	310 Ai	•		151 Medicare Act			3				
		rplane Product Liability sault, Libel & Slander	Soc	ial Security	al Security			Any nature of suit from any category may be selected for this category of			
		deral Employers Liability		861 HIA (1395ff) 862 Black Lung (923) 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))			case assignment.				
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		arine Product Liability otor Vehicle	864 SSID Title XVI 865 RSI (405(g))			*(If Antitrust, then A governs)*					
		otor Venicle otor Vehicle Product Liabil									
	360 Other Personal Injury			er Statutes 891 Agricultural Acts							
		edical Malpractice		893 Environmental Matters							
		oduct Liability ealth Care/Pharmaceutical		890 Other Statutory Actions (If							
		eann Care/Pharmaceutical ersonal Injury Product Liab	ility	Administrative Agency is							
368 Asbestos Product Liability				Invol							
O E. General Civi	il (Other)	OR	· ·		Pro Se Ge		ivil				
Real Property 210 Land Condemna		Bankruptey		Fed	ral Tax Suit	_	:ff o				
220 Foreclosure	auon	422 Appeal 27 USC 1 423 Withdrawal 28 U			870 Taxes (US plaintiff or defendant)			465 Other Immigration Actions 470 Racketeer Influenced			
230 Rent, Lease & E	ejectment				871 IRS-Third Party 26 USC			& Corrupt Organization			
240 Torts to Land		Prisoner Petitions 535 Death Penalty		7609				480 Consumer Credit			
540 Mandamus & Ot			IICI -		orfeiture/Penalty		485 Telephone Consumer				
290 All Other Real Property 550 Civil Rights				625 Drug Related Seizure of		Protection Act (TCPA) 490 Cable/Satellite TV					
Personal Property 555 Prison Conditions				Property 21 USC 881			850 Securities/Commodities/				
□ 370 Other Fraud □ 560 Civil Detainee – Co			Conditions	nditions			Exchange				
380 Other Personal Property				Other Statutes			896 Arbitration				
Damage Property Rights					375 False Claims Act 376 Qui Tam (31 USC			899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of			
385 Property Damage 820 Copyrights 830 Patent					3729(a))			Agency Decision			
Product Liability 835 Patent – Abbrevia			ated New		400 State Reapportionment			950 Constitutionality of State			
Drug Application			ı		430 Banks & Banking 450 Commerce/ICC Rates/etc			Statutes 890 Other Statutory Actions			
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2016 (DTSA)			crets Act o	of 462 Naturaliza				review or Privac			
		2010 (D1 SA)			Applica	tion			•	,	

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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)	X 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)*							
K. 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 Proceeding Court O 3 Remanded from Appellate Court Court O 4 Reinstated or Reopened or Reopened district (specify) O 6 Multi-district O 7 Appeal to District Judge from Mag. Judge O 8 Multi-district Specify O 6 Multi-district O 7 Appeal to District Judge from Mag. Judge									
VI. CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE.) 5 U.S.C. § 552									
VII. REQUESTED IN CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23 DEMAND \$ Check YES only if demanded in complaint YES NO X									
VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY	(See instruction) YES	NO 🗶 If yes, p	lease complete related case form						
December 10, 2023 SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD /s/ Elizabeth A. Brehm									

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET JS-44 Authority for Civil Cover Sheet

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 cover sheet. These tips coincide with the Roman Numerals on the cover sheet.

- I. 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.
- III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES: This section is completed only if diversity of citizenship was selected as the Basis of Jurisdiction under Section II.
- IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT: The assignment of a judge to your case will depend on the category you select that best represents the <u>primary</u> cause of action found in your complaint. You may select only <u>one</u> category. You <u>must</u> also select <u>one</u> corresponding nature of suit found under the category of the case.
- VI. CAUSE OF ACTION: Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing and write a brief statement of the primary cause.
- 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.