

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:22-cv-00387-CKK**

DEFRAIA v. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
Assigned to: Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/14/2022
Date Terminated: 12/19/2023
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/14/2022	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-9042873) filed by DANIEL DEFRAIA. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Summons, # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(Quaranto, Lance) (Entered: 02/14/2022)
02/15/2022		Case Assigned to Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly. (znm) (Entered: 02/15/2022)
02/15/2022	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(znmw) (Entered: 02/15/2022)
02/24/2022	<u>3</u>	ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR CASES ASSIGNED TO JUDGE COLLEEN KOLLAR-KOTELLY. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 2/24/2022. (DM) (Entered: 02/24/2022)
03/22/2022	<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Daniel J. Stotter on behalf of DANIEL DEFRAIA (Stotter, Daniel) (Entered: 03/22/2022)
03/23/2022	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Thomas Duffey on behalf of DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 03/23/2022)

03/23/2022	<u>6</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint <i>with proposed order</i> by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 03/23/2022)
03/23/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The Court is in receipt of Defendant's <u>6</u> Motion for Extension, in which Defendant seeks a 30-day extension of time to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint. Plaintiff consents to the requested extension. For good cause shown, the Court GRANTS Defendant's Motion and ORDERS that Defendant shall answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint on or before APRIL 28, 2022. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 3/23/22. (lcckk3) (Entered: 03/23/2022)
03/23/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 4/28/2022. (zacr) (Entered: 03/24/2022)
04/27/2022	<u>7</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.(Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 04/27/2022)
04/27/2022	<u>8</u>	ORDER requiring the parties to meet and confer and file a Joint Status Report by JUNE 3, 2022. See order for details. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 4/27/22. (lcckk3) (Entered: 04/27/2022)
04/27/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Meet & Confer Statement due by 6/3/2022. (dot) (Entered: 05/03/2022)
06/02/2022	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT <i>with proposed order</i> by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 06/02/2022)
06/06/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The Court is in receipt of the parties' <u>9</u> Joint Status Report, in which Defendant indicates that it has identified 5,000 records potentially responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request and continues to search for additional responsive records. The parties propose that they submit a further Joint Status Report to the Court on or before August 3, 2022 and every 60 days thereafter, updating the Court on the progress of Defendant's search for and processing of responsive records. The Court ORDERS the parties to file another Joint Status Report by AUGUST 3, 2022, and every 60 days thereafter updating the Court on the status of Defendant's response to Plaintiff's FOIA request. If the parties require more immediate attention, they may file a status report between deadlines. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 6/6/22. (lcckk3) (Entered: 06/06/2022)
06/06/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/3/2022, and every 60 days thereafter updating the Court on the status of Defendant's response to Plaintiff's FOIA request. (dot) (Entered: 06/07/2022)
08/03/2022	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 08/03/2022)
08/04/2022		MINUTE ORDER. The Court is in receipt of the parties' <u>10</u> Joint Status Report, in which Defendant indicates that it has identified 5,000 records potentially responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request and that additional searches are ongoing. The parties jointly request that the Court modify its previous minute order directing the parties to file a joint status report every 60 days to requiring a joint status report every 90 days due to the anticipated volume of potentially responsive records. Accordingly, the Court ORDERS the parties to file another Joint Status Report by NOVEMBER 3, 2022, and every 90 days thereafter updating the Court on the status of Defendant's response to Plaintiff's FOIA request. If the parties require more immediate attention, they may file a status report between deadlines. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 8/4/22. (lcckk3) (Entered: 08/04/2022)
08/04/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 11/3/2022, and every 90 days thereafter updating the Court on the status of Defendant's response to Plaintiff's FOIA request.(dot) (Entered: 08/04/2022)
11/03/2022	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 11/03/2022)
02/03/2023	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 02/03/2023)

05/04/2023	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 05/04/2023)
08/04/2023	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DANIEL DEFRAIA. (Quaranto, Lance) (Entered: 08/04/2023)
10/06/2023	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 10/06/2023)
12/15/2023	<u>16</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. (Duffey, Thomas) (Entered: 12/15/2023)
12/19/2023	<u>17</u>	ORDER dismissing case. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly on 12/19/23. (lcckk3) (Entered: 12/19/2023)