# **U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC)** CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:20-cv-03262-RMM

WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP v. UNITED STATES

CENTRAL COMMAND J6-RDF (FOIA)

Assigned to: Robin Meriweather

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 11/12/2020 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

**Information Act** 

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed		Docket Text
11/12/2020	1	COMPLAINT against UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA) (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number ADCDC–7826457) filed by WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons U.S. Attorney General, # 3 Summons CENTCOM, # 4 Summons Civil Process Clerk, # 5 Exhibit 01 – FOIAs (Emails) submitted March 2, 2020, # 6 Exhibit 02 – Letter CENTCOM Follow Up to Previously Submitted FOIAs, # 7 Exhibit 03 – Signed Interim Letter 20–0252 – 20–0272, # 8 Exhibit 04 – FOIAs (Emails) Submitted May 1, 2020, # 9 Exhibit 05 – CENTCOM Letter dated May 6, 2020, # 10 Exhibit 06 – Status Report dated June 24, 2020, # 11 Exhibit 07 – CENTCOM Afghanistan Vendor Vetting Cell Request, # 12 Exhibit 08 – CENTCOM Charles Tiefer Request, # 13 Exhibit 09 – CENTCOM Commission on Wartime Contracting, # 14 Exhibit 10 – CENTCOM Contractor Debarment Request, # 15 Exhibit 11 – CENTCOM Gert Berthold Request, # 16 Exhibit 12 – CENTCOM Joint Chiefs Counter Threat Finance Submissions Request, # 17 Exhibit 13 – CENTCOM Senate Report Request, # 18 Exhibit 14 – CENTCOM Specific Documents List Request, # 19 Exhibit 15 – CENTCOM Taliban Mobile Phone Request, # 20 Exhibit 16 – CENTCOM TF2010 Request, # 21 Exhibit 17 – CENTCOM Tom Creal Request, # 22 Exhibit 18 – CENTCOM USA Today FOIA Request, # 23 Exhibit 19 – CENTCOM MTN PowerPoint Request, # 24 Exhibit 20 – CENTCOM Cable Request with Attachment 1, # 25 Exhibit 21 – July 28 Email, July 29 Email, CCJ6–RD Referral Notice 20–0255, # 26 Exhibit 22 – March 13, 2020 Interim Letter re FOIA 20–0273)(Jackson, Randall) (Entered: 11/12/2020)
11/12/2020	2	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP (Jackson, Randall) (Entered: 11/12/2020)
11/12/2020		Case Assigned to Judge Emmet G. Sullivan. (adh, ) (Entered: 11/12/2020)
11/12/2020	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA), U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(adh, ) (Entered: 11/12/2020)
11/17/2020	4	STANDING ORDER: The parties are directed to read the attached Standing Order Governing Civil Cases Before Judge Emmet G. Sullivan in its entirety upon receipt. The parties are hereby ORDERED to comply with the directives in the attached Standing Order. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 11/17/20. (Attachment: # 1 Exhibit 1) (mac) (Entered: 11/17/2020)
12/16/2020	<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 11/23/2020. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit Proof of Service U.S. Attorney General)(Gottlieb, Michael) (Entered: 12/16/2020)
12/17/2020	<u>6</u>	ENTERED IN ERRORRETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 11/23/2020. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit Proof of Service U.S. Attorney General)(Jackson, Randall) Modified on 12/18/2020 (eg). (Entered: 12/17/2020)
12/17/2020	7	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA) served on 11/30/2020

		(Attachments: # 1 Exhibit Proof of Service U.S. Central Command J6–RDF)(Jackson, Randall) (Entered: 12/17/2020)
12/18/2020		NOTICE OF CORRECTED DOCKET ENTRY: re <u>6</u> Summons Returned Executed as to U.S. Attorney General, was entered in error as duplicate to Docket Entry <u>5</u> . (eg) (Entered: 12/18/2020)
12/21/2020	<u>8</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA).(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 12/21/2020)
01/13/2021		MINUTE ORDER. Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552. The parties are directed to meet and confer and propose a joint scheduling order for further proceedings in this case by no later than January 27, 2021. The parties' joint proposed scheduling order shall address the following: (1) the status of plaintiff's FOIA request; (2) the anticipated number of documents responsive to plaintiff's FOIA request; (3) the anticipated date(s), if any, for release of documents responsive to plaintiff's FOIA request; (4) whether a motion for an Open America stay is likely in this case; (5) whether a Vaughn index will be required in this case; (6) whether this case would benefit from referral to a magistrate judge or the District Court Mediation Program for purposes of settlement; and (7) a proposed briefing schedule for dispositive motions, if applicable. If the parties are unable to agree on a joint recommendation, the joint proposed scheduling order shall include each party's individual recommendations. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 1/13/2021. (lcegs3) (Entered: 01/13/2021)
01/14/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Scheduling Order due by 1/7/2021 (mac) (Entered: 01/14/2021)
01/27/2021	9	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 01/27/2021)
02/05/2021		MINUTE ORDER. In view of 2 Joint Status Report, the parties are directed to file another joint status report with a recommendation for further proceedings, including whether the parties consent to referral of this case to a Magistrate Judge for all purposes, see LCvR 73.1, by no later than February 25, 2021. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 2/5/2021. (lcegs3) (Entered: 02/05/2021)
02/06/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 2/25/2021. (mac) (Entered: 02/06/2021)
02/25/2021	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 02/25/2021)
02/25/2021	11	ERRATA by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA) re 10 Status Report filed by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 02/25/2021)
02/26/2021		MINUTE ORDER. In view of 10 joint status report and 11 errata, in which the parties consent to referral of this case to a Magistrate Judge, it is hereby ORDERED that this action shall be REFERRED to a Magistrate Judge for all purposes. See L. Civ. R. 73.1. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 2/26/2021. (lcegs3) (Entered: 02/26/2021)
02/26/2021		CASE RANDOMLY REFERRED to Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather for all purposes. (adh, ) (Entered: 03/02/2021)
03/12/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>10</u> Joint Status Report and <u>11</u> ERRATA, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a joint status report addressing any additional progress made by the parties on 03/31/2021. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 03/12/2021. (lcamg) (Entered: 03/12/2021)
03/31/2021	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 03/31/2021)
04/02/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>12</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit another joint status report addressing any

		additional progress on 04/30/2021. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 04/02/2021. (lcamg) (Entered: 04/02/2021)
04/12/2021	<u>13</u>	MOTION to Stay by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of Evlyn Hearne, # 2 Declaration of Major General Patrick Frank, # 3 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 04/12/2021)
04/26/2021	<u>14</u>	RESPONSE re 13 MOTION to Stay filed by WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP. (Attachments: #1 Declaration, #2 Text of Proposed Order)(Jackson, Randall) (Entered: 04/26/2021)
04/27/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 4/30/2021. (kk) (Entered: 04/27/2021)
04/29/2021	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 04/29/2021)
04/29/2021	<u>16</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 04/29/2021)
04/30/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of the Defendant's unopposed <u>16</u> Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply, and for the reasons stated therein, the Court finds good cause to GRANT this request. Defendant's Reply to Plaintiff's <u>14</u> Response Opposing Defendant's Motion to Stay is due May 6, 2021. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 04/30/2021. (lcaw) (Entered: 04/30/2021)
04/30/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>15</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further status report addressing any additional progress by May 31, 2021. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 04/30/2021. (lcaw) (Entered: 04/30/2021)
04/30/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Parties' Joint Status Report due by 5/31/2021. (kk) (Entered: 04/30/2021)
05/06/2021	<u>17</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 05/06/2021)
05/07/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of the Defendant's unopposed <u>17</u> Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply, and for the reasons stated therein, the Court finds good cause to GRANT this request. Defendant's Reply to Plaintiff's <u>14</u> Response Opposing Defendant's Motion to Stay is due May 7, 2021. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 05/07/2021. (lcaw) (Entered: 05/07/2021)
05/07/2021	<u>18</u>	REPLY to opposition to motion re 13 MOTION to Stay and in Further Support of Defendant's Motion for an Open America Stay filed by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of Evlyn Hearne, # 2 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 05/07/2021)
05/28/2021	<u>19</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 05/28/2021)
05/28/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>19</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further status report addressing any additional progress by June 28, 2021. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 05/28/2021. (lcaw) (Entered: 05/28/2021)
06/28/2021	<u>20</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Brudy–Everett, Kristin) (Entered: 06/28/2021)
06/29/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>20</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by July 29, 2021. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 06/29/2021. (lcamg) (Entered: 06/29/2021)

07/12/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Parties' Joint Status Report due by 7/29/2021. (kk) (Entered: 07/12/2021)
07/12/2021	<u>21</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Diana Viggiano Valdivia on behalf of UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA) Substituting for attorney Kristin Brudy–Everett (Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 07/12/2021)
07/29/2021	<u>22</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 07/29/2021)
08/09/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>22</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by 9/13/21. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 08/09/2021. (lcamg) (Entered: 08/09/2021)
08/22/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 9/13/2021. (kk) (Entered: 08/22/2021)
09/13/2021	<u>23</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
09/13/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>23</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by October 28, 2021. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 09/13/2021. (lcre) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
09/15/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Parties' Status Report due by 10/28/2021. (kk) (Entered: 09/15/2021)
10/28/2021	<u>24</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 10/28/2021)
10/29/2021		MINUTE ORDER: Upon review of <u>24</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by December 13, 2021. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 10/29/2021 (lcre) (Entered: 10/29/2021)
10/29/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Parties' Joint Status Report due by 12/13/2021. (kk) (Entered: 10/29/2021)
12/13/2021	<u>25</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 12/13/2021)
02/11/2022	<u>26</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 02/11/2022)
02/22/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of <u>26</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by April 19, 2022. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 02/22/2022. (lcre) (Entered: 02/22/2022)
03/07/2022		MINUTE ORDER: In light of the parties' continued progress addressing this FOIA dispute and the Court's February 22, 2022 Minute Order requiring a further status report by April 19, 2022, the court will stay its decision on the Government's 13 Motion to Stay. The United States Central Command is directed to continue processin Plaintiff's FOIA requests in the interim. SO ORDERED by Magistrate Judge Robin Meriweather on 03/07/2022. CASE STAYED. (lcre) (Entered: 03/07/2022)
04/19/2022	<u>27</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 04/19/2022)
05/04/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>27</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by Jur 3, 2022. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 05/04/2022. (lcre)

		(Entered: 05/04/2022)
05/04/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 6/3/2022. (zcll) (Entered: 05/16/2022)
06/03/2022	<u>28</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6-RDF (FOIA). (Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 06/03/2022)
06/13/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>28</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing any progress by July 18, 2022. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 06/13/2022. (lcre) (Entered: 06/13/2022)
06/13/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 7/18/2022. (zcll) (Entered: 07/11/2022)
07/18/2022	<u>29</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Erika Kirstie Oblea on behalf of All Defendants Substituting for attorney Diana Valdivia (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 07/18/2022)
07/18/2022	<u>30</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 07/18/2022)
07/21/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>30</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by September 9, 2022. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 07/21/2022. (lcre) (Entered: 07/21/2022)
07/21/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Additional Status Report due by 9/9/2022. (zcll) (Entered: 07/25/2022)
09/09/2022	<u>31</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 09/09/2022)
09/12/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>31</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by October 24, 2022. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 09/12/2022. (zea) (Entered: 09/12/2022)
10/24/2022	<u>32</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 10/24/2022)
10/24/2022		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>32</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by January 6, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 10/24/22. (zea) (Entered: 10/24/2022)
01/06/2023	<u>33</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 01/06/2023)
01/18/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>33</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by March 6, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 1/18/2023. (zea) (Entered: 01/18/2023)
03/06/2023	<u>34</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 03/06/2023)
03/07/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>34</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by May 5, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 3/7/2023. (zea) (Entered: 03/07/2023)
05/03/2023	<u>35</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 05/03/2023)
05/04/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>35</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by July 6, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 5/4/2023. (zea) (Entered: 05/04/2023)

05/04/2023		MINUTE ORDER: In light of the continued progress Defendant has made processing and producing documents in response to Plaintiff's FOIA requests, as demonstrated in the several status reports filed by the parties over the past year, the Court hereby DENIES without prejudice Defendant's 13 Motion to Stay as MOOT. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 5/4/2023. (Entered: 05/04/2023)
05/04/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 7/6/2023. (zcll) (Entered: 05/08/2023)
07/06/2023	<u>36</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 07/06/2023)
07/19/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>36</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by September 6, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 7/19/2023. (zea) (Entered: 07/19/2023)
07/20/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 9/6/2023. (zcll) (Entered: 07/20/2023)
09/06/2023	<u>37</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 09/06/2023)
09/06/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>37</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by November 6, 2023. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 9/6/2023. (zea) (Entered: 09/06/2023)
09/11/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 11/6/2023. (zcll) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
10/10/2023	<u>38</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Nicholas M.H. Reddick on behalf of WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP (Reddick, Nicholas) (Entered: 10/10/2023)
10/10/2023	<u>39</u>	MOTION to Withdraw as Attorney by WILLKIE FARR & GALLAGHER LLP. (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Jackson, Randall) (Entered: 10/10/2023)
10/18/2023		MINUTE ORDER granting 39 Motion to Withdraw as Attorney. It is ORDERED that Randall W. Jackson is withdrawn as counsel of record for the plaintiff. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 10/18/2023. (zea) (Entered: 10/18/2023)
11/06/2023	<u>40</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6-RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 11/06/2023)
11/09/2023		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>40</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by January 5, 2024. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 11/9/2023. (zea) (Entered: 11/09/2023)
01/23/2024	<u>41</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Bradley Silverman on behalf of All Defendants (Silverman, Bradley) (Entered: 01/23/2024)
01/23/2024	<u>42</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Silverman, Bradley) (Entered: 01/23/2024)
04/11/2024		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>42</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by May 6, 2024. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 4/11/2024. (zea) (Entered: 04/11/2024)
05/06/2024	<u>43</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 05/06/2024)
07/03/2024	<u>44</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 07/03/2024)
07/16/2024		MINUTE ORDER: On review of the parties' <u>44</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that the parties shall submit an additional status report addressing their progress by September 3, 2024, and every 90 days thereafter, unless otherwise ordered by the Court. SO ORDERED. Signed by Magistrate Judge Robin M. Meriweather on 7/16/24. (zea) (Entered: 07/16/2024)

08/27/2024 45 Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES CENTRAL COMMAND J6–RDF (FOIA). (Oblea, Erika) (Entered: 08/27/2024)