

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:21-cv-02340-CKK**

CITIZENS UNITED v. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE Date Filed: 09/03/2021  
Assigned to: Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly Jury Demand: None  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/03/2021	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE ( Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-8710858) filed by CITIZENS UNITED. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Exhibit A, # <u>3</u> Exhibit B, # <u>4</u> Summons to Attorney General, # <u>5</u> Summons to U.S. Attorney, # <u>6</u> Summons to Dep't of State)(Morgan, Jeremiah) (Entered: 09/03/2021)
09/03/2021	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by CITIZENS UNITED (Morgan, Jeremiah) (Entered: 09/03/2021)
09/03/2021		Case Assigned to Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly. (zsb) (Entered: 09/03/2021)
09/03/2021	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(adh, ) (Entered: 09/03/2021)

09/13/2021	<u>4</u>	ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR CASES ASSIGNED TO JUDGE COLLEEN KOLLAR–KOTELLY. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar–Kotelly on 09/13/2021. (DM) (Entered: 09/13/2021)
11/05/2021	<u>5</u>	Consent MOTION for Leave to File , <i>Nunc Pro Tunc, Motion to Extend Time to Answer Plaintiff's Complaint</i> by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit)(Moustakas, John) (Entered: 11/05/2021)
11/08/2021	<u>6</u>	ORDER granting <u>5</u> Motion for Leave to File. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar–Kotelly on November 8, 2021. (lcckk1) (Entered: 11/08/2021)
11/08/2021	<u>8</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (znmw) (Entered: 11/17/2021)
11/16/2021	<u>7</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE.(Moustakas, John) (Entered: 11/16/2021)
11/17/2021	<u>9</u>	ORDER. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar–Kotelly on 11/17/21. (lcckk1) (Entered: 11/17/2021)
11/17/2021		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Meet & Confer Statement due by 12/15/2021. (dot) (Entered: 12/14/2021)
12/15/2021	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CITIZENS UNITED. (Morgan, Jeremiah) (Entered: 12/15/2021)
02/11/2022	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 02/11/2022)
04/14/2022	<u>12</u>	ENTERED IN ERROR.....Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) Modified on 4/15/2022 (znmw). (Entered: 04/14/2022)
04/15/2022		NOTICE OF ERROR regarding <u>12</u> Status Report. The following error(s) need correction: Incorrect court header/case caption/Incorrect case number. Or, Incorrect document or case. Please refile. (znmw) (Entered: 04/15/2022)
04/15/2022	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 04/15/2022)
04/15/2022	<u>14</u>	ERRATA by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE re <u>12</u> Status Report filed by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 04/15/2022)
06/20/2022		MINUTE ORDER: The Court is in receipt of the parties' <u>13</u> Joint Status Report. Per the parties' representations therein, the parties shall file another joint status report updating the Court on the status of the productions in this case on or before <b>July 18, 2022</b> and, if necessary, every ninety days thereafter. Signed by Judge Colleen Kollar–Kotelly on June 20, 2022. (lcckk1) (Entered: 06/20/2022)
06/21/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 7/18/2022. (dot) (Entered: 06/22/2022)
07/18/2022	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 07/18/2022)
10/14/2022	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 10/14/2022)
01/19/2023	<u>17</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 01/19/2023)
04/14/2023	<u>18</u>	STATUS REPORT by CITIZENS UNITED. (Morgan, Jeremiah) (Entered: 04/14/2023)
04/17/2023	<u>19</u>	Consent STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 04/17/2023)
07/13/2023	<u>20</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 07/13/2023)

10/11/2023	<u>21</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Moustakas, John) (Entered: 10/11/2023)
01/09/2024	<u>22</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Anna Davis Walker on behalf of UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE Substituting for attorney John Moustakas (Walker, Anna) (Entered: 01/09/2024)
01/09/2024	<u>23</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Walker, Anna) (Entered: 01/09/2024)
04/11/2024	<u>24</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Walker, Anna) (Entered: 04/11/2024)
07/10/2024	<u>25</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Walker, Anna) (Entered: 07/10/2024)