

U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:22-cv-03426-JEB

WHITE COAT WASTE PROJECT v. UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Assigned to: Chief Judge James E. Boasberg
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 11/08/2022
Date Terminated: 09/09/2024
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
11/08/2022	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-9659047) filed by WHITE COAT WASTE PROJECT. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons Request for U.S. Attorney General, # <u>3</u> Request for U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, # <u>4</u> Summons Request for U.S. Attorney's Office for DC)(Strugar, Matthew) (Attachment 1 replaced on 11/9/2022) (zljn). (Entered: 11/08/2022)
11/08/2022	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by WHITE COAT WASTE PROJECT (Strugar, Matthew) (Main Document 2 replaced on 11/9/2022) (zljn). (Entered: 11/08/2022)
11/09/2022		Case Assigned to Judge James E. Boasberg. (zljn) (Entered: 11/09/2022)
11/09/2022	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zljn) (Entered: 11/09/2022)
12/16/2022	<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Stephanie R. Johnson on behalf of UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 12/16/2022)
12/16/2022	<u>5</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Respond to the Complaint</i> by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 12/16/2022)

12/19/2022		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that: 1) The Consent <u>5</u> Motion for Extension of Time is GRANTED; and 2) Defendant shall file its Answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint by January 20, 2023. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 12/19/2022. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 12/19/2022)
12/19/2022		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 1/20/2023 (lsj) (Entered: 12/19/2022)
01/20/2023	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.(Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 01/20/2023)
01/23/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that the parties shall confer and submit a proposed briefing schedule by February 6, 2023. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 1/23/2023. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 01/23/2023)
01/23/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 2/6/2023. (nbn) (Entered: 01/23/2023)
02/06/2023	<u>7</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 02/06/2023)
02/06/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>7</u> Joint Proposed Briefing Schedule and ORDERS that: 1) Defendant shall file its Motion for a Stay by March 8, 2023; 2) Plaintiff shall file its Opposition by April 7, 2023; and 3) Defendant shall file its Reply by April 28, 2023. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 2/6/2023. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 02/06/2023)
02/06/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Motions due by 3/8/2023. Responses due by 4/7/2023. Replies due by 4/28/2023. (nbn) (Entered: 02/08/2023)
03/03/2023	<u>8</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 03/03/2023)
03/06/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that: 1) The briefing schedule adopted on February 6, 2023, is VACATED; and 2) The parties shall file a further Joint Status Report by May 24, 2023. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 3/6/2023. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 03/06/2023)
03/06/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 5/24/2023. (nbn) (Entered: 03/06/2023)
05/24/2023	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 05/24/2023)
05/24/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>9</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by August 24, 2023. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 5/24/2023. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 05/24/2023)
05/24/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/24/2023. (nbn) (Entered: 05/24/2023)
08/23/2023	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 08/23/2023)
08/23/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>10</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by October 31, 2023. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 8/23/2023. (lcjeb4) (Entered: 08/23/2023)
08/23/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 10/31/2023. (nbn) (Entered: 08/24/2023)
10/31/2023	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 10/31/2023)
11/01/2023		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>11</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by January 15, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 11/1/2023. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 11/01/2023)

11/01/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 1/15/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 11/01/2023)
01/12/2024	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 01/12/2024)
01/12/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>12</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by March 14, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 1/12/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 01/12/2024)
01/12/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 3/14/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 01/12/2024)
03/14/2024	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 03/14/2024)
03/14/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>13</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by May 14, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 3/14/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 03/14/2024)
03/14/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 5/14/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 03/15/2024)
05/14/2024	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
05/14/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>14</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by July 15, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 5/14/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
05/14/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 7/15/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
07/15/2024	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 07/15/2024)
07/16/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>15</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by August 30, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 7/16/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 07/16/2024)
07/16/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/30/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 07/16/2024)
07/16/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/30/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 07/16/2024)
08/29/2024	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 08/29/2024)
08/30/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>16</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further joint status report by September 30, 2024. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 8/30/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 08/30/2024)
08/30/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 9/30/2024. (znbn) (Entered: 08/30/2024)
09/09/2024	<u>17</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Johnson, Stephanie) (Entered: 09/09/2024)
09/09/2024		MINUTE ORDER: Per the parties' <u>17</u> Stipulation, the Court ORDERS that the case is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE. So ORDERED by Chief Judge James E. Boasberg on 9/9/2024. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 09/09/2024)