

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24-cv-00549-JMC**

INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK v. HEALTH
RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION et al
Assigned to: Judge Jia M. Cobb
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/27/2024
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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NETWORK**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/27/2024	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against All Defendants (Filing fee \$ 405 receipt number ADCDC-10718188) filed by INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1, # <u>2</u> Exhibit 2, # <u>3</u> Exhibit 3, # <u>4</u> Exhibit 4, # <u>5</u> Exhibit 5, # <u>6</u> Exhibit 6, # <u>7</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>8</u> Summons to HRSA, # <u>9</u> Summons to HHS, # <u>10</u> Summons to USAG, # <u>11</u> Summons to USAO)(Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 02/27/2024)

02/27/2024	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 02/27/2024)
02/28/2024		Case Assigned to Judge Jia M. Cobb. (zed) (Entered: 02/28/2024)
03/01/2024	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (4) Issued Electronically as to HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zed) (Entered: 03/01/2024)
03/06/2024	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION served on 3/4/2024 (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/06/2024)
03/06/2024	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES served on 3/4/2024 (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/06/2024)
03/06/2024	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 03/04/2024. (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/06/2024)
03/06/2024	<u>7</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 3/1/2024. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 3/31/2024. (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/06/2024)
03/21/2024	<u>8</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Kaitlin Kerry Eckrote on behalf of HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 03/21/2024)
03/21/2024	<u>9</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint, by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 03/21/2024)
03/22/2024		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>9</u> Motion for Extension of Time to Answer: In light of the consent motion, and finding good cause, the motion is GRANTED. Defendants' answer is due May 1, 2024. Signed by Judge Jia M. Cobb on March 22, 2024. (lcjmc3) (Entered: 03/22/2024)
04/03/2024	<u>10</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Allison Lucas on behalf of INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK (Lucas, Allison) (Entered: 04/03/2024)
05/01/2024	<u>11</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 05/01/2024)
05/02/2024		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that the Parties confer and submit a joint proposed schedule for further proceedings, which shall include a proposed schedule for the processing and release of responsive records or for briefing dispositive motions, by May 16, 2024. Signed by Judge Jia M. Cobb on May 2, 2024. (lcjmc3) (Entered: 05/02/2024)
05/14/2024	<u>12</u>	JOINT STATUS REPORT. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) Modified docket text on 5/14/2024 (zdp). (Entered: 05/14/2024)
05/14/2024	<u>13</u>	SCHEDULING ORDER: Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment is due July 15, 2024. Plaintiff's Opposition/Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment is due August 14, 2024. Defendants' Reply/Opposition to Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment is due September 13, 2024. Plaintiff's Reply is due September 27, 2024. See document for scheduling order and information concerning case procedures. Signed by Judge Jia M. Cobb on May 14, 2024. (lcjmc3) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
07/15/2024	<u>14</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>3</u> Declaration, # <u>4</u> Declaration, # <u>5</u> Exhibit, # <u>6</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote,

		Kaitlin) (Entered: 07/15/2024)
07/16/2024	<u>15</u>	MOTION Seal Motion for Summary Judgment re <u>14</u> MOTION for Summary Judgment by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) Modified event type on 7/18/2024 (zdp). (Entered: 07/16/2024)
07/18/2024		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>15</u> Motion to Seal: In light of the motion, the motion is GRANTED. ECF 14-4 is SEALED. Defendants SHALL file a clean version of their motion for summary judgment on the docket. Signed by Judge Jia M. Cobb on 7/18/2024. (zakb) (Entered: 07/18/2024)
07/18/2024	<u>16</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>3</u> Declaration, # <u>4</u> Declaration, # <u>5</u> Exhibit, # <u>6</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 07/18/2024)
08/14/2024	<u>17</u>	Memorandum in opposition to re <u>16</u> Motion for Summary Judgment, filed by INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Allison R. Lucas, # <u>2</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>3</u> Evidentiary Objections, # <u>4</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lucas, Allison) (Entered: 08/14/2024)
08/14/2024	<u>18</u>	Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment by INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Declaration of Allison R. Lucas, # <u>3</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>4</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lucas, Allison) (Entered: 08/14/2024)
09/03/2024	<u>19</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>18</u> Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment by HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 09/03/2024)
09/03/2024		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>19</u> Motion for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply: Upon consideration of Defendants' <u>19</u> consent motion for extension of time, it is ORDERED that the parties shall adhere to the following schedule: Defendants' reply/opposition to <u>18</u> cross-motion for summary judgment is due by October 23, 2024; and Plaintiff's reply is due by November 15, 2024. Signed by Judge Jia M. Cobb on September 3, 2024. (lcjmc3) (Entered: 09/03/2024)