

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24-cv-00798-PLF**

INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK v. CENTERS
FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION et al
Assigned to: Judge Paul L. Friedman
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/19/2024
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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| 03/19/2024 | <u>1</u> | COMPLAINT against All Defendants (Filing fee \$ 405 receipt number ADCDC-10766973) 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> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>7</u> Summons to CDC, # <u>8</u> Summons to HHS, # <u>9</u> Summons to USAG, # <u>10</u> Summons to USAO)(Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/19/2024) |

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| 03/19/2024 | <u>2</u> | LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/19/2024) |
| 03/20/2024 | | Case Assigned to Judge Paul L. Friedman. (mg) (Entered: 03/20/2024) |
| 03/20/2024 | <u>3</u> | SUMMONS (4) Issued Electronically as to All Defendants, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(mg) (Entered: 03/20/2024) |
| 03/29/2024 | <u>4</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION served on 3/25/2024 (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/29/2024) |
| 03/29/2024 | <u>5</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES served on 3/25/2024 (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/29/2024) |
| 03/29/2024 | <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 03/26/2024. (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/29/2024) |
| 03/29/2024 | <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 3/21/2024. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 4/20/2024. (Brehm, Elizabeth) (Entered: 03/29/2024) |
| 04/22/2024 | <u>8</u> | ANSWER to Complaint by CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.(Escher, Sam) (Entered: 04/22/2024) |
| 04/22/2024 | <u>9</u> | ORDER directing the parties to meet and confer and file joint status report on or before May 6, 2024. See Order for details. Signed by Judge Paul L. Friedman on April 22, 2024. (lcmo) (Entered: 04/22/2024) |
| 05/03/2024 | <u>10</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Escher, Sam) (Entered: 05/03/2024) |
| 05/03/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER directing the parties to file a joint status report on or before June 27, 2024 apprising the Court of any updates on the Plaintiff's review of the produced documents and any disagreements that may exist between the parties thereafter. Signed by Judge Paul L. Friedman on May 3, 2024. (lcmo) (Entered: 05/03/2024) |
| 05/07/2024 | <u>11</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Richard Scott Pietrowski on behalf of INFORMED CONSENT ACTION NETWORK (Pietrowski, Richard) (Entered: 05/07/2024) |
| 05/24/2024 | <u>12</u> | ENTERED IN ERROR.....ORDER directing the parties to meet and confer and file a joint status report on or before June 7, 2024. Signed by Judge Paul L. Friedman on May 24, 2024. (lcak) Modified on 5/28/2024 to enter in error as docketed in incorrect case; please disregard.(ztnr) (Entered: 05/24/2024) |
| 06/27/2024 | <u>13</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Escher, Sam) (Entered: 06/27/2024) |
| 06/28/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER directing the parties to file a joint status report on or before August 29, 2024. Signed by Judge Paul L. Friedman on June 28, 2024. (lcmo) (Entered: 06/28/2024) |
| 08/29/2024 | <u>14</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. (Escher, Sam) (Entered: 08/29/2024) |
| 08/30/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: in light of the parties' <u>14</u> Joint Status Report, the parties are directed to file another joint status report on or before October 29, 2024. Signed by Judge Paul L. Friedman on August 30, 2024. (lcmo) (Entered: 08/30/2024) |