U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24-cv-00875-DLF

SINGH v. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION Assigned to: Judge Dabney L. Friedrich Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act Date Filed: 03/27/2024 Date Terminated: 08/05/2024 Jury Demand: None Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

<u>Plaintiff</u>

KRISHNA PAL SINGH

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V.

Defendant

U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/27/2024	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (Filing fee \$ 405 receipt number ADCDC–10783757) filed by Krishna Pal Singh. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>3</u> Summons)(Nimer, Jennifer) (Entered: 03/27/2024)
03/27/2024		Case Assigned to Judge Dabney L. Friedrich. (znmw) (Entered: 03/27/2024)
03/27/2024		NOTICE OF NEW CASE ERROR regarding <u>1</u> Complaint. The following error(s) need correction: Incorrect summonses. Please locate the summons applicable to your FOIA case at www.dcd.uscourts.gov/new-cae-forms and filing using the event Request for Summons to issue. (znmw) (Entered: 03/27/2024)
03/27/2024	<u>2</u>	REQUEST FOR SUMMONS TO ISSUE filed by KRISHNA PAL SINGH.(Nimer, Jennifer) (Entered: 03/27/2024)
03/28/2024	<u>3</u>	STANDARD ORDER for Civil Cases. See text for details. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on March 28, 2024. (lcdlf2) (Entered: 03/28/2024)
03/28/2024	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(mg) (Entered: 03/28/2024)
04/01/2024	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 3/28/2024. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 4/27/2024. (Nimer, Jennifer) (Entered: 04/01/2024)

04/19/2024	<u>6</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Sian Jones on behalf of U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (Jones, Sian) (Entered: 04/19/2024)
04/26/2024	7	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>File</i> by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Jones, Sian) (Entered: 04/26/2024)
04/26/2024		MINUTE ORDER granting the defendant's <u>7</u> Consent Motion for Extension of Time. The defendant shall answer or otherwise respond to the plaintiff's <u>1</u> Complaint on or before May 6, 2024. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on April 26, 2024. (lcdlf2) (Entered: 04/26/2024)
05/06/2024	<u>8</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION.(Jones, Sian) (Entered: 05/06/2024)
05/06/2024		MINUTE ORDER requiring the parties to MEET AND CONFER and file a Meet and Confer report proposing a schedule for further proceedings. The report should address the status of the plaintiff's FOIA request, including the anticipated number of documents responsive to the request and the anticipated date(s) for release of the requested documents. The parties shall file the Meet and Confer report on or before June 5, 2024. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on May 6, 2024. (lcdlf2) (Entered: 05/06/2024)
06/05/2024	2	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION. (Jones, Sian) (Entered: 06/05/2024)
06/05/2024		MINUTE ORDER. Upon consideration of the parties' <u>9</u> Joint Status Report, the parties are directed to file a joint status report on or before August 5, 2024. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on June 5, 2024. (lcdlf2) (Entered: 06/05/2024)
08/01/2024	<u>10</u>	NOTICE STRICKEN PURSUANT TO ORDER FILED 8/1/2024NOTICE of Voluntary Dismissal by KRISHNA PAL SINGH (Nimer, Jennifer) Modified on 8/2/2024 (zjch,). (Entered: 08/01/2024)
08/01/2024		MINUTE ORDER. Before the Court is the plaintiff's <u>10</u> Notice of Voluntary Dismissal, which is improperly filed because the defendant has already served an answer in this case. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i). To dismiss this case under Rule 41, the plaintiff must file a stipulation of dismissal signed by all parties who have appeared, Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), or request a court order to dismiss the case, see Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(2). Accordingly, the Clerk of Court is directed to STRIKE that <u>10</u> Notice. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on August 1, 2024. (lcldf2) (Entered: 08/01/2024)
08/05/2024	<u>11</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION. (Jones, Sian) (Entered: 08/05/2024)
08/05/2024		MINUTE ORDER. In light of the parties' <u>11</u> Stipulation of Dismissal, the plaintiff's claims against the defendant are DISMISSED without prejudice. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a). The Clerk of Court is directed to close this case. So Ordered by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on August 5, 2024. (lcdlf1) (Entered: 08/05/2024)