

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:23-cv-02267-APM**

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND
RECORDS ADMINISTRATION
Assigned to: Judge Amit P. Mehta
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 08/07/2023
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
08/07/2023	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION (Filing fee \$ 402 receipt number ADCDC-10257868) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons US Attorney for the District of Columbia, # <u>3</u> Summons US Attorney General, # <u>4</u> Summons National Archives and Records Admin.)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Attachment 1 replaced on 8/8/2023) (zljn). (Entered: 08/07/2023)
08/07/2023	<u>2</u>	ENTERED IN ERROR.....LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Main Document 2 replaced on 8/8/2023) (zljn). Modified on 8/8/2023; refiled as docket entry <u>3</u> (znmw). (Entered: 08/07/2023)
08/07/2023	<u>3</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests (<i>Corrected</i>) by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 08/07/2023)

08/08/2023		Case Assigned to Judge Amit P. Mehta. (zljn) (Entered: 08/08/2023)
08/08/2023	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zljn) (Entered: 08/08/2023)
09/05/2023	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Kevin Joseph Wynosky on behalf of All Defendants (Wynosky, Kevin) (Entered: 09/05/2023)
09/05/2023	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION.(Wynosky, Kevin) (Entered: 09/05/2023)
09/06/2023	<u>7</u>	ORDER. The parties shall meet and confer and file a Joint Status Report on or before September 20, 2023. See the attached Order for additional details. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 09/06/2023. (lcapm1) (Entered: 09/06/2023)
09/11/2023	<u>8</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 8/8/2023. (Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 9/7/2023.), RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 08/014/2023., RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION served on 8/11/2023 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/11/2023)
09/18/2023	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/18/2023)
09/20/2023		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report by October 20, 2023, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 09/20/2023. (lcapm1) (Entered: 09/20/2023)
10/19/2023	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 10/19/2023)
10/20/2023		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before November 21, 2023, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 10/20/2023. (lcapm1) (Entered: 10/20/2023)
10/20/2023		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 11/21/2023. (smc) (Entered: 10/20/2023)
11/17/2023	<u>11</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Alexandra Widas on behalf of All Defendants Substituting for attorney Kevin Wynosky (Widas, Alexandra) (Entered: 11/17/2023)
11/21/2023	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 11/21/2023)
11/22/2023		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before December 22, 2023, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 11/22/2023. (lcapm1) (Entered: 11/22/2023)
12/22/2023	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 12/22/2023)
12/22/2023		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before January 26, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 1/26/2024. (lcapm1) Modified status report due date on 12/26/2023 (zjd). (Entered: 12/22/2023)
01/25/2024	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 01/25/2024)

01/29/2024		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before February 26, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 1/29/2024. (lcapm1) (Entered: 01/29/2024)
02/26/2024	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 02/26/2024)
02/27/2024		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before March 27, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 2/27/2024. (lcapm1) (Entered: 02/27/2024)
02/27/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 3/27/2024. (hmc) (Entered: 02/27/2024)
03/27/2024	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION. (Widas, Alexandra) (Entered: 03/27/2024)
03/28/2024		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before May 27, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 3/28/2024. (lcapm1) (Entered: 03/28/2024)
03/28/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 5/27/2024. (smc) (Entered: 03/28/2024)
05/24/2024	<u>17</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 05/24/2024)
05/28/2024		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before July 26, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 5/28/2024. (lcapm1) (Entered: 05/28/2024)
05/28/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 7/26/2024. (zjch,) (Entered: 05/28/2024)
07/25/2024	<u>18</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 07/25/2024)
07/26/2024		MINUTE ORDER. The parties shall file an additional Joint Status Report on or before September 24, 2024, which updates the court on the processing and production of responsive records. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta. Signed by Judge Amit P. Mehta on 07/26/2024. (lcapm3) (Entered: 07/26/2024)
07/29/2024		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 9/24/2024 (zakb) (Entered: 07/29/2024)
09/24/2024	<u>19</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/24/2024)