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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS				DEFENDANTS						
State of Missouri ex rel. Andrew Bailey, Attorney General				United States Department of Justice						
(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)			County of Residence of First Listed Defendant							
				(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY) NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF						
				THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.						
(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)				Attorneys (If Known)						
Andrew J. Crane, Matthew Tkachuk, Missouri Attorne General's Office, P.O. Box 899, Jefferson City, MO										
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II. BASIS OF JURISD		One Box Only)		TIZENSHIP OF P	RINCIP	AL PARTIES	Place an "X" in	One Box fo	or Plaintiff	
1 U.S. Government	3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)			(For Diversity Cases Only)		a	and One Box for	Defendant)		
Plaintiff			Citizen of This State					□ 4		
2 U.S. Government Defendant	4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)		Citizen of Another State		2			5		
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IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)			l no	Click here for: Nature of Suit Code Descriptions.						
CONTRACT 110 Insurance				FORFEITURE/PENALTY 625 Drug Related Seizure		BANKRUPTCY 422 Appeal 28 USC 158		375 False Claims Act		
120 Marine	310 Airplane	365 Personal Injury -		of Property 21 USC 881		ithdrawal	376 Qui Ta	am (31 US		
130 Miller Act 140 Negotiable Instrument	315 Airplane Product Liability	315 Airplane Product Product Liability Liability 367 Health Care/		690 Other		28 USC 157 INTELLECTUAL		3729(a)) 400 State Reapportionment		
150 Recovery of Overpayment	320 Assault, Libel &	Pharmaceutical			PROI	PERTY RIGHTS	410 Antitri	410 Antitrust 430 Banks and Banking		
& Enforcement of Judgmen	Slander 330 Federal Employers'	Personal Injury Product Liability				220 Copyrights 430 Banks and B 330 Patent 450 Commerce			ng	
152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans	Liability 340 Marine	368 Asbestos Personal Injury Product				tent - Abbreviated	460 Deportation 470 Racketeer Influenced and			
(Excludes Veterans)	345 Marine Product	Liability			New Drug Application 840 Trademark		Corrupt Organizations			
153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits	Liability 350 Motor Vehicle			LABOR 710 Fair Labor Standards		880 Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016		480 Consumer Credit (15 USC 1681 or 1692)		
160 Stockholders' Suits	355 Motor Vehicle	371 Truth in Lending	- <u>L</u>				485 Teleph	none Consu		
190 Other Contract 195 Contract Product Liability	duct Liability 360 Other Personal Property Damage Injury 385 Property Damage		720 Labor/Management Relations		861 HIA (1395ff)		Protection Act 490 Cable/Sat TV			
196 Franchise			_	740 Railway Labor Act		862 Black Lung (923)		850 Securities/Commodities/		
	Medical Malpractice	Product Liability	\mathbb{P}^{n}	1 Family and Medical Leave Act		IWC/DIWW (405(g)) SID Title XVI	Excha 890 Other		Actions	
REAL PROPERTY 210 Land Condemnation	CIVIL RIGHTS 440 Other Civil Rights	PRISONER PETITION Habeas Corpus:		0 Other Labor Litigation 1 Employee Retirement	865 R	SI (405(g))	891 Agricu 893 Enviro			
220 Foreclosure	441 Voting	463 Alien Detainee	H''	Income Security Act	FEDE	RAL TAX SUITS	X 895 Freedo			
230 Rent Lease & Ejectment 240 Torts to Land	442 Employment 443 Housing/	510 Motions to Vacate Sentence				exes (U.S. Plaintiff Defendant)	Act 896 Arbitra	ation		
245 Tort Product Liability	Accommodations	530 General			871 IR	871 IRS—Third Party		899 Administrative Procedure		
290 All Other Real Property	445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment	535 Death Penalty Other:	46	IMMIGRATION 462 Naturalization Application		26 USC 7609		Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision		
	446 Amer. w/Disabilities -	540 Mandamus & Othe		5 Other Immigration			950 Consti	tutionality		
	Other 448 Education	550 Civil Rights 555 Prison Condition		Actions			State S	Statutes		
		560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of								
		Confinement								
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	Cite the U.S. Civil Stat 28 U.S.C. §§ 2201–02;		e filing (I	Oo not cite jurisdictional sta	tutes unless	diversity):				
VI. CAUSE OF ACTION	Brief description of car	ise:								
THE DECLIFORED DI				osure of records sought u						
VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT: CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.			D.	CMAND \$ CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint: JURY DEMAND: Yes No						
VIII. RELATED CASI IF ANY	(See instructions):	JUDGE			DOC	KET NUMBER				
DATE	SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD									
September 26, 2024		/s/ Andrew J. Crane								
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

Authority For Civil Cover Sheet

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- **I.(a) Plaintiffs-Defendants.** Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.
 - (b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)
- (c) Attorneys. Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".
- II. Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.Cv.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.

 United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here. United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box. Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.

 Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; NOTE: federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)
- III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties. This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.
- IV. Nature of Suit. Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If there are multiple nature of suit codes associated with the case, pick the nature of suit code that is most applicable. Click here for: Nature of Suit Code Descriptions.
- V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the seven boxes.
 - Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.

Removed from State Court. (2) Proceedings initiated in state courts may be removed to the district courts under Title 28 U.S.C., Section 1441. Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date.

Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date. Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.

Multidistrict Litigation – Transfer. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407.

Multidistrict Litigation – Direct File. (8) Check this box when a multidistrict case is filed in the same district as the Master MDL docket. **PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NOT AN ORIGIN CODE 7.** Origin Code 7 was used for historical records and is no longer relevant due to changes in statute.

- VI. Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity. Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service.
- VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.

 Demand. In this space enter the actual dollar amount being demanded or indicate other demand, such as a preliminary injunction.

 Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.
- VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases, if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.