U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24-cv-01349-RDM

AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY et al Assigned to: Judge Randolph D. Moss Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Plaintiff

AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION

Date Filed: 05/09/2024 Jury Demand: None Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

represented by Lee A. Steven

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V.

Defendant

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

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<u>Defendant</u>

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

represented by Kenneth A. Adebonojo (See above for address) LEAD ATTORNEY ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

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| 05/09/2024 | <u>1</u> | COMPLAINT against All Defendants (Filing fee \$ 405 receipt number ADCDC-10883818) filed by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2, # 3 Exhibit 3, # 4 Exhibit 4, # 5 Exhibit 5, # <u>6 Exhibit 6, # 7 Exhibit 7, # 8 Exhibit 8, # 9 Civil Cover Sheet, # 10 Summons Dep't</u> of Homeland Sec., # <u>11 Summons Dep't of the Treasury, # 12 Summons U.S. Att'y</u> Gen., # <u>13 Summons U.S. Att'y's Office – DC)(Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/09/2024)</u> |

| 05/09/2024 | <u>2</u> | LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financia Interests by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/09/2024) |
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| 05/10/2024 | | Case Assigned to Judge Randolph D. Moss. (znmw) (Entered: 05/10/2024) |
| 05/10/2024 | <u>3</u> | SUMMONS (4) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(znmw) (Entered: 05/10/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>4</u> | STANDING ORDER: The parties are hereby ORDERED to comply with the directives set forth in the attached Standing Order. See document for details. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 5/13/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>5</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Lee A. Steven on behalf of AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION (Steven, Lee) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>6</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 5/10/2024. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 6/9/2024. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | 7 | ERRATA – <i>CORRECTED Proof of Service</i> by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION re <u>6</u> Summons Returned Executed in FOIA as to U.S. Attorney. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>8</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY served on 5/13/2024 (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>9</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 05/13/2024. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/13/2024 | <u>10</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY served on 5/13/2024 (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 05/13/2024) |
| 05/31/2024 | <u>11</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Kenneth A. Adebonojo on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY (Adebonojo, Kenneth) (Entered: 05/31/2024) |
| 06/10/2024 | <u>12</u> | Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Respond</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY. (Adebonojo Kenneth) (Entered: 06/10/2024) |
| 06/13/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of the Defendants' consent motion for an extension of time, Dkt. <u>12</u> , it is hereby ORDERED that the motion is GRANTED. It i further ORDERED that Defendants shall respond to the complaint in this action on or before July 10, 2024. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 6/13/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 06/13/2024) |
| 07/10/2024 | <u>13</u> | ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.(Adebonojo, Kenneth) (Entered: 07/10/2024) |
| 07/12/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: It is ORDERED that, on or before August 12, 2024, the parties shall confer and file a joint status report addressing (1) any documents still to be produced pursuant to FOIA; (2) an anticipated schedule for processing and producing any such documents; and (3) any substantive areas of disagreement between the parties. It is further ORDERED that the parties shall appear for an Initial Scheduling Conference on August 26, 2024, at 2:00 p.m., in Courtroom 8. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 7/12/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 07/12/2024) |
| 08/12/2024 | <u>14</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 08/12/2024) |
| 08/13/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of the parties' joint status report, Dkt. <u>14</u> , it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further joint status report on or |

| | | before September 30, 2024. It is further ORDERED that the initial scheduling conference scheduled for August 26, 2024, is VACATED. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 8/13/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 08/13/2024) |
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| 09/30/2024 | <u>15</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 09/30/2024) |
| 10/01/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of the parties' joint status report, Dkt. <u>15</u> , it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further joint status report on or before October 30, 2024. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 10/1/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 10/01/2024) |
| 10/30/2024 | <u>16</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 10/30/2024) |
| 11/04/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of the parties' joint status report, Dkt. <u>16</u> , it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further joint status report on or before December 13, 2024. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 11/4/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 11/04/2024) |
| 12/13/2024 | <u>17</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION. (Mulvey, Ryan) (Entered: 12/13/2024) |
| 12/13/2024 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of the parties' joint status report, Dkt. <u>17</u> , it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit a further joint status report on or before March 14, 2025. Signed by Judge Randolph D. Moss on 12/13/2024. (lcrdm3) (Entered: 12/13/2024) |