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## **CIVIL COVER SHEET**

JS-44 (Rev. 6/17 DC)											
1. (a) PLAINTIFFS			DEFENDANTS								
PATRICIA W. DAUGHERTY			U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES								
(b) COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF 88888 (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)			COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED DEFENDANT								
(e) ATTORNEYS (FIRM NAME, A Paul J. Orfanedes JUDICIAL WATCH, INC 425 Third Street, SW, S Washington, DC 20024 (202) 646-5172		ATTORNEYS (IF KNO	WN)								
II. BASIS OF JURISDICT (PLACE AN x IN ONE BOX O						S (PLACE AN x IN ONE ERSITY CASES ONLY!	BOX FOR				
O 1 U.S. Government (Plaintiff	3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)	Citizen of th	PTF	O 1	Incorpor	ated or Principal Place	PTF O 4	OFT 4			
O 2 U.S. Government Defendant	4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in item III)		of Busin		rated and Principal Place 0 5 of sess in Another State		<b>O</b> 5				
		Foreign Cou	intry			Foreign Nation		<b>O</b> 6			
IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT  (Place an X in one category, A-N, that best represents your Cause of Action and one in a corresponding Nature of Suit)											
O A. Antitrust O	B. Personal Injury/ Malpractice	0 (	O C. Administrative Agency Review			O D. Temporary Restraining Order/Preliminary					
410 Antitrust	310 Airplane 315 Airplane Product Liability 320 Assault, Libel & Slander 330 Federal Employers Liability 340 Marine 345 Marine Product Liability 350 Motor Vehicle 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liabili 360 Other Personal Injury 362 Medical Malpractice 365 Product Liability 367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury Product Liabil 368 Asbestos Product Liability	Social	551 Medicare Act  Security 661 HIA (1395ff) 662 Black Lung (923) 663 DIWC/DIWW (40 664 SSID Title XVI 665 RSI (405(g))  Statutes 191 Agricultural Acts 193 Environmental M 190 Other Statutory A Administrative Aq Involved)	Injunction  Any nature of suit from any category may be selected for this category of case assignment.  *(If Antitrust, then A governs)*							
O E. General Civil (O	Other) OR	(	F. Pro Se Ge	neral Ci	ivil						
Real Property   210 Land Condemnation   220 Foreclosure   230 Rent, Lease & Ejectr   240 Torts to Land   245 Tort Product Liabilit   290 All Other Real Property   370 Other Fraud   371 Truth in Lending   380 Other Personal Prop Damage   385 Property Damage   Product Liability   Product Liability   Product Liability   Product Liability   200 Forecast   Property Damage   Product Liability   Product Liability   200 Forecast   Property Damage   Product Liability   Product Liability	ment    423 Withdrawal 28 U   Prisoner Petitions     535 Death Penalty     540 Mandamus & Ot     550 Civil Rights     555 Prison Conditions     560 Civil Detainee - Of Confinement	her s Conditions	Federal Tax Suit  870 Taxes ( defenda 871 IRS-Th 7609  Forfeiture/Penal 625 Drug R Proper( 690 Other  Other Statutes 375 False C 376 Qui Tai 3729(a) 400 State R 430 Banks & 450 Comme Rates/ei 460 Deports	US plainti int) ird Party  ty elated Sei: y 21 USC  laims Act m (31 USC) .eapportio & Banking rce/ICC tc.	26 USC zure of 881	462 Naturalizat Application Application 465 Other Imm Actions 470 Racketeer I & Corrupt 480 Consumer ( 490 Cable/Satel 850 Securities/C Exchange 896 Arbitration 899 Administra Act/Review Agency Dec 950 Constitution Statutes 890 Other Statu (if not admi	igration  nfluencec Organiza Credit lite TV Commodit tive Proce or Appea ision nality of S tory Actionistrative	tion ties/ edure al of State ons			

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G. Habeas Corpus/ 2255  530 Habeas Corpus – General 510 Motion/Vacate Sentence 463 Habeas Corpus – Alien Detainee	H. Employment Discrimination  442 Civil Rights – Employment (criteria: race, gender/sex, national origin, discrimination, disability, age, religion, retaliation)	● I. FOIA/Privacy Act  ■ 895 Freedom of Information Act ■ 890 Other Statutory Actions (if Privacy Act)	J. Student Loan  152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loan (excluding veterans)					
	*(If pro se, select this deck)*	*(If pro se, select this deck)*						
<ul> <li>○ K. Labor/ERISA (non-employment)</li> <li>□ 710 Fair Labor Standards Act</li> <li>□ 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations</li> <li>□ 740 Labor Railway Act</li> <li>□ 751 Family and Medical Leave Act</li> <li>□ 790 Other Labor Litigation</li> <li>□ 791 Empl. Ret. Inc. Security Act</li> </ul>	O L. Other Civil Rights (non-employment)  441 Voting (if not Voting Rights Act)  443 Housing/Accommodations  440 Other Civil Rights  445 Americans w/Disabilities – Employment  446 Americans w/Disabilities – Other  448 Education	M. Contract  110 Insurance 120 Marine 130 Miller Act 140 Negotiable Instrument 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits 160 Stockholder's Suits 190 Other Contracts 195 Contract Product Liability 196 Franchise	N. Three-Judge Court  441 Civil Rights – Voting (if Voting Rights Act)					
V. ORIGIN								
O 1 Original Proceeding From State Court Court State Court C								
VI. CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE.) 5 U.S.C. Section 552, Freedom of Information Act. Defendant is unlawfully withholding public records.								
VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT  CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23  DEMAND \$ Check YES only if demanded in complaint YES NO X								
VIII. RELATED CASE(S) (See instruction) IF ANY  (See instruction) YES NO X  If yes, please complete related case form								
DATE:2/19/2020	SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF REC	ORD Saul of Of						

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET JS-44 Authority for Civil Cover Sheet

The JS-44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replaces nor supplements the filings and services of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. Consequently, a civil cover sheet is submitted to the Clerk of Court for each civil complaint filed. Listed below are tips for completing the civil cover sheet. These tips coincide with the Roman Numerals on the cover sheet.

- I. COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF/DEFENDANT (b) County of residence: Use 11001 to indicate plaintiff if resident of Washington, DC, 88888 if plaintiff is resident of United States but not Washington, DC, and 99999 if plaintiff is outside the United States.
- III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES: This section is completed only if diversity of citizenship was selected as the Basis of Jurisdiction under Section II.
- IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT: The assignment of a judge to your case will depend on the category you select that best represents the <u>primary</u> cause of action found in your complaint. You may select only <u>one</u> category. You <u>must</u> also select <u>one</u> corresponding nature of suit found under the category of the case.
- VI. CAUSE OF ACTION: Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing and write a brief statement of the primary cause.
- VIII. RELATED CASE(S), IF ANY: If you indicated that there is a related case, you must complete a related case form, which may be obtained from the Clerk's Office.

Because of the need for accurate and complete information, you should ensure the accuracy of the information provided prior to signing the form.