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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS					EFENDA	NTS						
Democracy Forward Foundation					U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness							
(b) COUNTY OF RESIDENCE OF FIRST LISTED PLAINTIFF District of Columbia (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) Robin F. Thurston				AT	TTORNEYS	(IF KNOW	N)					
Democracy Forward Foundation 1333 H Street NW, Floor 11 Washington, DC 20005												
(202) 448-9090			-									
II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (PLACE AN x IN ONE BOX ONLY)				III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (PLACE AN X IN ONE BOX FOR PLAINTIFF AND ONE BOX FOR DEFENDANT) FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY!								
O 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff	O 3 Fe	deral Question S. Government Not a Party)	Citizen o			PTF O 1	DFT O 1	Incorpor	ated or Principal Place	DFT O 4		
2 U.S. Government Defendant	(Ir	O 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of		f Anot	ther State	O 2	O 2	Incorpor	ated and Principal Place ess in Another State	O 5	O ⁵	
Pa		rties in item III)	Citizen o Foreign			O 3	O 3	Foreign		O 6	O 6	
IV. CASE ASSIGNMENT AND NATURE OF SUIT (Place an X in one category, A-N, that best represents your Cause of Action and <u>one</u> in a corresponding Nature of Suit)												
-	-	ersonal Injury/										
O A. Antitrust	О В. <i>Р</i> М	0		C. Administrative Agency Review			O D. Temporary Restraining Order/Preliminary					
410 Antitrust	310 Ai		151 Medicare Act				Injunction					
		rplane Product Liability scault Libel & Slander	Social Security					Any nature of suit from any category				
	 320 Assault, Libel & Slander 330 Federal Employers Liability 340 Marine 345 Marine Product Liability 350 Motor Vehicle 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability 			 861 HIA (1395ff) 862 Black Lung (923) 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g)) 864 SSID Title XVI 865 DEV (405(c)) 					may be selected for this category of case assignment.			
									(If Antitrust, then A governs)			
		ther Personal Injury edical Malpractice	891 Agricultural Acts									
	362 Medical Malpractice 365 Product Liability 367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical		893 Environmental Matters 890 Other Statutory Actions (If Administrative Agency is									
		rsonal Injury Product Liabi sbestos Product Liability	liity		Involved)							
O E. General Civi	il (Other)	OR		0	F. Pro) Se Gei	ieral C	ivil	<u> </u>			
Real Property Bankruptcy				Federal Tax Suits					462 Naturalizat			
210 Land Condemnation 422 Appeal 27 USC 220 Foreclosure 423 Withdrawal 28					870 Taxes (US plaintiff or defendant)			Application				
230 Rent, Lease & Ejectment					871 IRS-Third Party 26 USC			465 Other Immigration Actions				
240 Torts to Land 245 Tort Product Liability 535 Death Penalty					7609			470 Racketeer Influenced				
290 All Other Real Property 540 Mandamus & Other					Forfeiture/Penalty 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC 881			& Corrupt Organization 480 Consumer Credit				
Personal Property 550 Civil Rights								490 Cable/Satellite TV				
Personal Property 555 Prison Conditions 370 Other Fraud 560 Civil Detainee - 0					690 Other			850 Securities/Commodities/ Exchange				
371 Truth in Lending of Confinement				3		Other Statutes 375 False Claims Act			896 Arbitration			
380 Other Personal Property Damage Property Rights									899 Administrative Procedure			
385 Property Damage 820 Copyrigh					376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a))			Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision				
Product Liability 830 Patent - 835 Patent -			eviated New		400 State Reapportionment			950 Constitutionality of State				
Drug Appli					430 Banks & Banking			Statutes				
840 Trademark					450 Commerce/IC Rates/etc.				890 Other Statutory Actions (if not administrative agency			
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O G. Habeas Corpus/ 2255	O H. Employment Discrimination	• I. FOIA/Privacy Act	O J. Student Loan							
530 Habeas Corpus – General 510 Motion/Vacate Sentence 463 Habeas Corpus – Alien Detainee	442 Civil Rights – Employment (criteria: race, gender/sex, national origin, discrimination, disability, age, religion, retaliation)	X 895 Freedom of Information Act 890 Other Statutory Actions (if Privacy Act)	152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loan (excluding veterans)							
	(If pro se, select this deck)	*(If pro se, select this deck)*								
 K. Labor/ERISA (non-employment) 710 Fair Labor Standards Act 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations 740 Labor Railway Act 751 Family and Medical Leave Act 790 Other Labor Litigation 791 Empl. Ret. Inc. Security Act 	 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										
I Original Proceeding 0 2 Removed from State Court 0 3 Remanded from Appellate Court 0 4 Reinstated or Reopened 0 5 Transferred from another district (specify) 0 6 Multi-district 0 7 Appeal to District Judge 0 8 Multi-district										
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. § 552 (Freedom of Information Act). Defendants are unlawfully withholding public records.										
	CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS DEMAND ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23 JU	\$Check RY DEMAND:YES	ES only if demanded in complaint							
VIII. RELATED CASE(S) (See instruction) YES NO If yes, please complete related case form IF ANY If yes, please complete related case form If yes, please complete related case form										
DATE: SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD/s/ Robin F. Thurston										

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 <u>only</u> 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.