

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:01-cv-00796-GK**

CANNING v. DOJ  
Assigned to: Judge Gladys Kessler  
Demand: \$0  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 04/12/2001  
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Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/12/2001	1	COMPLAINT filed by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING; Exhibits (7). (ks) (Entered: 05/01/2001)
04/12/2001		SUMMONS (3) issued to federal party(s) federal defendant DOJ , and non-parties: U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (ks) (Entered: 05/01/2001)
04/12/2001	2	NOTIFICATION OF RELATED CASE: Case related to Case No(s): 95-2029 (ks) (Entered: 05/01/2001)
04/30/2001	3	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of summons and complaint executed upon U.S. Attorney General on 4/16/01 (cjp) (Entered: 05/02/2001)
04/30/2001	4	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of summons and complaint executed on 4/16/01 upon federal defendant DOJ (cjp) (Entered: 05/02/2001)
05/16/2001	5	ANSWER TO COMPLAINT [1-1] by federal defendant DOJ . (bm) (Entered: 05/17/2001)
10/11/2001	<u>6</u>	INITIAL SCHEDULING ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler status hearing set for 9:30 10/31/01 (N) (pob) (Entered: 10/11/2001)
10/31/2001		STATUS HEARING before Judge Gladys Kessler: dispositive motions due 1/5/02; response to dispositive motions or 56(f) motion discovery due 1/20/02; reply to dispositive motions due 2/10/02 Reporter: Susan Tyner (pob) (Entered: 10/31/2001)

10/31/2001	<u>7</u>	SCHEULING ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler confirming status hearing of 10/31/01 (N) (pob) (Entered: 10/31/2001)
11/21/2001	8	NOTICE by federal defendant DOJ to Court concerning mail service at US Attorney's Office (cdw) (Entered: 11/26/2001)
01/07/2002	9	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 1/22/02 to file its motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 01/09/2002)
01/16/2002	<u>10</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 1/22/02 to file its motion for summary judgment [9-1] by DOJ dispositive motion due by 1/22/02; response to dispositive motion due by 2/5/02; (N) (tth) (Entered: 01/17/2002)
01/22/2002	11	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 2/5/02 to file motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>12</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 2/5/02 to file motion for summary judgment [11-1] by DOJ; motion for summary judgment due by 2/5/02 ; response to motion for summary judgment due 2/19/02 ; reply to motion for summary judgment due by 3/5/02 (N) (dot) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
02/04/2002	13	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ for summary judgment ; exhibits (20) (bjsp) (Entered: 02/06/2002)
02/21/2002	14	MOTION filed by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING for continuance of plaintiff's response to defendant's motion for summary judgment to permit rule 56 (f) discovery ; declarations (1), exhibits (14); BULKY PLEADING (cdw) (Entered: 02/26/2002)
02/22/2002	15	REQUEST by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING for admissions (cdw) (Entered: 02/26/2002)
03/06/2002	16	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to file opposition to plaintiff's motion regarding discovery (cdw) (Entered: 03/08/2002)
03/12/2002	<u>17</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to file opposition to plaintiff's motion regarding discovery [16-1] by DOJ. Defendant shall have up to and including eleven calendar days from the date on which defendant receives a copy of plaintiff's motion to serve discovery in which to file its opposition to that motion. That date will not exceed March 22, 2002, eleven days from March 11, 2002. (N) (tth) (Entered: 03/12/2002)
03/21/2002	19	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 4/12/02 to file opposition to plaintiff's Motion for Continuance (nmr) (Entered: 03/25/2002)
03/22/2002	<u>18</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting defendant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file its opposition to plaintiff's Motion for Continuance of Plaintiff's Response to Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment to Permit Rule 56(f) Discovery; opposition due 4/12/02. (N) (tth) Modified on 03/27/2002 (Entered: 03/22/2002)
04/10/2002	20	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 4/30/02 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for continuance of plaintiff's response to defendant's motion for summary judgment to permit rule 56(f) discovery (cdw) (Entered: 04/15/2002)
04/15/2002	<u>21</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 4/30/02 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for continuance of plaintiff's response to defendant's motion for summary judgment to permit rule 56(f) discovery [20-1] by DOJ response to motion due by 4/30/02; (N) (tth) (Entered: 04/15/2002)
04/29/2002	22	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 5/3/02 (cdw) (Entered: 05/01/2002)
05/02/2002	<u>23</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 5/3/02 [22-1] to file its opposition to plaintiff's Motion for Continuance of Plaintiff's Response to Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment to Permit Rule 56(f) Discovery by DOJ; response to motion due by 5/3/02 ; (N) (tth) (Entered: 05/02/2002)

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05/03/2002	24	RESPONSE by federal defendant DOJ in opposition to motion for continuance of plaintiff's response to defendant's motion for summary judgment to permit rule 56 (f) discovery [14-1] by GEORGE CANNING (cdw) (Entered: 05/09/2002)
05/21/2002	25	REPLY by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING to response in opposition to motion for continuance of plaintiff's response to defendant's motion for summary judgment to permit rule 56 (f) discovery [14-1] by GEORGE CANNING (cdw) (Entered: 05/22/2002)
08/16/2002	<u>26</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: denying plaintiff's Motion for Continuance of Plaintiff's Response to Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment to Permit Rule 56(f) Discovery; Plaintiff's Opposition to the pending Motion for Summary Judgment is due 9/15/02. (N) (tth) (Entered: 08/16/2002)
09/10/2002	28	MOTION (UNOPPOSED) filed by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING to extend time to 10/15/02 to file opposition to defendant's motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 09/16/2002)
09/11/2002	<u>27</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting plaintiff's Unopposed Motion for Enlargement of Time to file his opposition. (N) (tth) (Entered: 09/12/2002)
10/16/2002	29	MEMORANDUM by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING in (PARTIAL) opposition to motion for summary judgment [13-1] by DOJ; declarations (1) (cdw) (Entered: 10/18/2002)
10/22/2002	30	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 11/25/02 to file reply to plaintiff's opposition to defendant's motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 10/24/2002)
10/23/2002	<u>31</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 11/25/02 to file reply to plaintiff's opposition to defendant's motion for summary judgment [30-1] by DOJ reply to motion for summary judgment due by 11/25/02; (N) (tth) (Entered: 10/24/2002)
11/22/2002	32	CONSENT MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 12/9/02 to reply to its motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 11/26/2002)
11/27/2002	<u>33</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 12/9/02 to reply to its motion for summary judgment [32-1] by DOJ reply to motion for summary judgment due by 12/9/02; (N) (tth) (Entered: 11/27/2002)
12/06/2002	34	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 1/15/03 in which to file defendant's reply motion for summary judgment (bm) (Entered: 12/10/2002)
12/10/2002	<u>35</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting motion to extend time to 1/15/03 in which to file defendant's reply motion for summary judgment [34-1] by DOJ reply to motion for summary judgment due by 1/15/03; (N) (tth) (Entered: 12/10/2002)
01/15/2003	38	CONSENT MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 1/16/03 to file reply to its motion for summary judgment (cdw) (Entered: 01/20/2003)
01/16/2003	39	REPLY by federal defendant DOJ in support of motion for summary judgment [13-1] by DOJ; declarations (1) (cdw) (Entered: 01/20/2003)
01/16/2003	40	CONSENT MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ for leave to file in camera declaration under seal ; EXHIBIT (IN CAMERA DECLARATION) (cdw) (Entered: 01/21/2003)
01/17/2003	<u>36</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: Defendant's Consent Motion to File In Camera Declaration under Seal is granted. (N) (tth) (Entered: 01/18/2003)
01/17/2003	<u>37</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting Defendant's Consent Motion for One-Day Enlargement to file its reply to plaintiff's opposition to Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment; reply to motion due 1/16/03; (N) (tth) (Entered: 01/18/2003)

01/17/2003	41	IN CAMERA DECLARATION of Christine A. Kiefer by federal defendant DOJ FILED UNDER SEAL (pursuant to order of 1/17/03) (cdw) (Entered: 02/20/2003)
05/27/2003	<u>42</u>	MEMORANDUM OPINION by Judge Gladys Kessler (N) (tth) (Entered: 05/27/2003)
05/27/2003	<u>43</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting motion for summary judgment [13-1] by DOJ (N) (tth) (Entered: 05/27/2003)
06/05/2003	44	MOTION filed by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING for reconsideration of order dated 5/27/03 [43-1] (rje) (Entered: 06/10/2003)
06/18/2003	45	MOTION (Consent) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 7/19/03 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. (rje) (Entered: 06/19/2003)
06/19/2003	<u>46</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting motion to extend time to 7/19/03 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. [45-1] by DOJ response to motion due by 7/19/03; (N) (tth) (Entered: 06/20/2003)
07/18/2003	47	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 8/1/03 to file defendant's opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. (rje) (Entered: 07/22/2003)
07/21/2003	<u>48</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting motion to extend time to 8/1/03 to file defendant's opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. [47-1] by DOJ response to motion due by 8/1/03; (N) (tth) (Entered: 07/22/2003)
07/31/2003	49	MOTION filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 8/22/03 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. (rje) (Entered: 08/01/2003)
08/01/2003	<u>50</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler: granting motion to extend time to 8/22/03 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. [49-1] by DOJ response to motion due by 8/22/03 ; (N) (tth) (Entered: 08/02/2003)
08/04/2003	51	MOTION (Consent) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 8/22/03 to file opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration (rje) (Entered: 08/05/2003)
08/22/2003	52	MOTION (CONSENT) filed by federal defendant DOJ to extend time to 9/12/03 to file an opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration (jf) (Entered: 08/25/2003)
08/25/2003	<u>53</u>	ORDER by Judge Gladys Kessler : granting motion to extend time to 9/12/03 to file an opposition to plaintiff's motion for reconsideration [52-1] by DOJ (N) (dot) (Entered: 08/25/2003)
09/12/2003	54	RESPONSE by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING in opposition to motion for reconsideration of order dated 5/27/03 [43-1] [44-1] by GEORGE CANNING . (rje) (Entered: 09/15/2003)
09/25/2003	55	REPLY by plaintiff GEORGE CANNING to response in opposition to motion for reconsideration of order dated 5/27/03 [43-1] [44-1] by GEORGE CANNING (rje) (Entered: 09/29/2003)
01/20/2004	<u>56</u>	ORDER denying 44 Plaintiff's Motion for Reconsideration . Signed by Judge Gladys Kessler on 1/20/04. (CS, ) (Entered: 01/20/2004)