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Real Property 210 Land Condemnation 220 Foreclosure 230 Rent, Lease & Ejectment 240 Torts to Land 245 Tort Product Liability 290 All Other Real Property 370 Other Fraud 371 Truth in Lending 380 Other Personal Property Damage 385 Property Damage Product Liability		Bankruptcy 422 Appeal 27 USC 158 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157 Prisoner Petitions 535 Death Penalty 540 Mandamus & Other 550 Civil Rights 555 Prison Conditions 560 Civil Detainee – Conditions of Confinement Property Rights 820 Copyrights 830 Patent 835 Patent – Abbreviated New Drug Application 840 Trademark		870 871 <u>Forfeitu</u> 625 690 <u>Other St</u> 375 376 400 430 430	Tax Suits Taxes (U defendar IRS-Thin 7609 re/Penalty Drug Re Property Other atutes False Cla Qui Tam 3729(a)) State Re Banks & Commer Rates/etc Deportat	at) rd Party 2 ated Sei 21 USC atms Act (31 USC apportic Banking ce/ICC	26 USC zure of 881	462 Naturalization Application 465 Other Immigration Actions 470 Racketeer Influenced & Corrupt Organization 480 Consumer Credit 490 Cable/Satellite TV 850 Securities/Commodities/ Exchange 896 Arbitration 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes 890 Other Statutory Actions (if not administrative agency review or Privacy Act)				

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O K. Labor/ERISA (non-employment) O L. Other Civil Rights (non-employment) O M. Contract O N. Three-Judge Court 710 Fair Labor Standards Act 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations 740 Labor Railway Act 151 Family and Medical Leave Act 441 Voting (if not Voting Rights Act) O M. Contract O N. Three-Judge Court 790 Other Labor Litigation 791 Empl. Ret. Inc. Security Act 443 Housing/Accommodations 444 Other Civil Rights Act) Housing/Accommodations 445 Americans w/Disabilities – Employment 446 Americans w/Disabilities – Other 448 Education O M. Contract O N. Three-Judge Court V. ORIGIN 0 2 Removed from Appellate 0 4 Reinstated or Reopened from Appellate 0 5 Transferred or Reopened from Appellate 0 6 Multi-district from Mag. Judge 7 Appeal to District Judge Litigation – from Mag. Judge 0 8 Multi-district Litigation – from Mag. Judge 0 8 Multi- district Specily Litigation – from Mag. J	 G. Habeas Corpus/ 2255 530 Habeas Corpus – General 510 Motion/Vacate Sentence 463 Habeas Corpus – Alien Detainee 	 O H. Employment Discrimination 442 Civil Rights – Employment (criteria: race, gender/sex, national origin, discrimination, disability, age, religion, retaliation) 	O I. FOIA/Privacy Act 895 Freedom of Information Act 890 Other Statutory Actions (if Privacy Act)	O J. Student Loan 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loan (excluding veterans)		
O 1 Original Proceeding O 2 Removed from State Court O 3 Remanded from Appellate Court O 4 Reinstated or Reopened O 5 Transferred from another district (specify) O 6 Multi-district Litigation O 7 Appeal to District Judge from Mag. Judge O 8 Multi-district Litigation – Direct File VI. CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE.) O 1000000000000000000000000000000000000	<i>(non-employment)</i> 710 Fair Labor Standards Act 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations 740 Labor Railway Act 751 Family and Medical Leave Act 790 Other Labor Litigation	(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	 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 	<i>Court</i> 441 Civil Rights – Voting		
VIII. RELATED CASE(S) (See instruction) YES NO VIII. RELATED CASE(S) (See instruction) YES NO	O 1 Original Proceeding Court	from Appellate or Reopened from Court distri	another Litigation Di ct (specify) fro Ju	strict Judge Litigation – om Mag. Direct File dge		
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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.