

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:98-cv-01066-TFH**

SALDANA v. EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY
Assigned to: Judge Thomas F. Hogan
Demand: \$0
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 04/29/1998
Date Terminated: 03/27/2002
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/29/1998	1	COMPLAINT filed by plaintiff FRANCISCO SALDANA; Exhibits (2). (lkn) (Entered: 05/05/1998)
04/29/1998		SUMMONS (3) issued to federal party(s) federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY , and non-parties: U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (lkn) (Entered: 05/05/1998)
04/29/1998	2	APPLICATION by plaintiff FRANCISCO SALDANA to proceed in forma pauperis (lkn) (Entered: 05/05/1998)
04/29/1998	3	AFFIDAVIT by plaintiff FRANCISCO SALDANA of Nellie Torres (lkn) (Entered: 05/05/1998)
04/29/1998	4	ORDER by Judge Aubrey E. Robinson : granting motion to proceed in forma pauperis [2-1] by FRANCISCO SALDANA (N) (lkn) (Entered: 05/05/1998)
05/08/1998	5	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of summons and complaint executed upon U.S. Attorney on 5/7/98 (lkn) (Entered: 05/11/1998)
06/04/1998	6	ANSWER TO COMPLAINT [1-1] by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY . (lkn) (Entered: 06/08/1998)
06/04/1998	7	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of summons and complaint executed upon U.S. Attorney General on 5/26/98 (lkn) (Entered: 06/08/1998)
06/18/1998	8	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of summons and complaint executed on 6/16/98 upon federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY (lkn) (Entered: 06/19/1998)
07/29/1998		REASSIGNMENT OF CIVIL CASE from Judge Thomas F. Hogan to Judge Richard W. Roberts by direction of the Calendar Committee. Emergency matters will continue to be handled by Judge Thomas F. Hogan until Judge Richard W. Roberts takes the oath of office. (N) (lkn) (Entered: 07/30/1998)
10/14/1998	9	SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL for federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY , substituting Paul S. Padda for attorney David T. Smorodin for EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY (st) (Entered: 10/15/1998)
08/06/1999	10	ORDER by Judge Richard W. Roberts : directing defendant within 45 days to file a dispositive motion or, in the alternative, to file a report setting forth the schedule to which it will complete production of documents to plaintiff. (N) (emh) (Entered: 08/24/1999)
09/20/1999	11	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time to 9/27/99 within which to file a dispositive motion. (tw) (Entered: 09/21/1999)
09/27/1999	12	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time to 9/28/99 within which to file a dispositive motion. (tw) (Entered: 09/28/1999)
09/28/1999	13	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to dismiss complaint [1-1] , or, in the alternative for summary judgment ;declarations (2); attachments (bjsp) (Entered: 09/29/1999)
10/04/1999	<u>14</u>	ORDER by Judge Richard W. Roberts : response to dispositive motions due 11/1/99 ; (N) (lin) (Entered: 10/04/1999)
10/29/1999	<u>15</u>	ORDER by Judge Richard W. Roberts : response to dispositive motions due 12/15/99 ; (N) (lin) (Entered: 10/29/1999)

11/10/1999	20	NOTICE by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY informing the court that defendant re-mailed to plaintiff copy of 9/28/99 dispositive motion to Beaumont TX. (st) (Entered: 12/20/1999)
11/12/1999	16	RESPONSE by plaintiff FRANCISCO SALDANA in opposition to motion to dismiss complaint [1-1] [13-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY . (st) (Entered: 11/15/1999)
11/16/1999	18	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time to 11/17/99 to reply to dispositive motion (st) (Entered: 11/19/1999)
11/17/1999	17	REPLY by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to response to motion to dismiss complaint [1-1] [13-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY, motion for summary judgment [13-2] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY (tth) (Entered: 11/18/1999)
11/19/1999	19	ORDER by Judge Richard W. Roberts : granting nunc pro tunc motion to extend time to 11/17/99 to reply to dispositive motion [18-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY (N) (emh) (Entered: 11/26/1999)
05/24/2000		CASE REASSIGNED to Judge Thomas F. Hogan (tth) (Entered: 05/30/2000)
08/25/2000	21	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY for stay of proceedings (bjsp) (Entered: 08/28/2000)
08/30/2000	22	SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL for federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY , substituting David Smorodin for attorney Paul S. Padda for EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY (bjsp) (Entered: 08/31/2000)
09/18/2000	<u>23</u>	ORDER by Judge Thomas F. Hogan : granting motion for stay of proceedings [21-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY; directing defendant to notify this Court promptly when a decision is made whether or not to seek rehearing in Maydak and, if rehearing is sought, the outcome of such a petition. (N) (gew) (Entered: 09/19/2000)
09/18/2000	<u>24</u>	ORDER by Judge Thomas F. Hogan : granting motion to extend time to 9/28/99 within which to file a dispositive motion. [12-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY, granting motion to extend time to 9/27/99 within which to file a dispositive motion. [11-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY; plaintiff's motion for a Vaughn Index, lodged herewith, be filed, and denied without prejudice to renewal, if appropriate, after the Court rules on Defendant's motion to dismiss or for summary judgment. (N) (gew) (Entered: 09/19/2000)
03/29/2001	25	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE for federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY by Jennifer U. Toth (jdm) (Entered: 03/30/2001)
04/16/2001	26	NOTICE by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY pursuant to Court's September 18, 2000, order. (jdm) (Entered: 04/17/2001)
04/17/2001	<u>27</u>	ORDER by Judge Thomas F. Hogan : to stay as to federal defendant these proceedings until the Supreme Court's disposes of Maydak (N) (jf) (Entered: 04/17/2001)
06/29/2001	28	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE for federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY by Andrew David Auerbach (ag) (Entered: 07/05/2001)
07/24/2001	29	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time by ninety days to file a dispositive motion (aet) (Entered: 07/25/2001)
07/25/2001	<u>30</u>	ORDER by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan : granting motion to extend time by ninety days to file a dispositive motion and opposition thereto [29-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY lifting the stay in this case. (N) (jf) (Entered: 07/26/2001)
10/23/2001	31	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time 7 days to file a dispositive motion ; exhibit (1) (nmr) (Entered: 10/24/2001)
10/25/2001	<u>32</u>	ORDER by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan : granting motion to extend time 7 days to file a dispositive motion [31-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY; motion(s) due by 10/30/01 ; (N) (jf) (Entered: 10/25/2001)

10/30/2001	<u>33</u>	MOTION filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY to extend time 45 days to file a dispositive motion ; Exhibit (1) (nmr) (Entered: 10/31/2001)
11/08/2001	<u>34</u>	ORDER by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan : granting motion to extend time 45 days to file a dispositive motion [33-1] by EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY; dispositive motion, supported by a declaration or Vaughn Index due by 12/14/01 ; (N) (jf) (Entered: 11/08/2001)
11/09/2001	35	STATEMENT filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY, regarding: mail service at U.S. Attorney's office. (nmr) (Entered: 11/13/2001)
12/14/2001	36	MOTION (RENEWED) filed by federal defendant EXEC. OFFICE/US ATTY for summary judgment ; exhibits (6) (cas) (Entered: 12/17/2001)
01/03/2002	<u>37</u>	ORDER by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan: directing the plaintiff to respond to defendant's motion for summary judgment, no later than 45 days from the date of this order. The Court may treat the motion as conceded, if no response has been filed and enter judgment in favor of the defendant. (N) (xx) (Entered: 01/03/2002)
03/27/2002	<u>38</u>	MEMORANDUM OPINION by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan (N) (jf) (Entered: 03/27/2002)
03/27/2002	<u>39</u>	FINAL JUDGMENT by Chief Judge Thomas F. Hogan; further ordered; granting defendant's renewed motion for summary judgment [#36-1]; dismissing case with prejudice. This is a final appealable order. (N) (jf) (Entered: 03/27/2002)