

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-01086-JDB**

NATIONAL LEGAL AND POLICY CENTER v. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Assigned to: Judge John D. Bates
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 04/17/2019
Date Terminated: 10/27/2020
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/17/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against NATIONAL LEGAL AND POLICY CENTER v. <i>DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE</i> (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-6066793) filed by NATIONAL LEGAL AND POLICY CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons)(Kamenar, Paul) (Entered: 04/17/2019)
04/19/2019		Case Assigned to Judge John D. Bates. (zef,) (Entered: 04/19/2019)
04/19/2019	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zef,) (Entered: 04/19/2019)
04/23/2019	<u>3</u>	REQUEST FOR SUMMONS TO ISSUE <i>US ATTORNEY</i> re <u>1</u> Complaint, filed by NATIONAL LEGAL AND POLICY CENTER. Related document: <u>1</u> Complaint, filed by NATIONAL LEGAL AND POLICY CENTER.(Kamenar, Paul) (Entered: 04/23/2019)
04/24/2019	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to U.S. Attorney (ztd) (Entered: 04/24/2019)
05/28/2019	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Marsha Wellknown Yee on behalf of UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 05/28/2019)
05/28/2019	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.(Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 05/28/2019)

05/30/2019	<u>7</u>	ORDER setting deadline for parties to submit proposed briefing schedule. See text of Order for details. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 5/30/2019. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 05/30/2019)
05/31/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Schedule due by 6/13/2019. (tb) (Entered: 05/31/2019)
06/13/2019	<u>8</u>	PROPOSED BRIEFING SCHEDULE (<i>Joint Proposed Schedule</i>) by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 06/13/2019)
06/13/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>8</u> the parties joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a proposed briefing schedule in accordance with <u>7</u> by not later than July 18, 2019. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 6/13/2019.(lcjdb2) (Entered: 06/13/2019)
06/17/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 7/18/2019. (tb) (Entered: 06/17/2019)
07/18/2019	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 07/18/2019)
07/19/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>9</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than September 30, 2019. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 7/19/2019. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 07/19/2019)
07/22/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 9/30/2019. (tb) (Entered: 07/22/2019)
09/30/2019	<u>10</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 09/30/2019)
10/01/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>10</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than November 12, 2019. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 10/01/2019. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 10/01/2019)
10/02/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 11/12/2019. (jth) (Entered: 10/02/2019)
11/12/2019	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 11/12/2019)
11/12/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>11</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than December 11, 2019. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 11/12/2019. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 11/12/2019)
11/12/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 12/11/2019. (zjd) (Entered: 11/13/2019)
12/11/2019	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 12/11/2019)
12/12/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>12</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than March 25, 2020. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 12/12/2019. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 12/12/2019)
03/25/2020	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
03/25/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>13</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than April 30, 2020. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 03/25/2020. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
03/25/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 4/30/2020. (tb) (Entered: 03/25/2020)
04/30/2020	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 04/30/2020)

04/30/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>14</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file a joint status report updating the Court by not later than June 3, 2020. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 04/30/2020. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 6/3/2020. (tb) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
06/03/2020	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 06/03/2020)
06/03/2020		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>15</u> the parties' joint status report, and the entire record herein, it is hereby ORDERED that defendant shall file its motion for summary judgment by not later than September 30, 2020; it is further ORDERED that plaintiff shall file its combined opposition and cross-motion for summary judgment by not later than October 21, 2020; it is further ORDERED that defendant shall file its combined reply in support of its motion and opposition to plaintiff's cross-motion by not later than November 19, 2020; and it is further ORDERED that plaintiff shall file its reply in support of its cross-motion by not later than December 14, 2020. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge John D. Bates on 06/03/2020. (lcjdb2) (Entered: 06/03/2020)
06/04/2020		Set/Reset Deadlines: Cross Motion due by 10/21/2020. Response to Cross Motion due by 11/19/2020. Reply to Cross Motion due by 12/14/2020. Summary Judgment motion due by 9/30/2020. Response to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 10/21/2020. Reply to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 11/19/2020. (tb) (Entered: 06/04/2020)
09/30/2020	<u>16</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>2</u> Seidel Decl. and its Exhibits, # <u>3</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 09/30/2020)
10/26/2020	<u>17</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 10/26/2020)