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Beemer et al v. Whitmer et al

Assigned to: District Judge Paul L. Maloney

Referred to: Magistrate Judge Phillip J. Green (events

as ordered)

Cause: 42:1983 Other Civil Rights

Date Filed: 04/15/2020 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 440 Civil Rights:

Other

Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text	
04/15/2020	1	COMPLAINT against All Defendants filed by Kimberly Beemer, Robert Muise, Paul Cavanaugh (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Executive Order 2020-42) (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/15/2020)	
04/15/2020		FILING FEE PAID re 1 by plaintiffs Kimberly Beemer, Paul Cavanaugh, Robert Muise in the amount of \$400, receipt number AMIWDC-5134918 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/15/2020)	
04/15/2020	2	PROPOSED SUMMONS to be issued re 1 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/15/2020)	
04/15/2020	3	NOTICE that this case has been assigned Paul L. Maloney (pjw) (Entered: 04/15/2020)	
04/15/2020	4	SUMMONS ISSUED as to defendants Brian L. Mackie, Allen Telgenhof, William J. Vailliencourt, Jr, Gretchen Whitmer (pjw) (Entered: 04/15/2020)	
04/16/2020	<u>5</u>	SUMMONS returned executed; Gretchen Whitmer served on 4/16/2020, answer due 5/7/2020 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/16/2020)	
04/16/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Joseph T. Froehlich on behalf of defendant Gretchen Whitmer (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 04/16/2020)	
04/16/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Christopher M. Allen on behalf of defendant Gretchen Whitmer (Allen, Christopher) (Entered: 04/16/2020)	

04/17/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of John G. Fedynsky on behalf of defendant Gretchen Whitmer (Fedynsky, John) (Entered: 04/17/2020)
04/17/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Joshua O. Booth on behalf of defendant Gretchen Whitmer (Booth, Joshua) (Entered: 04/17/2020)
04/20/2020	<u>6</u>	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 20-CA-033 regarding the assignment of cognate cases to Paul L. Maloney pursuant to Local Civil Rule 3.3.2(c); signed by Chief Judge Robert J. Jonker (kvt) (Entered: 04/20/2020)
04/20/2020	7	MOTION for temporary restraining order <i>Expedited Consideration Requested</i> by plaintiffs Kimberly Beemer, Paul Cavanaugh, Robert Muise; (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/20/2020)
04/20/2020	8	BRIEF in support of MOTION for temporary restraining
		order <i>Expedited Consideration Requested</i> 7 with certificate of compliance and certificate of service filed by Kimberly Beemer, Paul Cavanaugh, Robert Muise (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Declaration of Plaintiff Beemer, # 2 Exhibit 2 - Declaration of Plaintiff Cavanaugh, # 3 Exhibit 3 - Declaration of Plaintiff Muise, # 4 Proposed Order) (Muise, Robert) Modified text on 4/21/2020. (kw) (Entered: 04/20/2020)
04/21/2020	9	SUMMONS returned executed; William J. Vailliencourt, Jr served on 4/21/2020, answer due 5/12/2020 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/21/2020)
04/22/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of T. Joseph Seward on behalf of defendant William J. Vailliencourt, Jr (Seward, T.) (Entered: 04/22/2020)
04/23/2020	<u>10</u>	RESPONSE TO MOTION for temporary restraining
		order <i>Expedited Consideration Requested</i> 7 filed by Gretchen Whitmer (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Exhibit C, # 4 Exhibit D, # 5 Exhibit E, # 6 Exhibit F, # 7 Exhibit G, # 8 Exhibit H, # 9 Exhibit I, # 10 Exhibit J, # 11 Exhibit K) (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020	11	CERTIFICATE of compliance re word count for Response to Motion, 10 filed by Gretchen Whitmer (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 04/23/2020)

04/23/2020	<u>12</u>	SUMMONS returned executed; Allen Telgenhof served on 4/23/2020, answer due 5/14/2020 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020	<u>13</u>	SUMMONS returned executed; Brian L. Mackie served on 4/23/2020, answer due 5/14/2020 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020	<u>14</u>	ORDER regarding response to Motion for TRO 7; responses due by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on 4/24/2020; reply due by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on 4/27/2020; hearing on motion for preliminary injunction set for 4/30/2020 at 10:00 a.m. in Grand Rapids, Michigan; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020	<u>15</u>	ORDER SCHEDULING HEARING regarding MOTION for
		temporary restraining order 7 : motion hearing is set for 4/30/2020 at 10:00 AM at 601 Federal Building, Grand Rapids, MI before District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Sonal H. Mithani on behalf of defendant Brian L. Mackie (Mithani, Sonal) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Joel C. Bryant on behalf of defendant Brian L. Mackie (Bryant, Joel) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Andrew James Brege on behalf of defendant Allen Telgenhof (Brege, Andrew) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/23/2020	<u>16</u>	NOTICE and Order regarding status conference set for 4/24/2020 at 04:00 PM at by video before Magistrate Judge Phillip J. Green (ald) (Entered: 04/23/2020)
04/24/2020	<u>17</u>	RESPONSE in opposition to MOTION for temporary restraining
		order <i>Expedited Consideration Requested</i> 7 filed by Brian L. Mackie (Mithani, Sonal) (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020	<u>18</u>	RESPONSE TO MOTION for temporary restraining order with
		Brief in Support Expedited Consideration Requested 7 filed by

		William J. Vailliencourt, Jr (Attachments: # 1 Index of Exhibits, # 2 Exhibit 1 - April 16, 2020 Statement re Whitmer Federal Lawsuit, # 3 Exhibit 2 - April 17, 2020 WHMI Article, # 4 Exhibit 3 - April 2, 2020 Tweet, # 5 Exhibit 4 - April 14, 2020 Cease and Desist Letter, # 6 Exhibit 5 - April 16, 2020 Cease and Desist Letter, # 7 Exhibit 6 - Hoover v Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs) (Seward, T.) Modified text on 4/24/2020 (pjw). (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020	19	RESPONSE TO MOTION for temporary restraining order <i>Expedited Consideration Requested</i> 7 filed by Allen Telgenhof (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Lawsuit Statement) (Brege, Andrew) Modified text on 4/24/2020 (pjw). (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020	<u>20</u>	EXHIBIT re 19 Index of Unpublished Authority to Defendant Telgenhofs Response to Plaintiffs Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction by defendant Allen Telgenhof (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - McNeil v Community Probation Services, LLC, # 2 Exhibit 2 - Hoover v MI Department of Licensing & Regulatory Affairs) (Brege, Andrew) (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Thomas David Beindit on behalf of defendant Allen Telgenhof (Beindit, Thomas) (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020	21	MINUTES held before Magistrate Judge Phillip J. Green of videostatus conference regarding ECF No. 7; parties to work on possiblestipulation; if not possible status conference will be rescheduled; plaintiffs' reply to motion now due by noon on Tuesday, April 28, 2020; order to issue (Proceedings Digitally Recorded) (ald) (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/24/2020	22	ORDER re 14 7 Extending Reply Brief Deadline; signed by Magistrate Judge Phillip J. Green (ald) (Entered: 04/24/2020)
04/26/2020	23	PROPOSED STIPULATION and ORDER Resolving Plaintiffs' Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction by plaintiffs Kimberly Beemer, Paul Cavanaugh, Robert Muise (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/26/2020)
04/27/2020	24	STIPULATION AND ORDER; plaintiff's motion for preliminary injunction 7 is dismissed; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 04/27/2020)

04/28/2020	<u>25</u>	FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT against Brian L. Mackie, Gretchen Whitmer filed by Kimberly Beemer, Robert Muise (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Executive Order 2020-42, # 2 Exhibit 2 - Executive Order 2020-59, # 3 Summons for new party - Defendant Dana Nessel) (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/28/2020)
04/29/2020	<u>26</u>	NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL re Paul Cavanaugh <i>pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(A) as to original Complaint (Doc. No. 1)</i> filed by plaintiff Paul Cavanaugh (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/29/2020)
04/29/2020		(DISREGARD) SUMMONS NOT ISSUED as to defendant Dana Nessel (none provided) (pjw) Modified text on 4/29/2020; incorrectly entered (pjw). (Entered: 04/29/2020)
04/29/2020	27	SUMMONS ISSUED as to defendant Dana Nessel (pjw) (Entered: 04/29/2020)
04/30/2020	28	SUMMONS returned executed; Dana Nessel served on 4/29/2020, answer due 5/20/2020 (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Joseph T. Froehlich on behalf of defendant Dana Nessel (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Christopher M. Allen on behalf of defendant Dana Nessel (Allen, Christopher) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of Joshua O. Booth on behalf of defendant Dana Nessel (Booth, Joshua) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020		(NON-DOCUMENT) ATTORNEY APPEARANCE of John G. Fedynsky on behalf of defendant Dana Nessel (Fedynsky, John) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020	29	PROPOSED STIPULATION and ORDER Setting Time for Defendants to Answer or Otherwise Respond to Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint by defendant Brian L. Mackie (Bryant, Joel) (Entered: 04/30/2020)
04/30/2020	<u>30</u>	STIPULATION AND ORDER; deadline for defendants to answer or otherwise respond to amended complaint is 5/20/2020; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 04/30/2020)

05/20/2020	<u>31</u>	MOTION to dismiss with Certificate of Service by defendant Gretchen Whitmer; (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/20/2020)
05/20/2020	<u>32</u>	BRIEF in support of MOTION to dismiss with Certificate of Service 31 filed by Gretchen Whitmer (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Exhibit C, # 4 Exhibit D, # 5 Exhibit E, # 6 Exhibit F, # 7 Exhibit G, # 8 Exhibit H, # 9 Exhibit I, # 10 Exhibit J, # 11 Exhibit K, # 12 Exhibit L, # 13 Exhibit M, # 14 Exhibit N, # 15 Exhibit O, # 16 Exhibit P, # 17 Exhibit Q, # 18 Exhibit R) (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/20/2020)
05/20/2020	<u>33</u>	CERTIFICATE of compliance re word count for Brief in Support of a Motion, <u>32</u> with Certificate of Service filed by Gretchen Whitmer (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/20/2020)
05/20/2020	<u>34</u>	MOTION to dismiss for failure to state a claim, MOTION to dismiss for lack of jurisdiction with Brief in Support by defendant Brian L. Mackie; (Attachments: # 1 Index, # 2 Exhibit A. Executive Order 2020-4, # 3 Exhibit B. Executive Order 2020-5, # 4 Exhibit C. Executive Order 2020-9, # 5 Exhibit D. Executive Order 2020-11, # 6 Exhibit E. Executive Order 2020-21, # 7 Exhibit F. Martinko v. Whitmer, No. 20-00062-MM, Michigan Court of Claims) (Mithani, Sonal) Modified text on 5/21/2020 (pjw). (Entered: 05/20/2020)
05/21/2020	<u>35</u>	AMENDED MOTION to dismiss with Certificate of Service by defendants Dana Nessel, Gretchen Whitmer; (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/21/2020)
05/21/2020	<u>36</u>	BRIEF in support of AMENDED MOTION to dismiss <i>with</i> Certificate of Service 35 filed by Dana Nessel, Gretchen Whitmer (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Exhibit C, # 4 Exhibit D, # 5 Exhibit E, # 6 Exhibit F, # 7 Exhibit G, # 8 Exhibit H, # 9 Exhibit I, # 10 Exhibit J, # 11 Exhibit K, # 12 Exhibit L, # 13 Exhibit M, # 14 Exhibit N, # 15 Exhibit O, # 16 Exhibit P, # 17 Exhibit Q, # 18 Exhibit R) (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/21/2020)
05/21/2020	<u>37</u>	CERTIFICATE of compliance re word count for Brief in Support of a Motion, <u>36</u> filed by Dana Nessel, Gretchen Whitmer (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 05/21/2020)
05/26/2020	<u>38</u>	PROPOSED STIPULATION and ORDER to Permit Plaintiffs to File Single Brief in Response to Defendants' Motions to Dismiss by plaintiffs Kimberly Beemer, Robert Muise (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 05/26/2020)

05/27/2020	<u>39</u>	STIPULATION AND ORDER allowing plaintiffs to file a single response brief not to exceed 12,000 words due 6/17/2020; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 05/27/2020)
06/15/2020	40	RESPONSE in opposition to MOTION to dismiss for failure to state a claim MOTION to dismiss for lack of jurisdiction 34, AMENDED MOTION to dismiss with Certificate of Service 35 filed by Kimberly Beemer, Robert Muise (Attachments: #1 Exhibit 1 - Declaration of Robert J. Muise, #2 Exhibit 2 - Declaration of Gabriella Korkes) (Muise, Robert) (Entered: 06/15/2020)
06/29/2020	41	MOTION for leave to file <i>Defendants' Reply Brief in Excess of Word Count</i> by defendants Dana Nessel, Gretchen Whitmer; (Attachments: # 1 Attachment Reply Brief, # 2 Attachment Exhibit A to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 3 Attachment Exhibit B to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 4 Attachment Exhibit C to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 5 Attachment Exhibit D to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 6 Attachment Exhibit E to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 7 Attachment Exhibit F to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 8 Attachment Exhibit G to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 9 Attachment Exhibit H to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 10 Attachment Exhibit I to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 11 Attachment Exhibit J to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 12 Attachment Exhibit K to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief, # 13 Attachment Exhibit L to Defendants Whitmer and Nessel's Reply Brief) (Froehlich, Joseph) (Entered: 06/29/2020)
06/29/2020	42	REPLY to response to motion 34 filed by Brian L. Mackie (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A. Exec. Order 2020-127 (June 18, 2020)) (Mithani, Sonal) (Entered: 06/29/2020)
06/30/2020	43	ORDER granting 41 motion for leave to file excess pages/exceed word limit; the Clerk of Court shall accept the proposed document for filing; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, acr) (Entered: 06/30/2020)
06/30/2020	44	REPLY to response to motion 35 filed by Dana Nessel, Gretchen Whitmer (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Exhibit C, # 4 Exhibit D, # 5 Exhibit E, # 6 Exhibit F, # 7 Exhibit G, # 8 Exhibit H, # 9 Exhibit I, # 10 Exhibit J, # 11 Exhibit K, # 12 Exhibit L) (pjw) (Entered: 07/01/2020)

11/18/2020	45	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No. 20-CA-087 regarding the reassignment of cognate case 1:20-cv-1104; signed by Chief Judge Robert J. Jonker (ndj) Modified text on 11/19/2020 (ndj). (Entered: 11/19/2020)
09/30/2021	<u>46</u>	ORDER granting 34 motion to dismiss; signed by District Judge Paul L. Maloney (Judge Paul L. Maloney, cmc) (Entered: 09/30/2021)

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