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U.S. District Court SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS (Houston) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 4:01-cv-00494

EEOC v. Prince Food Systems Date Filed: 02/12/2001

Assigned to: Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt Date Terminated: 04/25/2002

Demand: \$0 Jury Demand: Plaintiff

Cause: 42:2000 Job Discrimination (Race) Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Plaintiff

Plaintiff

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text	
02/12/2001	1	COMPLAINT by EEOC filed; (psmith) (Entered: 02/12/2001)	
02/12/2001	2	Order setting Initial Pretrial and Scheduling Conference on 3:45 5/14/01 by telephone and Order to Disclose Interested Persons, filed. Parties notified. (psmith) (Entered: 02/12/2001)	
02/12/2001		SUMMONS issued (1) (psmith) (Entered: 02/12/2001)	

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02/16/2001	3	CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES by EEOC , filed. (mlerma) (Entered: 02/19/2001)	
02/26/2001	4	RETURN OF SERVICE executed as to Prince Food Systems 2/22/01 filed Answer due on 3/14/01 for Prince Food Systems (psmith) (Entered: 02/27/2001)	
03/06/2001	5	CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES by Prince Food Systems , filed. (sguevara) (Entered: 03/06/2001)	
03/06/2001	6	ANSWER to Complaint by Prince Food Systems , filed. (sguevara) (Entered: 03/06/2001)	
04/26/2001	7	JOINT DISCOVERY/Case Management Plan by EEOC, Prince Food Systems filed. (psmith) (Entered: 04/26/2001)	
05/15/2001	8	ORDER following telephone scheduling conference held. Apps: T Bowne; B Heslop. New scheduling order deadlines: Pltfs Expert witness list submitted by 11/2/01; Reports submitted by 11/2/01; Discovery cutoff 1/31/02; Deadline for filing all dispositive motions 1/31/02; Pretrial order to be submitted on or before 3/4/02; Docket call deadline 11:30 3/4/02; ETT: 4-5 days/jury; , Deft expert witness list due for 11/30/01; Reports furnished by 11/30/01; Rebuttal Expert Designations by 12/30/01; Report furnished by 12/30/01; entered; Parties notified. Parties have completed their initial disclosures. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (psmith) Modified on 05/31/2001 (Entered: 05/15/2001)	
08/15/2001	9	JOINT MOTION for agreed protective order by EEOC, Prince Food Systems, filed (psmith) (Entered: 08/15/2001)	
08/16/2001	<u>10</u>	AGREED PROTECTIVE ORDER granting [9-1] joint motion for agreed protective order, entered. Parties ntfd. (Signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (psmith) (Entered: 08/17/2001)	
01/31/2002	11	MOTION for leave to file amended pleading by Prince Food Systems, Motion Docket Date 2/20/02 [11-1] motion, filed. (ljackson) (Entered: 02/01/2002)	
01/31/2002	12	FIRST AMENDED ANSWER to Complaint by Prince Food Systems : amends [6-1] answer , filed. (ljackson) Modified on 02/01/2002 (Entered: 02/01/2002)	
01/31/2002	13	MOTION for summary judgment by Prince Food Systems, Motion Docket Date 2/20/02 [13-1] motion , filed. (ljackson) (Entered: 02/01/2002)	
01/31/2002	14	SUPPLEMENTATION to Defts [13-1] motion for summary judgment by Prince Food Systems, filed. (psmith) (Entered: 02/04/2002)	
02/11/2002	15	MOTION for leave to exceed page limit, by EEOC, Motion Docket Date 3/3/02 [15-1] motion, filed. (psmith) (Entered: 02/11/2002)	
02/11/2002	16	Certificate of Conference by Prince Food Systems to [11-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading, filed. (fmremp) (Entered: 02/11/2002)	
02/19/2002	36	RESPONSE by EEOC to deft's deposition excerpts, filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/20/2002)	
02/20/2002	17	RESPONSE by EEOC in opposition to Defts [11-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading , filed (psmith) (Entered: 02/21/2002)	

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02/20/2002	18	RESPONSE by EEOC to Defts [13-1] motion for summary judgment , filed. (psmith) (Entered: 02/21/2002)	
02/20/2002	19	APPENDIX by EEOC to the [18-1] response and the [17-1] response in opposition, filed. (in brown expandex folder) (psmith) (Entered: 02/21/2002)	
02/25/2002	<u>20</u>	ORDER ON DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT - DENIED in all things, entered Parties notified. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (fmremp) (Entered: 02/25/2002)	
02/25/2002	<u>21</u>	ORDER GRANTING Pltf EEOC's [15-1] MOTION FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT of 25 pages, , entered; Parties notified. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (fmremp) (Entered: 02/25/2002)	
02/25/2002	<u>22</u>	ORDER DENYING DEFT'S [11-1] MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMENDED PLEADINGS, entered; Parties notified. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (fmremp) (Entered: 02/25/2002)	
02/25/2002	23	MOTION for leave to file amended pleading by Prince Food Systems, Motion Docket Date 3/17/02 [23-1] motion , filed. (fmremp) (Entered: 02/26/2002)	
02/26/2002	24	Second AMENDED ORIGINAL ANSWER to Complaint by Prince Food Systems: amends [6-1] answer, filed. (fmremp) (Entered: 02/26/2002)	
02/27/2002	25	Objections and REPLY/response by Prince Food Systems to pltf's response to deft's [13-1] motion for summary judgment, filed (kprice) (Entered: 03/05/2002	
03/04/2002	27	Minute entry: Docket Call held. Apps: T. Bowne for pltf, B. Hasloff for deft. ETT: 6-8 days. Parties announce ready. Set trial deadline 9:00 3/5/02, terminated deadlines Ct Reporter: E Reed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/05/2002)	
03/04/2002	26	MOTION in limine by EEOC, Motion Docket Date 3/24/02 [26-1] motion , filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/06/2002)	
03/04/2002	28	MOTION in limine by Prince Food Systems, Motion Docket Date 3/24/02 [28-1] motion, filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/06/2002)	
03/04/2002	29	RESPONSE by EEOC in opposition to deft's amended [23-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading, filed (kprice) (Entered: 03/06/2002)	
03/04/2002		JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER, received and forwarded to CRD. (kprice) (Entered: 03/06/2002)	
03/04/2002	58	Additional Attachment to [42-1] pretrial order by EEOC, Prince Food Systems, filed. (kprice) Modified on 05/24/2002 (Entered: 05/23/2002)	
03/04/2002	59	PROPOSED Jury Interrogatories and Instructions, filed (psmith) (Entered: 05/24/2002)	
03/05/2002		Received and forwarded to CRD: pltf's amended exhibit list. (kprice) (Entered: 03/06/2002)	
03/06/2002	30	RESPONSE by Prince Food Systems to Pltfs Response in Opposition to Defts [23-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading, filed (psmith) (Entered: 03/07/2002)	

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03/07/2002	31	RESPONSE by EEOC to deft's [28-1] motion in limine , filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/07/2002)	
03/08/2002	32	OBJECTION to Deft's Trial Exhibits by EEOC , filed. (sfedele) (Entered: 03/11/2002)	
03/11/2002	33	REPLY by EEOC to deft's response to pltf's response to deft's amended [23-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading , filed (kprice) (Entered: 03/11/2002)	
03/11/2002	34	OBJECTIONS to authenticity and admissibility of pltf's proposed trial exhibits by Prince Food Systems, filed. (ljackson) (Entered: 03/12/2002)	
03/12/2002	35	SUPPLEMENT to its [34-1] Objections to Authenticity and Admissibility of Pltfs Proposed Trial Exhibits, by Prince Food Systems , filed. (psmith) (Entered: 03/13/2002)	
03/15/2002		Received and forwarded to CRD: proposed second amended exhibit list (kprice) (Entered: 03/15/2002)	
03/19/2002	37	RESPONSE by EEOC to [34-1] deft's objections to ptf's proposed trial exhibits (kprice) (Entered: 03/20/2002)	
03/20/2002		Received and forwarded to CRD: deft's proposed amended trial exhibit list, deft's proposed amended trial witness list, and deft's supplemental objections to admissibility of pltf's proposed trial exhibits (kprice) (Entered: 03/21/2002)	
03/21/2002		Rec'd and frw'd to CRD: Deft's Second Amended Trial Exhibit List (sfedele) (Entered: 03/21/2002)	
03/22/2002		Rec'd and frwd to CRD: pltf's third amended exhibit list (ltien) (Entered: 03/22/2002)	
03/22/2002	38	OBJECTIONS to deft's trial exhibits 19 and 93-99 by EEOC , filed. (Itien) (Entered: 03/22/2002)	
03/25/2002	39	RESPONSE by EEOC to deft's amended [28-1] motion in limine, filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/25/2002)	
03/25/2002	40	RESPONSE by EEOC to deft's supplemental [34-1] objections to admissibility of pltf's proposed trial exhibits, filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/25/2002)	
03/25/2002	41	OBJECTIONS to deft's trial exhibits 2 and 100-101 by EEOC , filed. (kprice) (Entered: 03/25/2002)	
03/26/2002	42	JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER filed (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (kprice) (Entered: 03/27/2002)	
03/26/2002	43	JURY TRIAL (1st Day) held before Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt. Apps: T Bowne; B Heslop; M Kass; S Caudle. Discussion of Motions in Limine. The [23-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading is deferred. Jury voir dire; jury selected and sworn; opening statements; pltfs case begins; continued to 3/27/02 at 9 am. Ct Rptr: G Dye (psmith) Modified on 04/02/2002 (Entered: 03/27/2002)	
03/26/2002	44	ORDER denying deft's amended [23-1] motion for leave to file amended pleading, entered; Parties notified. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (kprice) (Entered: 03/28/2002)	

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03/26/2002	45	Jury Roster, filed (amaly) (Entered: 03/29/2002)		
03/27/2002	53	Second Day of Jury trial held before Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt. Apps: same as first day. Pltf's case continues. Continued to 3/28/02 at 9:00. Ct Reporter: G Dye (ltien) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
03/28/2002	47	Minute entry: Jury Trial 3rd day held. Apps: f/pltf same as first day; f/deft same as first day. Pltf's case continues. Parties announce settlement. Agreed judgment to be submitted within 30 days. Parties directed to withdraw exhibits. Ct Reporter: G Dye. (ljackson) (Entered: 04/01/2002)		
03/29/2002	46	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS: Defendant's Opening Statement for dates of 03/26/02 before Judge Kenneth M Hoyt, filed. (Court Rptr: G Dye) (kprice) Modified on 04/02/2002 (Entered: 04/01/2002)		
03/29/2002	48	Third AMENDED Exhibit list by Prince Food Systems , filed (psmith) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
03/29/2002	49	Exhibit list by EEOC, filed (psmith) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
03/29/2002	50	Receipt for Withdrawal of Exhibits by attorney for EEOC , filed. (psmith) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
03/29/2002	51	Receipt for Withdrawal of Exhibits by attorney for Prince Food Systems, filed. (psmith) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
03/29/2002	52	Voir dire questions by EEOC, Prince Food Systems , filed (psmith) (Entered: 04/02/2002)		
04/12/2002	54	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS of Agreed Judgment for dates of 03/28/02 before Judge Kenneth M Hoyt , filed. Court Reporter: G Dye (kprice) Modified on 04/22/2002 (Entered: 04/14/2002)		
04/23/2002	55	AGREED MOTION to enter agreed final judgment by EEOC, Prince Food Systems, filed. (ckrus) (Entered: 04/24/2002)		
04/25/2002	<u>56</u>	AGREED FINAL JUDGMENT; granting [55-1] agreed motion to enter agreed final judgment, entered. Deft Prince Food Systems, Inc shall pay the sum of \$175,000; of this amount \$75,000 shall be paid by 04/27/02. The balance shall be paid in quarterly payments of \$25,000 each on or before: 09/01/02; 12/01/02; 03/01/03; and 06/01/03. The payments of the \$175,000 shall be made directly to the Registry of the Court. The Court will retain jurisdiction to enforce the terms of this judgment. Parties ntfd. (signed Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (kprice) (Entered: 04/26/2002)		
04/25/2002	<u>57</u>	ORDER FOR DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS, entered; Deft Prince Food Systems, Inc shall pay to the Registry of the Court the sum of \$175,000; of this amount, \$75,000 shall be paid by 04/27/02, and the balance shall be paid in quarterly payments of \$25,000 each. Parties notified. (signed by Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt) (kprice) (Entered: 04/26/2002)		
04/25/2002		Case closed (kprice) (Entered: 04/26/2002)		
05/08/2002		Deft paid \$75,000 into the registry of the Court, Receipt #520459. (sguevara) (Entered: 05/10/2002)		

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06/03/2002	\$75,000.00 was deposited into the court registry. Receipt #520459. (ljackson) (Entered: 06/04/2002)	
06/03/2002	\$3,250.00 were disbursed from the court registry. (ljackson) (Entered: 06/04/2002)	
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06/03/2002	\$32,700.00 were disbursed from the court registry. (ljackson) (Entered: 06/04/2002)	
10/02/2002	\$15,500.00 were disbursed from the court registry. (ljackson) (Entered: 10/02/2002)	
10/02/2002	\$9,500.00 were disbursed from the court registry. (ljackson) (Entered: 10/02/2002)	
06/05/2003	\$25,000.00 were deposited into the Court registry. Receipt #532451. (amaly) (Entered: 07/07/2003)	
06/13/2003	\$15,875.00 were disbursed from the Court registry. (amaly) (Entered: 07/07/2003)	
06/16/2003	\$9,125.00 were disbursed from the Court registry. (amaly) (Entered: 07/07/2003)	

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