

**U.S. District Court
Western District of Missouri (Kansas City)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 4:00-cv-00364-ODS**

Bunch et al v. Rent-A-Center, Inc.
Assigned to: District Judge Ortrie D. Smith
Cause: 42:2000e Job Discrimination (Employment)

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Jury Demand: Plaintiff
Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/19/2000	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against Rent-A-Center, Inc.. filed by Mary B. Clune, Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder &Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Receipt #176211. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(Cavallo, Dorothy) Additional attachment(s) added on 1/15/2002 (Honeycutt, Cassaundra). (Entered: 04/21/2000)
04/19/2000	<u>2</u>	Notice of EAPADMIN.(Cavallo, Dorothy) (Entered: 04/21/2000)
06/12/2000	<u>3</u>	AMENDED COMPLAINT against Rent-A-Center, Inc.. filed by Mary B. Clune of White, Allinder &Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Clune, Mary) (Entered: 06/12/2000)
06/12/2000	<u>4</u>	MEMORANDUM <i>Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment</i> (related document(s) <u>3</u>) filed by Mary B. Clune on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Clune, Mary) (Entered: 06/12/2000)
06/20/2000	<u>5</u>	MOTION by Scott C. Hecht AND ORDER for Franklin E. Wright to appear Pro Hac Vice on behalf of defendants. Receipt # 177329. Amount of fee: \$25.00.(Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 06/21/2000)
06/20/2000	<u>6</u>	MOTION by Scott C Hecht AND ORDER for Lisa Winston Sorrell to appear Pro Hac Vice on behalf of defendants. Receipt #177329. Amount of Fee: \$25.00.(Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 06/21/2000)
06/30/2000	<u>7</u>	Consent MOTION for extension of time to answer amended complaint <i>and suggestions in support thereof</i> on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Hecht, Scott) (Entered: 06/30/2000)
07/05/2000	<u>8</u>	ORDER by Judge Ortrie D. Smith granting dfts' motion for extension of time to answer amended complaint (Related Doc # <u>7</u>) to 7/20/2000(Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 07/06/2000)
07/20/2000	<u>9</u>	ANSWER to amended complaint (Related Doc # <u>3</u>) (related document(s) <u>3</u>) filed by Scott C. Hecht of Stinson, Mag &Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Hecht, Scott) (Entered: 07/20/2000)
07/24/2000	<u>10</u>	RULE 16 NOTICE issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Proposed scheduling order due by 9/29/2000, rule 26 conference due by 9/19/2000..(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 07/24/2000)

10/05/2000	<u>11</u>	Joint PROPOSED SCHEDULING ORDER <i>and Discovery Plan</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 10/05/2000)
10/13/2000	<u>12</u>	RULES OF TRIAL issued by Judge Ortrie Smith.(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 10/16/2000)
10/13/2000	<u>13</u>	SCHEDULING ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Discovery due by 3/15/2001, pre-trial conference set for 10/18/2001 at 11:30 AM at Chambers, with jury trial to be held on 11/19/2001 at 08:00 AM at Courtroom 8C, Kansas City (ODS).(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 10/16/2000)
10/30/2000	<u>14</u>	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE <i>of substituted counsel</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 10/30/2000)
11/20/2000	<u>15</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF INITIAL RULE 26 DISCLOSURES filed by Mary B. Clune of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Clune, Mary) (Entered: 11/20/2000)
11/21/2000	<u>16</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE <i>of Initial Disclosures</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 11/21/2000)
12/01/2000	<u>17</u>	MOTION for extension of time on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Clune, Mary) (Entered: 12/01/2000)
12/04/2000	<u>18</u>	Joint MOTION for protective order on behalf of all parties. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Agreed Protective Order)(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 12/04/2000)
12/04/2000	<u>19</u>	MOTION for leave to file <i>First Amended Class Action Complaint</i> on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Clune, Mary) Additional attachment(s) added on 12/6/2000 (Navarro, Steve). Modified on 12/6/2000 to add pleading (Navarro, Steve). (Entered: 12/04/2000)
12/04/2000	<u>20</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Plaintiff motion for extension of time until December 4, 2000 to file her motion to join parties and amend pleadings.(Related Doc # <u>17</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 12/05/2000)
12/05/2000	<u>21</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Agreed Protective Order. (Related Doc # <u>18</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) Additional attachment(s) added on 12/6/2000 (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 12/05/2000)
12/06/2000		Remark:This file will not contain a Document #22. This document was inadvertently filed before motion was ruled by Judge Ortrie Smith.(Kee, Georgia) Modified on 12/6/2000 (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 12/06/2000)
12/18/2000	<u>22</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Plaintiff's motion to amend complaint, Plaintiff is directed to file her amended complaint within five business days of the date of this Order. Plaintiff is directed to file her brief regarding class certification within 45 days from the date of this Order. (Related Doc # <u>19</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 12/18/2000)
12/18/2000	<u>23</u>	First AMENDED COMPLAINT against Rent-A-Center, Inc.. filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 12/18/2000)
12/29/2000	<u>24</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE filed by Mary B. Compton of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Compton, Mary) (Entered: 12/29/2000)
01/02/2001	<u>25</u>	MOTION to dismiss case <i>Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) or, in the Alternative, to Stay Proceedings and Compel Arbitration</i> on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 01/02/2001)
01/02/2001	<u>26</u>	SUGGESTION IN SUPPORT OF Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) or, in the Alternative, to Stay Proceedings and Compel Arbitration (related document(s) <u>25</u>) filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A)(Welch, Sara) Modified on

		1/3/2001 to correct event code (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 01/02/2001)
01/02/2001	<u>27</u>	MOTION to change/transfer venue <i>Under 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a)</i> on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 01/02/2001)
01/02/2001	<u>28</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of Defendant's Motion to Transfer Venue Under 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a) (related document(s) <u>27</u>) filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1)(Welch, Sara) Modified on 1/3/2001 to correct event code (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 01/02/2001)
01/11/2001	<u>29</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie D. Smith amending certain deadlines as to the Scheduling and Trial Order dated October 13, 2000.(McIlvain, Kelly) (Entered: 01/11/2001)
01/16/2001	<u>30</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO TRANSFER filed by Courtney Hueser of Klamann & Hubbard, PA on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 1/29/2001. (Related motion(s) <u>27</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) Modified on 1/17/2001 to correct event code (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 01/16/2001)
01/16/2001	<u>31</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION filed by Courtney Hueser of Klamann & Hubbard, PA on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 1/29/2001. (Related motion(s) <u>25</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) Modified on 1/17/2001 to correct event code (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 01/16/2001)
01/23/2001	<u>32</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Second Interrogatories and Second Request for Production of Documents to Defendant</i> filed by Gene P Graham Jr on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Graham, Gene) (Entered: 01/23/2001)
01/26/2001	<u>33</u>	MOTION for extension of time <i>in Which to File Reply Suggestions in Support of Its Motion to Dismiss or, in the Alternative, to Stay Proceedings and Compel Arbitration, and Its Motion to Change/Transfer Venue</i> on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) Modified on 5/21/2001 to terminate pending motion per Pending motion list(Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 01/26/2001)
02/05/2001	<u>34</u>	REPLY SUGGESTIONS <i>in Support of Defendant's Motion to Transfer Venue Under 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a)</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Related motion(s) <u>27</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/05/2001)
02/05/2001	<u>35</u>	REPLY SUGGESTIONS <i>in Support of Defendant's Motion to Dismiss or Stay Proceedings and Compel Arbitration</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Related motion(s) <u>25</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/05/2001)
02/05/2001	<u>36</u>	MOTION for order <i>to Bifurcate Discovery</i> on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/05/2001)
02/05/2001	<u>37</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT <i>of Defendant's Motion to Bifurcate Discovery</i> (related document(s) <u>36</u>) Filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/05/2001)
02/13/2001	<u>38</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order regarding discovery conference.(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/14/2001)
02/14/2001	<u>39</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to Defendant's Motion to Bifurcate Discovery</i> filed by Courtney Hueser of Klamann & Hubbard, PA on behalf of all plaintiffs. Reply Suggestions due by 2/26/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment) (Related motion(s) <u>36</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 02/14/2001)
02/21/2001	<u>40</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE <i>of Discovery to Plaintiff Margaret Bunch</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch of Stinson, Mag & Fizzell, P.C. on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/21/2001)
03/14/2001	<u>41</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order regarding discovery disputes.(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 03/15/2001)
03/23/2001	<u>42</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Associated Personnel Technicians, Inc. on April 5, 2001 (<i>DUECES TECUM PURSUANT TO SUBPOENA</i>) filed by Courtney Hueser

		of Klamann & Hubbard, PA on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 03/23/2001)
03/31/2001	<u>43</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE of <i>Plaintiff's Responses to First Request for Admissions, First Interrogatories, First Request for Production of Documents</i> filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Graham, Gene) (Entered: 03/31/2001)
04/02/2001	<u>44</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Tim Mayer filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Graham, Gene) (Entered: 04/02/2001)
04/02/2001	<u>45</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Randy Taylor filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Graham, Gene) (Entered: 04/02/2001)
04/06/2001	<u>46</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Michael Walters on April 10, 2001 filed by Courtney Hueser of Klamann & Hubbard, PA on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 04/06/2001)
04/20/2001	<u>47</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Sherry Shaumbach filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Graham, Gene) (Entered: 04/20/2001)
04/20/2001	<u>48</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie D. Smith regarding April 9, 2001 discovery conference and amending scheduling and trial order. (McIlvain, Kelly) (Entered: 04/20/2001)
04/24/2001	<u>49</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Denying motion to bifurcate discovery. (Related Doc # <u>36</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 04/24/2001)
04/26/2001	<u>50</u>	NOTICE OF FILING of <i>Defendants' Objections to Plaintiffs' Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 30(b)(6) Deposition Notice</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc..(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 04/26/2001)
04/30/2001	<u>51</u>	CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION OF DEPOSITION of Randy Taylor filed by Gene P Graham Jr of White, Allinder & Graham, LLC on behalf of Margaret Bunch.(Russel, Jeri) (Entered: 04/30/2001)
04/30/2001	<u>52</u>	MOTION for reconsideration <i>AND SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT OF MOTION</i> (related document(s) <u>48</u>) on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A: Affidavit of Robert Davis# <u>2</u> Exhibit B: Affidavit of Martin B. Roustio# <u>3</u> Exhibit C: Affidavit of Marc Tuckey)(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 04/30/2001)
05/01/2001	<u>53</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie D. Smith, that the parties are to file briefs within 20 days from the date of this order in regard to the subject specified in the order.(McIlvain, Kelly) (Entered: 05/01/2001)
05/08/2001	<u>54</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Defendant shall provide the database referred to in this Court's Order of February 13, 2001, with redaction of names, by June 15, 2001.(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 05/08/2001)
05/09/2001	<u>55</u>	AMENDED ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Defendant shall provide the database referred to in this Court's Order of February 13, 2001, without redaction of names, by June 15, 2001.(Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 05/09/2001)
05/11/2001	<u>56</u>	RESPONSE TO MOTION for <i>Reconsideration</i> (Related document(s) <u>52</u> filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 5/23/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit)(Hueser, Courtney) Modified on 5/14/2001 to add related document number (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 05/11/2001)
05/15/2001	<u>57</u>	MOTION AND ORDER for Pro Hac Vice was filed for Shannon C. Carr (Beard, Melanie) (Entered: 05/17/2001)
05/15/2001	<u>58</u>	MOTION AND ORDER for Pro Hac Vice was filed for Dan C. Dargene. (Beard, Melanie) (Entered: 05/17/2001)
05/18/2001	<u>59</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Harry Weisbrod filed by Gene P Graham Jr on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Graham, Gene) (Entered: 05/18/2001)

05/21/2001	<u>60</u>	Supplemental SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 6/4/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Related document(s) <u>25</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 05/21/2001)
05/21/2001	<u>61</u>	SUPPLEMENT Defendant's Supplemental Briefing in Support of its Motion to Dismiss or, in the Alternative, Stay and Compel Arbitration filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> # <u>2</u> # <u>3</u> # <u>4</u> # <u>5</u>)(Related document(s) <u>25</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 05/21/2001)
05/23/2001	<u>62</u>	REPLY SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1: Defendant's Objections to Plaintiffs' Second Request for Production of Documents# <u>2</u> Exhibit 2: 2 Letters to Judge Smith re discovery)(Related document(s) <u>52</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 05/23/2001)
06/08/2001	<u>63</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. (1) Granting Defendants request to respond to Plaintiff's argument, Defendant has until June 15, 2001 to respond to Plaintiff's new arguments, and (2) suspending the scheduling and trial order. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 06/08/2001)
06/15/2001	<u>64</u>	SUPPLEMENT Defendant's Response to Plaintiffs' Supplemental Suggestions in Opposition to Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit # <u>2</u> Exhibit # <u>3</u> Exhibit # <u>4</u> Exhibit)(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 06/15/2001)
07/18/2001	<u>65</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion to dismiss case, or in the alternative, to stay proceedings and compel arbitration. (Related Doc # <u>25</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 07/18/2001)
08/03/2001	<u>66</u>	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE Entry of Appearance filed by Robert L. Driscoll on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Driscoll, Robert) (Entered: 08/03/2001)
08/07/2001	<u>67</u>	MOTION to join Additional Plaintiff's and Suggestions in Support filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 8/20/2001. (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 08/07/2001)
08/13/2001	<u>68</u>	MOTION for reconsideration of the Court's Grant of Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 8/27/2001. (Related document(s) <u>65</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 08/13/2001)
08/16/2001	<u>69</u>	MOTION for extension of time to file response/reply to Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Join Additional Plaintiffs and Plaintiffs' Motion to Reconsider the Court's Grant of Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 8/28/2001. (Related document(s) <u>67</u> , <u>68</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 08/16/2001)
08/20/2001	<u>70</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion for extension of time to file Defendant's opposition to Motion to Join Additional Plaintiffs on or before 09/03/2001 and opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Reconsider on or before September 10, 2001.(Related Doc # <u>69</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 08/20/2001)
08/31/2001	<u>71</u>	MOTION for extension of time in Which to Respond to Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Join Additional Plaintiffs and Plaintiffs' Motion to Reconsider the Court's Grant of Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 9/12/2001. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 08/31/2001)
09/05/2001	<u>72</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Defendant's motion for extension of time (Related Doc # <u>71</u>) (1) Defendant shall respond to Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Join Additional Plaintiffs on or before September 18, 2001. (2) Defendant shall respond to Plaintiffs' Motion to Reconsider the Court's Grant of Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration on or before September 24, 2001. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 09/05/2001)

09/14/2001	<u>73</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Denying motion to change venue (Related Doc # <u>27</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 09/14/2001)
09/18/2001	<u>74</u>	MOTION to consolidate cases filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 10/1/2001. (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 09/18/2001)
09/18/2001	<u>75</u>	Second MOTION to join <i>Additional Plaintiffs adn Suggestions in Support</i> filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 10/1/2001. (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 09/18/2001)
10/02/2001	<u>76</u>	MOTION for extension of time <i>in Which to Respond to Plaintiffs' Second Motion for Leave to Join Additional Plaintiffs and Plaintiffs' Motion to Consolidate</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 10/15/2001. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 10/02/2001)
10/03/2001	<u>77</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Defendant's unopposed Motion for Extention of Time (Related Doc # <u>74</u>), (Related Doc # <u>75</u>) Defendant shall file its Opposition to Plaintiffs' Second Motion to Join Additional Plaintiffs and Motion to Consolidate on or before October 15, 2001. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 10/03/2001)
10/15/2001	<u>78</u>	MOTION for extension of time <i>IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO PLAINTIFFS' SECOND MOTION FOR LEAVE TO JOIN ADDITIONAL PLAINTIFFS AND PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 10/29/2001. (Related document(s) <u>74</u> , <u>75</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 10/15/2001)
10/19/2001	<u>79</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Defendant's motion for extension of time (Related Doc # <u>78</u>) Defendant shall file its Opposition to Plalintiffs' Motion to Join Additional Plaintiffs on or before 10/29/2001. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 10/22/2001)
10/24/2001	<u>80</u>	MOTION for leave to file <i>Second Amended Class Action Complaint</i> filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 11/5/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u>)(Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 10/24/2001)
10/31/2001	<u>81</u>	Joint MOTION for order filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 11/12/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit # <u>2</u> Proposed Order)(Hubbard, Dirk) Additional attachment(s) added on 11/1/2001 (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 10/31/2001)
11/01/2001		Remark: Doc 82, Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment, deleted as separate entry and attached to Doc. #81. Modified on 11/1/2001 (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/02/2001		Remark – Notice of Exhibit Attachment received in paper form in the Clerk's Office (Related documents(s) <u>81</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 11/02/2001)
11/05/2001	<u>82</u>	RESPONSE TO MOTION <i>Defendant's Notice of Conditional Non-Objection to Plaintiffs' Pending Motions</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 11/19/2001. (Related document(s) <u>80</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 11/05/2001)
11/05/2001	<u>83</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Intent to Object</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Related document(s) <u>81</u>) (Baran, Andrea) (Entered: 11/05/2001)
11/05/2001	<u>84</u>	MOTION for order <i>Oppose Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement, Settlement, Conditional Certification of Settlement Class and Any Action on Such Proposed Settlement and Suggestions in Support Thereof</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/19/2001. (Related document(s) <u>81</u>) (German, Charles) Wrong document filed, replaced with correct document on 11/6/2001 (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/05/2001)
11/05/2001	<u>85</u>	ATTORNEY APPEARANCE filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/05/2001)

11/08/2001	<u>86</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION to <i>Joinder of Plaintiffs</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. Reply Suggestions due by 11/20/2001. (Related document(s) <u>75</u>) (Jones, Robin) Refiled using the correct event on 11/9/2001 (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/08/2001	<u>87</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Suggestions in Support of Opposition to Joinder of Plaintiffs</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Related document(s) <u>86</u>) (Jones, Robin) Refiled using correct event on 11/9/2001 (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/09/2001	<u>88</u>	MOTION to stay <i>OR ABSTAIN, MOTION TO REJECT ON ITS FACE THE JOINT MOTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION OF CLASS AND APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT, ALTERNATIVE MOTION FOR DISCOVERY AND HEARING ON CLASS CERTIFICATION, AND NOTICE AND SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT THEREOF</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/21/2001. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/09/2001	<u>89</u>	MOTION to intervene <i>and suggestions in support thereof</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/21/2001. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/09/2001	<u>90</u>	MOTION for excess pages <i>and suggestions in support in excess of 15 pages</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/21/2001. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/09/2001	<u>91</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Objections and Request for Hearing on Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Related document(s) <u>81</u>) (Baran, Andrea) Modified on 11/13/2001 to reflect documents received in Clerk's Office (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/09/2001)
11/09/2001	<u>92</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion to join (Related Doc # <u>67</u>), granting motion for reconsideration (Related Doc # <u>68</u>), granting motion to join (Related Doc # <u>75</u>), granting motion for leave to file (Related Doc # <u>80</u>) The cases Bunch v. Rent-A-Center, 00-0364-CV-W-3-ECF and Levings v. Rent-A-Center, 00-0596-CV-W-3-ECF are hereby consolidated. Future documents filed in case # 00-0364-CV-W-3-ECF, staying cases and granting Defendant's Motion to Compel Arbitration. (Will-Fees, Eva) Additional attachment(s) added on 11/13/2001 (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 11/13/2001)
11/13/2001	<u>93</u>	MOTION for reconsideration <i>OF ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO JOIN ADDITIONAL PLAINTIFFS, MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION, MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE AND MOTION TO FILE SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/26/2001. (Related document(s) <u>92</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/13/2001)
11/13/2001		THE CASES BUNCH V. RENT-A-CENTER, 00-0364-CV-W-3-ECF AND LEVINGS V. RENT-A-CENTER, 00-596-CV-W-3-ECF ARE CONSOLIDATED. FUTURE DOCUMENTS ARE TO BE FILED IN CASE 00-364-CV-W-3-ECF. (Jones, Robin) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/14/2001	<u>94</u>	MOTION to change/transfer venue (<i>INTERVENORS'</i>) filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 11/26/2001. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/14/2001	<u>95</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT <i>OF INTERVENORS' MOTION TO TRANSFER</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) Modified on 11/16/2001 to add Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment and reflect that exhibits received in the Clerk's Office (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/14/2001)
11/14/2001	<u>96</u>	MOTION AND ORDER for Pro Hac Vice granting appearance of Attorney Jerome J. Schlichter for Wilfong Plaintiffs, Jon A. Ray for Wilfong Plaintiffs Fee paid; receipt number 193925. (Beard, Melanie) (Entered: 11/15/2001)

11/15/2001	<u>97</u>	MOTION for excess pages for <i>Suggestions in Support of Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement</i> filed by John M Klamann on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 11/27/2001. (Klamann, John) (Entered: 11/15/2001)
11/15/2001	<u>98</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of <i>Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement</i> filed by John M Klamann on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Klamann, John) Modified on 11/16/2001 to reflect exhibits received in Clerk's Office (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/15/2001)
11/16/2001		Document #99(Motion and Order for Pro Hac Vice) was deleted by the Clerk's Office due to filing error. REMARK (Related documents(s) <u>96</u>) (Beard, Melanie) (Entered: 11/16/2001)
11/16/2001	<u>99</u>	MOTION to strike <i>Proposed Intervenors' (Wilfong Plaintiffs') Motions and Suggestions in Support of Wilfong Plaintiffs' Motions (Doc 84, 88, 93, 94 and 95</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 11/28/2001. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 11/16/2001)
11/16/2001	<u>100</u>	MOTION to strike <i>EEOC's Objections and Request for Hearing on Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement and to Set Hearing on Proposed Settlement Doc 91 and Supporting Suggestions</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 11/28/2001. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 11/16/2001)
11/16/2001	<u>101</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>To Motion for Limited Intervention</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 11/28/2001. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A and B)(Related document(s) <u>89</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 11/16/2001)
11/19/2001	<u>102</u>	MOTION to lift stay <i>Agreed Protective Order</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 12/3/2001. (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/19/2001)
11/19/2001	<u>103</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of <i>Motion to Lift Protective Order</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment added on 11/20/2001 (Jones, Robin). Modified on 11/20/2001 to reflect Exhibits received in Clerk's Office (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/19/2001)
11/20/2001		The document originally filed as Document #104, Notice of Filing Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment, was deleted. The document was attached Document #103. (Jones, Robin) (Entered: 11/20/2001)
11/28/2001	<u>104</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Supplemental Objections to Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Baran, Andrea) (Entered: 11/28/2001)
11/28/2001	<u>105</u>	REPLY SUGGESTIONS <i>IN OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR LIMITED INTERVENTION</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1)(Related document(s) <u>89</u>) (German, Charles) Modified on 11/29/2001 to reflect exhibits being received in Clerk's Office (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 11/28/2001)
11/28/2001	<u>106</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO STRIKE PROPOSED INTERVENORS' (WILFONG PLAINTIFFS') MOTION AND SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT OF WILFONG PLAINTIFFS' MOTIONS</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. Reply Suggestions due by 12/10/2001. (Related document(s) <u>99</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 11/28/2001)
11/28/2001	<u>107</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to Defendant's Motion to Strike EEOC's Objections and Request for Hearing on Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. Reply Suggestions due by 12/10/2001. (Related document(s) <u>100</u>) (Baran, Andrea) (Entered: 11/28/2001)

11/29/2001	<u>109</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Denying motion for order (Related Doc # <u>84</u>), denying motion to stay (Related Doc # <u>88</u>), granting in part, denying in part motion to intervene (Related Doc # <u>89</u>), granting motion for excess pages (Related Doc # <u>90</u>), denying motion for reconsideration (Related Doc # <u>93</u>), denying motion to change/transfer venue (Related Doc # <u>94</u>), denying motion to strike (Related Doc # <u>99</u>), denying motion to lift stay (Related Doc # <u>102</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 11/29/2001)
11/29/2001	<u>108</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order preliminarily approving Stipulation of Settlement, Settlement, and Form, Adequacy and Manner of Notice, conditionally certifying a Settlement Class, directing notice to the settlement class and setting a hearing on the settlement and certain applications for attorney's fees, awards and costs. With hearing to be held on 3/6/2002 at 09:00 AM at Courtroom 8C, Kansas City (ODS) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 11/29/2001)
11/30/2001	<u>110</u>	NOTICE OF APPEAL to circuit court filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. Receipt number 194266. (Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 11/30/2001)
11/30/2001		Delivered to USCA electronic notification of NOA and order on appeal and docket entries, and an NOA Supp. Notice to counsel/parties by e-mail/regular mail. (Related documents(s) <u>110</u>) (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 11/30/2001)
11/30/2001	<u>111</u>	MOTION to stay <i>pending appeal of order denying, in part, Intervention</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 12/12/2001. (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
11/30/2001	<u>112</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT <i>of motion to stay pending appeal of Order denying, in part, Intervention</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/03/2001	<u>113</u>	Order issued by Judge Smith denying motion to stay. (Related Doc # <u>111</u>) (LeBlanc, Therese) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/03/2001	<u>114</u>	MOTION for order <i>EXPEDITED REVIEW OF INTERVENORS' MOTION TO STAY</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 12/17/2001. (Related document(s) <u>111</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/03/2001	<u>115</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>EIGHTH CIRCUIT DOCUMENTS</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A-E)(Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/03/2001	<u>116</u>	PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit)(German, Charles) (Entered: 12/03/2001)
12/04/2001		Appeal number info from USCA 01-3748. Consolidated with 01-3744. No schedule at this time. (Related documents(s) <u>110</u>) (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 12/04/2001)
12/04/2001		Remark: Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment to doc. #115 & #116 received in Clerk's Office (Related documents(s) <u>115</u> , <u>116</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 12/05/2001)
12/11/2001	<u>117</u>	JUDGMENT AND ORDER from USCA: Writ of mandamus denied; emergency stay denied; mandamus proceeding dismissed; costs assessed to petitioners. Mandate issued 12/06/2001. (Related document(s)[]) (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 12/11/2001)
01/18/2002	<u>118</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Finding as moot motion to strike (Related Doc # <u>100</u>), finding as moot motion for order (Related Doc # <u>114</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 01/18/2002)
01/18/2002	<u>119</u>	MOTION to intervene filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. suggestions in opposition due by 2/6/2002. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A - Certificate of Importance)(Baran, Andrea) Modified on 1/22/2002 to edit filing date due to inability to use ECF system per the AO (Kendall, Shelly). (Entered: 01/22/2002)

01/18/2002	<u>120</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of <i>Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A – EEOC v. Waffle House)(Baran, Andrea) Modified on 1/22/2002 to edit filing date due to inability to use ECF system per the AO (Kendall, Shelly). (Entered: 01/22/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>121</u>	MOTION for leave to file <i>BRIEF AND STATEMENT OF INTERESTS OF AMICI CURIAE ON BEHALF OF JOINT AMICI</i> filed by Jennifer G. Bacon on behalf of Impact Fund, National Organization for Women Foundation. suggestions in opposition due by 2/11/2002. (Bacon, Jennifer) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>122</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>BRIEF OF JOINT AMICI CURIAE</i> filed by Jennifer G. Bacon on behalf of Impact Fund, National Organization for Women Foundation. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment of Exhibits 1–5)(Related document(s) <u>121</u>) (Bacon, Jennifer) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>123</u>	MOTION to intervene and <i>Suggestions in Support Thereof Wilfong Class Representatives</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 2/11/2002. (Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) Additional attachment(s) added on 2/4/2002 (Larson, Susan). (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>124</u>	MOTION to unseal document <i>Discovery</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 2/11/2002. (Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>125</u>	MOTION to intervene and <i>Suggestions in Support Thereof by Objectors</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 2/11/2002. (Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>126</u>	MOTION to produce <i>documents reflecting communication between plaintiffs' counsel and defendant's counsel regarding proposed settlement</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 2/11/2002. (Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>127</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of <i>motion of Wilfong Class Representatives to produce documents reflecting communication between plaintiffs' counsel and defendant's counsel regarding proposed settlement and to unseal discovery</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>128</u>	SUPPLEMENT <i>Memorandum Describing Evidence of Sex Discrimination at Rent-A-Center Filed in Support of Objections</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit)(Related document(s) <u>109</u>) (German, Charles) Additional attachment(s) added on 2/4/2002 (Larson, Susan). (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>129</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>Objections of Wilfong Class Representatives and Objectors</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. Reply Suggestions due by 2/11/2002. (Related document(s) <u>125</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/25/2002	<u>130</u>	OBJECTIONS to <i>Proposed Settlement Agreement</i> filed by Donna Harper on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Harper, Donna) (Entered: 01/25/2002)
01/28/2002		Remark:(1 hard copy) of Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment received in paper by the court (Related documents(s) <u>128</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 01/28/2002)
01/28/2002		Remark: Notice regarding exhibit attachment (Exhibits 1–5) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>128</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 02/08/2002)
01/29/2002	<u>131</u>	MOTION for leave to file <i>Request for Leave to Add Objector</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. suggestions in opposition due by 2/13/2002. (Related document(s) <u>123</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 01/29/2002)

02/01/2002	<u>132</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion for leave to file amicus (Related Doc # <u>121</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/01/2002)
02/04/2002	<u>133</u>	MOTION for extension of time <i>in which to respond to motions and objections filed by Wilfong plaintiffs and objectors (Doc. ## 123, 124, 125, 126, 128 and 129) and objections filed by EEOC (Doc. # 130)</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 2/19/2002. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/04/2002)
02/04/2002	<u>134</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to the EEOC's Motion to Intervene and Suggestions in Support Thereof</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 2/19/2002. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A# <u>2</u> Exhibit B# <u>3</u> Exhibit C# <u>4</u> Exhibit D)(Related document(s) <u>119</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/04/2002)
02/05/2002	<u>135</u>	MOTION for reconsideration <i>of the Court's Order Granting Motion to File Brief and Statement of Interests of Amici Curiae on Behalf of Joint Amici Now Foundation and the Impact Fund</i> filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 2/20/2002. (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 02/05/2002)
02/06/2002	<u>136</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to EEOC Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 2/21/2002. (Related document(s) <u>119</u>) (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 02/06/2002)
02/06/2002	<u>137</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to Wilfong Plaintiffs' Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 2/21/2002. (Related document(s) <u>123</u>) (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 02/06/2002)
02/07/2002	<u>138</u>	MOTION for extension of time <i>in Which to File Suggestions in Response to Objectors' Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 2/22/2002. (Hubbard, Dirk) Modified on 9/9/2002 to terminated pending motion (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 02/07/2002)
02/08/2002	<u>139</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion for extension of time (Related Doc # <u>133</u>) Rent-A-Center shall file its responses/opposition on or before February 15, 2002. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/08/2002)
02/11/2002	<u>140</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>to Wilfong Plaintiffs' Motion to Unseal Discovery; and, Suggestions in Opposition to Wilfong Plaintiffs' Motion to Produce Documents Reflecting Communication Between Plaintiffs' Counsel and Defendant's Counsel Regarding Proposed Settlement</i> filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 2/26/2002. (Related document(s) <u>124</u> , <u>126</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 02/11/2002)
02/14/2002	<u>141</u>	JUDGMENT AND ORDER from USCA: petition for permission to take an interlocutory appeal has been considered by the court and is denied. (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 02/14/2002)
02/14/2002	<u>142</u>	Supplemental SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT <i>Exhibit Filed in Support of Objections to Settlement</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(German, Charles) (Entered: 02/14/2002)
02/14/2002	<u>143</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>TO CLASS REPRESENTATIVES' MOTION TO RECONSIDER THE COURT'S ORDER GRANTING AMICI LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF AND STATEMENT OF INTEREST</i> filed by Jennifer G. Bacon on behalf of Impact Fund, National Organization for Women Foundation. Reply Suggestions due by 3/1/2002. (Related document(s) <u>135</u>) (Bacon, Jennifer) (Entered: 02/14/2002)
02/15/2002		Remark: Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>130</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>144</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION <i>TO MOTION OF OBJECTORS DIANE ANDERSON, SHELLY FUNSTON, DENISE HOOTEN, THERESA KENYON, AMY SYNDER, MELODY TAYLOR, JACQUELINE TURNER, PAMELA WILLIAMS AND LASHANDA WRIGHT FOR INTERVENTION AND SUGGESTIONS IN</i>

		<i>SUPPORT THEREOF</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 3/4/2002. (Related document(s) <u>125</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>145</u>	<i>SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO THE WILFONG CLASS REPRESENTATIVES' MOTION TO UNSEAL DISCOVERY AND SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT THEREOF</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 3/4/2002. (Related document(s) <u>124</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>146</u>	<i>SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO THE WILFONG CLASS REPRESENTATIVES' MOTION TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTS REFLECTING COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN PLAINTIFFS' COUNSEL AND DEFENDANT'S COUNSEL REGARDING PROPOSED SETTLEMENT AND SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT THEREOF</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 3/4/2002. (Related document(s) <u>126</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>147</u>	<i>MOTION to strike (1) OBJECTORS' EXHIBITS TO OBJECTIONS AND (2) SUPPLEMENTAL MEMORANDUM OF EVIDENCE</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 3/4/2002. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>148</u>	<i>NOTICE OF FILING of Defendant's Response to Proposed Intervenor, EEOC's Objections to Proposed Settlement Agreement Notice and Class Certification</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Related document(s) <u>130</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>149</u>	<i>SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO WILFONG CLASS REPRESENTATIVES' MOTION FOR INTERVENTION</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. Reply Suggestions due by 3/4/2002. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Related document(s) <u>123</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/15/2002	<u>150</u>	<i>NOTICE OF FILING OF DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO OBJECTIONS BY OBJECTORS TO PROPOSED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment)(Related document(s) <u>129</u>) (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/15/2002)
02/19/2002		Remark: Notice regarding exhibit attachment (Exhibits A through F) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>150</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 02/19/2002)
02/19/2002		Remark: Notice regarding exhibit attachment (Exhibits A through E) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>148</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 02/19/2002)
02/19/2002		Remark: Notice regarding exhibit attachment (Exhibits 1 through 6) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>149</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 02/19/2002)
02/19/2002	<u>151</u>	<i>REPLY SUGGESTIONS in Support of EEOC's Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Related document(s) <u>119</u>) (Baran, Andrea) (Entered: 02/19/2002)
02/21/2002	<u>152</u>	<i>MOTION to withdraw/substitute attorney</i> filed by Scott C. Hecht on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 3/8/2002. (Hecht, Scott) (Entered: 02/21/2002)
02/21/2002	<u>153</u>	<i>SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION to Objectors' Motion to Intervene</i> filed by Courtney Hueser on behalf of Margaret Bunch. Reply Suggestions due by 3/8/2002. (Related document(s) <u>125</u>) (Hueser, Courtney) (Entered: 02/21/2002)
02/25/2002	<u>154</u>	<i>NOTICE OF FILING Wilfong Class Representatives' Reply to Plaintiffs' Suggestions in Opposition to Motions to Unseal Discovery and Produce Documents Reflecting Communication Between Plaintiffs' Counsel and Defendant's Counsel Regarding Proposed Settlement</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 02/25/2002)

02/25/2002	<u>155</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Wilfong Class Representatives' Reply to Defendant's Suggestions in Opposition to Motion to Unseal Discovery</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 02/25/2002)
02/25/2002	<u>156</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>WILFONG CLASS REPRESENTATIVES' REPLY TO DEFENDANT'S SUGGESTIONS IN OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTS REFLECTING COMMUNICATION BETWEEN PLAINTIFFS' COUNSEL AND DEFENDANT'S COUNSEL REGARDING PROPOSED SETTLEMENT</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 02/25/2002)
02/27/2002	<u>157</u>	MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE REPLY SUGGESTIONS to Bunch Parties' Opposition to Intervention in excess of the pages filed by Mary Anne Olwell Sedey on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Related document(s) <u>123</u> , <u>125</u>) (Sedey, Mary Anne) Modified on 2/28/2002 to correct event (Kee, Georgia). (Entered: 02/27/2002)
02/27/2002	<u>158</u>	REPLY SUGGESTIONS filed by Mary Anne Olwell Sedey on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Related document(s) <u>123</u> , <u>125</u>) (Sedey, Mary Anne) (Entered: 02/27/2002)
02/27/2002	<u>159</u>	MOTION to strike <i>second affidavit of Dr. David Peterson</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 3/14/2002. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 02/27/2002)
02/27/2002	<u>160</u>	Order denying motion to strike (Related Doc # <u>147</u>) (LeBlanc, Therese) (Entered: 02/27/2002)
02/27/2002	<u>161</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>Reply Suggestions in Support of EEOC's Objections to Proposed Settlement Agreement</i> filed by Andrea G. Baran on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Related document(s) <u>130</u>) (Baran, Andrea) (Entered: 02/27/2002)
02/28/2002	<u>162</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. SETTLEMENT HEARING RULES. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/28/2002)
02/28/2002	<u>163</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting motion to intervene (Related Doc # <u>119</u>), denying motion to intervene (Related Doc # <u>123</u>), denying motion to unseal document (Related Doc # <u>124</u>), granting motion to intervene (Related Doc # <u>125</u>), denying motion to produce (Related Doc # <u>126</u>), denying motion for reconsideration (Related Doc # <u>135</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/28/2002)
03/01/2002	<u>164</u>	NOTICE OF DEPOSITION of Barry Goldstein on March 5, 2002 filed by Gene P Graham Jr on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Graham, Gene) (Entered: 03/01/2002)
03/04/2002	<u>165</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Amended Settlement Hearing Rules. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 03/04/2002)
03/04/2002	<u>166</u>	MOTION to quash <i>subpoena</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. suggestions in opposition due by 3/19/2002. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 03/04/2002)
03/04/2002	<u>167</u>	ORDER to show cause why motion to quash should not be granted issued by Judge Smith; response due by 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2002. (Wolfe, Steve) (Entered: 03/04/2002)
03/04/2002	<u>168</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>OF OBJECTOR'S OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO QUASH SUBPOENA</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (Related document(s) <u>166</u>) (German, Charles) (Entered: 03/04/2002)
03/05/2002	<u>169</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Granting Defendant's motion to quash (Related Doc # <u>166</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 03/05/2002)
03/05/2002	<u>170</u>	NOTICE OF FILING <i>of Defendant's Fairness Hearing Brief in Support of Final Approval of Settlement</i> filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> notice regarding exhibit attachment)(Welch, Sara) (Entered: 03/05/2002)

03/05/2002		Remark: Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment (Exhibits A through K) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>170</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 03/06/2002)
03/06/2002	<u>171</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order canceling settlement hearing and staying case. The parties shall file a Joint Status Report on or before April 5, 2002 and every thirty days thereafter until otherwise ordered. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 03/06/2002)
03/26/2002	<u>172</u>	Joint AFFIDAVIT/DECLARATION of <i>Class Counsel in Support of Final Certification of Settlement Class and Final Approval of the Proposed Settlement</i> filed by John M Klamann on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1)(Klamann, John) (Entered: 03/26/2002)
03/26/2002	<u>173</u>	MEMORANDUM -- <i>Class Representatives' Brief in Support of Final Approval of Stipulation and Settlement Agreement, Certification of Settlement Class, and Entry of Consent Decree</i> filed by John M Klamann on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit)(Klamann, John) (Entered: 03/26/2002)
03/26/2002	<u>174</u>	MEMORANDUM -- <i>Class Representatives' Brief in Response to Objections</i> filed by John M Klamann on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice Regarding Exhibit)(Klamann, John) (Entered: 03/26/2002)
03/27/2002		Remark: (1 hard copy) Notice regarding exhibit attachments(Exhibits, Vol. 1 &2) received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>173</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 03/27/2002)
03/27/2002		Remark: (1 hard copy) Notice Regarding Exhibit Attachment received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>174</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 03/27/2002)
03/28/2002	<u>175</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order clarifying the Order dated March 6, 2002. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 03/28/2002)
04/05/2002	<u>176</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 04/05/2002)
04/08/2002	<u>177</u>	STATUS REPORT and <i>Reservation of Right to File Response if Stay is Lifted in the Future</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 04/08/2002)
04/09/2002	<u>178</u>	NOTICE OF ENDORSEMENT filed by Donna Harper on behalf of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Harper, Donna) (Entered: 04/09/2002)
04/11/2002	<u>179</u>	NOTICE OF ENDORSEMENT filed by Mary Anne Olwell Sedey on behalf of Impact Fund. (Related document(s) <u>176</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 04/12/2002)
04/12/2002	<u>180</u>	MOTION for attorney fees and <i>Suggestions in Support</i> filed by Gene P Graham Jr on behalf of Margaret Bunch. suggestions in opposition due by 4/29/2002. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> # <u>2</u>)(Graham, Gene) Modified on 2/13/2003 to terminate motion deadlines (Beard, Melanie). (Entered: 04/12/2002)
04/12/2002	<u>181</u>	SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT of <i>motion for interim approval of attorneys' fees and expenses</i> filed by Gene P Graham Jr on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 04/15/2002)
04/16/2002		Remark: (1 hard copy) Notice regarding exhibit attachment received in paper by court (Related documents(s) <u>180</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 04/16/2002)
04/16/2002	<u>182</u>	NOTICE OF ENDORSEMENT of <i>Joint Status Report</i> filed by Dan C Dargene on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Related document(s) <u>176</u>) (Kee, Georgia) (Entered: 04/17/2002)
04/24/2002	<u>183</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>NOTICE</i> filed by Charles W. German on behalf of Wilfong Plaintiffs. (German, Charles) (Entered: 04/24/2002)
05/06/2002	<u>184</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT filed by Sara Elizabeth Welch on behalf of all defendants. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 05/06/2002)
07/02/2002	<u>185</u>	Minute Entry Dated: 7/2/2002 MINUTE ENTRY (Larson, Susan) (Entered: 07/09/2002)

07/11/2002	<u>186</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT filed by Dirk L. Hubbard on behalf of Margaret Bunch. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A # <u>2</u> Exhibit B # <u>3</u> Exhibit C)(Hubbard, Dirk) Amended Exhibit A added on 7/12/2002 (Jones, Robin). (Entered: 07/11/2002)
07/11/2002		Remark: Amended Exhibit A was added to document #186 on 7/11/02. (Jones, Robin) (Entered: 07/12/2002)
07/12/2002	<u>187</u>	NOTICE OF ENDORSEMENT filed by Robert L. Driscoll on behalf of Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Driscoll, Robert) (Entered: 07/12/2002)
07/15/2002	<u>188</u>	ORDER issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Order approving supplemental ADR/Applicant Fund, approving communication with class members, and approving attorneys' fees of class counsel. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 07/15/2002)
09/24/2002	<u>189</u>	Order issued by Judge Ortrie Smith. Denying motion for leave to add objector without prejudice (Related Doc # <u>131</u>), granting motion to withdraw attorney (Related Doc # <u>152</u>), denying motion to strike without prejudice. (Related Doc # <u>159</u>) (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 09/24/2002)
12/10/2002	<u>190</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>Joint Status Report</i> by Margaret Bunch. (Hubbard, Dirk) (Entered: 12/10/2002)
12/11/2002	<u>191</u>	NOTICE of endorsement by Rent-A-Center, Inc. re <u>190</u> Status Report (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 12/11/2002)
12/13/2002	<u>192</u>	ORDER approving admendment of Supplemental ADR/Applicant Fund. Signed by Judge Ortrie D. Smith on 12/13/2002. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 12/16/2002)
03/31/2003	<u>193</u>	MANDATE of US COURT OF APPEALS as to <u>110</u> Notice of Appeal filed by Wilfong Plaintiffs: Joint motion for dismissal is granted. Issued: 03/12/2003. (Brogan, Shannon) (Entered: 03/31/2003)
08/06/2003	<u>194</u>	ORDER DECLARING INTENT TO DISMISS. Signed by Judge Ortrie D. Smith on 8/6/2003. (McIlvain, Kelly) (Entered: 08/06/2003)
08/20/2003	<u>195</u>	RESPONSE to order re <u>194</u> Order <i>Status Report</i> filed by Bert S Braud on behalf of Plaintiff Margaret Bunch. (Related document(s) <u>194</u>) (Braud, Bert) (Entered: 08/20/2003)
08/22/2003	<u>196</u>	STATUS REPORT by Rent-A-Center, Inc.. (Welch, Sara) (Entered: 08/22/2003)
11/13/2003	<u>197</u>	STATUS REPORT by Margaret Bunch. (Braud, Bert) (Entered: 11/13/2003)
11/24/2003	<u>198</u>	OBJECTIONS to Settlement filed by Denise Couplin. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A # <u>2</u> Exhibit B)(Henson, Tanya) (Entered: 11/26/2003)
11/24/2003	<u>199</u>	OBJECTIONS to Settlement filed by Earnestine H. Harris. (Henson, Tanya) (Entered: 11/26/2003)
12/05/2003	<u>200</u>	ORDER affirming Arbitrator's ruling. Signed by Judge Ortrie D. Smith on 12/05/2003. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 12/05/2003)
12/12/2003	<u>201</u>	ORDER clarifying and amending Order affirming Arbitrator's ruling. Signed by Judge Ortrie D. Smith on 12/12/2003. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 12/12/2003)
02/25/2004	<u>202</u>	ORDER OF DISMISSAL pursuant to parties' settlement agreement. (Will-Fees, Eva) (Entered: 02/26/2004)