

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**CITIZENS FOR RESPONSIBILITY AND
ETHICS IN WASHINGTON**

1101 K Street, NW, Suite 201
Washington, D.C. 20005

Plaintiff,

v.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT
OF JUSTICE**

950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20530

Defendant.

Civ. Action No. 1:19-cv-03626 (DLF)

NOTICE

On July 1, 2021, the Attorney General directed a review of the Department of Justice’s policies and procedures regarding the administration of existing federal laws governing capital sentences, and imposed a moratorium on federal executions during the pendency of that review. Defendant is considering whether (and if so, how), these developments affect any arguments Defendant has presented in this litigation. Defendant hereby notifies the Court and Plaintiff that by July 23, 2021, Defendant will inform them of any effect of these developments on Defendant’s legal arguments or the application of any FOIA exemptions in this matter.

July 9, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I filed the foregoing Notice with the Clerk of the Court through the ECF system on July 9, 2021. This system provided a copy to and effected service of this document on all parties.

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