

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF NextGen 1.8 (rev. 1.8.1)
Eastern Division**

Ben Baker, et al.

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:16-cv-08940

Honorable Franklin U. Valderrama

City of Chicago, et al.

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Monday, October 14, 2024:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Franklin U. Valderrama: For the reasons stated in the motion, the Court grants Plaintiffs unopposed motion for leave to file extra-length brief and additional statements of material fact in response to Defendants motions for summary judgment, as well to file under seal [422]. Plaintiffs may file an omnibus response brief that is 141 pages long, as well as a Statement of Additional Material Facts that contains 327 paragraphs, in response to Defendants motions for summary judgment. Similar to what the Court has previously advised the parties (see [402], [417]), given the timing and length of the summary judgment briefs, it is likely the Court will not be able to issue decisions on the summary judgment motions until the eve of trial. Additionally, Plaintiffs summary judgment materials may remain under seal to allow the federal government time to review the motion to determine whether it believes that anything should be redacted before the brief is filed publicly. The Court directs Plaintiffs to provide their summary judgment materials to AUSA Don Lorenzen to determine the governments position as to redactions. The Court will provide a deadline for filing of the redacted version once it reviews the parties status report regarding the Governments position statement, which is due 10/17/2024. Mailed notice. (jcm)

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