

**U.S. District Court  
District of Connecticut (New Haven)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 3:20-cv-00623-JCH**

Gottlieb et al v. Lamont et al  
Assigned to: Judge Janet C. Hall  
Cause: 42:1983 Civil Rights Act

Date Filed: 05/06/2020  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 950 Constitutional – State Statute  
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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similarly situated*

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
05/06/2020	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT <i>for Class Action Declaratory &amp; Injunctive Relief</i> against Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill ( Filing fee \$400 receipt number CCTDC-5841845.), filed by Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb.(Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>2</u>	NOTICE of Related Case by All Plaintiffs (Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020		Judge Janet C. Hall added. (Nuzzi, Tiffany) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>3</u>	Order on Pretrial Deadlines: Amended Pleadings due by 7/5/2020. Discovery due by 11/5/2020. Dispositive Motions due by 12/10/2020. Signed by Clerk on 5/6/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>4</u>	ELECTRONIC FILING ORDER FOR COUNSEL – PLEASE ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH COURTESY COPY REQUIREMENTS IN THIS ORDER Signed by Judge Janet C. Hall on 5/6/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>5</u>	STANDING PROTECTIVE ORDER Signed by Judge Janet C. Hall on 5/6/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>6</u>	Standing Order re: Discovery Signed by Judge Janet C. Hall on 5/6/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/06/2020)
05/06/2020	<u>7</u>	NOTICE TO COUNSEL/SELF-REPRESENTED PARTIES : Counsel or self-represented parties initiating or removing this action are responsible for serving all parties with attached documents and copies of <u>1</u> Complaint filed by Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, <u>2</u> Notice of Related Case filed by Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, <u>3</u> Order on Pretrial Deadlines, <u>4</u> Electronic Filing Order, <u>5</u> Standing Protective Order, <u>6</u> Standing Order re: Discovery Signed by Clerk on 5/6/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/06/2020)

05/12/2020	<u>8</u>	AMENDED COMPLAINT <i>for Class Action Declaratory and Injunctive Relief</i> against All Defendants, filed by Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere, Jason W. Bartlett.(Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020	<u>9</u>	MOTION for Preliminary Injunction (), MOTION for Declaratory Judgment () by Jason W. Bartlett, Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere.Responses due by 6/2/2020 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support, # <u>2</u> Affidavit Exhibit A – Gottlieb, # <u>3</u> Affidavit Exhibit B – Bartlett, # <u>4</u> Affidavit Exhibit C – Lacourciere)(Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020	<u>10</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Maura Murphy–Osborne on behalf of Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill (Murphy–Osborne, Maura) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020		Request for Clerk to issue summons as to All Defendants. (Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020	<u>11</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Alma Rose Nunley on behalf of Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill (Nunley, Alma) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/12/2020	<u>12</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Michael Skold on behalf of Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill (Skold, Michael) (Entered: 05/12/2020)
05/13/2020	<u>13</u>	ELECTRONIC SUMMONS ISSUED in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 and LR 4 as to *Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill* with answer to complaint due within *21* days. Attorney * Alexander T. Taubes* *470 James Street, Suite 007* *New Haven, CT 06513*. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/13/2020)
05/18/2020	<u>14</u>	MOTION to Certify Class <i>as to First Claim</i> by Jason W. Bartlett, Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere.Responses due by 6/8/2020 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Memorandum in Support)(Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/18/2020)
05/18/2020	<u>15</u>	MOTION for Status Conference re <u>9</u> Motion for Preliminary Injunction and <u>14</u> MOTION to Certify Class as to First Claim – NOTICE by Jason W. Bartlett, Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere <i>Letter to the Court</i> (Taubes, Alexander) Modified on 5/19/2020 to change event to a motion and edit docket text (Reis, Julia). (Entered: 05/18/2020)
05/19/2020	<u>16</u>	ORDER granting <u>15</u> Motion for Status Conference. SO ORDERED by Judge Janet C. Hall on 5/19/2020. (DeRubeis, B.) (Entered: 05/19/2020)
05/19/2020	<u>17</u>	NOTICE OF E–FILED CALENDAR: THIS IS THE ONLY NOTICE COUNSEL/THE PARTIES WILL RECEIVE. ALL PERSONS ENTERING THE COURTHOUSE MUST PRESENT PHOTO IDENTIFICATION. Telephonic Status Conference set for 5/22/2020 03:00 PM in Chambers Room 107, 141 Church St., New Haven, CT before Judge Janet C. Hall. Counsel are requested to participate in this conference, via telephone. Please use the following dial–in for this call: 1–877–873–8017; Access Code: 6415663#. (DeRubeis, B.) (Entered: 05/19/2020)
05/20/2020	<u>18</u>	AFFIDAVIT of Service for Complaint and Summons <i>by State Marshal Holly A. Bryk</i> , served on Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill on 5/19/2020, filed by Jason W. Bartlett, Lorna Chand, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere. (Taubes, Alexander) (Entered: 05/20/2020)
05/20/2020	<u>20</u>	Document <u>18</u> Corrected: SUMMONS Returned Executed by Lorna Chand, Jason W. Bartlett, Andy Gottlieb, Richard Lacourciere. Ned Lamont served on 5/19/2020, answer due 6/9/2020; Denise Merrill served on 5/19/2020, answer due 6/9/2020. (Reis, Julia) (Entered: 05/21/2020)
05/21/2020	<u>19</u>	NOTICE by Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill <i>Notice of Executive Order No. 7QQ</i> (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1)(Murphy–Osborne, Maura) (Entered: 05/21/2020)
05/22/2020	<u>21</u>	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Judge Janet C. Hall: Telephonic Status Conference held on 5/22/2020. The Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. No. 9) is due on June 2, 2020, and the Plaintiff's Reply, if any, is due by noon on June 5, 2020. Total time: 40 minutes. (Court Reporter Terri Fidanza.) (DeRubeis, B.) (Entered: 05/22/2020)
05/22/2020	<u>22</u>	Amended Briefing Schedule re <u>9</u> MOTION for Preliminary Injunction: At the telephonic conference today 5/22/2020, given that the plaintiff indicated he could file a

		<p>reply in 24 hours, and given that the court plans to schedule oral argument on plaintiff's Motion on June 5, the court amends its briefing schedule. The defendant's opposition is due by noon on June 2, and plaintiff's reply is due by noon on June 3. Absent a reply, plaintiff will have an opportunity to raise such issues at oral argument on June 5.</p> <p>SO ORDERED by Judge Janet C. Hall on 5/22/2020.(DeRubeis, B.) (Entered: 05/22/2020)</p>
05/22/2020	23	<p>NOTICE OF E-FILED CALENDAR: THIS IS THE ONLY NOTICE COUNSEL/THE PARTIES WILL RECEIVE. ALL PERSONS ENTERING THE COURTHOUSE MUST PRESENT PHOTO IDENTIFICATION. Oral argument re: <u>9</u> Motion for Preliminary Injunction set for 6/5/2020 10:00 AM in Courtroom One, 141 Church St., New Haven, CT before Judge Janet C. Hall. This hearing will be held via video conference. Technical details for connecting to the conference will docket separately. (DeRubeis, B.) (Entered: 05/22/2020)</p>
05/27/2020	<u>24</u>	<p>MOTION for Extension of Time until July 9, 2020 To file their answer and to respond to the motion for class certification, ECF No. 14 <u>14</u> MOTION to Certify Class <i>as to First Claim</i> by Ned Lamont, Denise Merrill. (Murphy-Osborne, Maura) (Entered: 05/27/2020)</p>