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**U.S. District Court
Southern District of New York (Foley Square)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:99-cv-05197-DC-THK**

E.E.O.C. v. Bell Atlantic Corp., et al
Assigned to: Judge Denny Chin
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz
Demand: \$0
Related Case: 1:97-cv-06723-DC-THK
Cause: 42:2000e Job Discrimination (Employment)

Date Filed: 07/16/1999
Date Terminated: 10/10/2002
Jury Demand: Plaintiff
Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Plaintiff

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formerly known as
Bell Atlantic Nynex Mobile, Inc.

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
07/16/1999	1	COMPLAINT filed; Summons issued and Notice pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 636(c); (No Fees Due – U.S.A.). (em) (Entered: 07/19/1999)
07/16/1999		Magistrate Judge Kevin M. Fox is so Designated. (em) (Entered: 07/19/1999)
09/17/1999	2	NOTICE OF MOTION by Bell Atlantic Corp., NYNEX Corporation, New York Telephone, Empire City Subway, New England Tel., Telesector Resources, NYNEX Information, NYNEX Mobile Comm., Bell Atlantic Mobile to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety . Return date 9/17/99. (lam) (Entered: 09/20/1999)
09/17/1999	3	MEMORANDUM by Bell Atlantic Corp., NYNEX Corporation, New York Telephone, Empire City Subway, New England Tel., Telesector Resources, NYNEX Information, NYNEX Mobile Comm., Bell Atlantic Mobile in support of [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety (lam) (Entered: 09/20/1999)
09/17/1999	4	AFFIDAVIT of Christopher A. Parlo, atty for Bell Atlantic Corp., NYNEX Corporation, New York Telephone, Empire City Subway, New England Tel., Telesector Resources, NYNEX Information, NYNEX Mobile Comm., Bell Atlantic Mobile in support Re: [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety . (lam) (Entered: 09/20/1999)
10/20/1999	5	MEMORANDUM & ORDER, this case involves similar parties and legal issues as EEOC v. Bell Atlantic Corp. et al., 97 Civ. 6723 (DC). Therefore, with Judge Chin's consent, we hereby transfer the instant case to him as a related case (signed by Judge Whitman Knapp); Copies mailed. (Sent copy of document to Case

		Assignment Clerk) (kw) Modified on 10/21/1999 (Entered: 10/21/1999)
10/22/1999	6	Notice of reassignment to Judge Denny Chin Copy of notice and judge's rules mailed to Attorney(s) of record: Luis Quinto, James L. Lee, Gwendolyn Young Reams, C. Gregory Stewart, Elizabeth A. Grossman . (bm) (Entered: 11/03/1999)
10/22/1999		Case accepted as related to 1:97cv 6723. Notice of assignment to follow. (bm) (Entered: 11/03/1999)
12/15/1999	7	Memo-Endorsement on letter addressed to Judge Chin from Adela P. Santos, dated 12/13/99; granting counsel for the plttf's request for an extension of time, until 12/22/99 to file its opposition to defts [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety ; also granting the request that the defts reply to the [2-1] motion be extended to 1/19/00 . (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (jp) Modified on 12/20/1999 (Entered: 12/16/1999)
12/27/1999	8	MEMORANDUM OF LAW by E.E.O.C. in opposition to [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety (pl) (Entered: 12/28/1999)
01/11/2000	9	Memo-Endorsement on letter addressed to Judge Chin from Christopher A. Parlo, dated 1/6/00; defendants reply to to motion reset to 1/26/00 for [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety . (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (pl) (Entered: 01/12/2000)
01/28/2000	10	Memo-Endorsement on copy of letter addressed to Judge Chin from Christopher A. Parlo, dated 01/26/00; defendant's Reply to Response to Motion reset to 1/31/00 for [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety . (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (dj) (Entered: 01/31/2000)
01/31/2000	11	REPLY MEMORANDUM by Bell Atlantic Corp., NYNEX Corporation, New York Telephone, Empire City Subway, New England Tel., Telesector Resources, NYNEX Information, NYNEX Mobile Comm., Bell Atlantic Mobile re: [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety (cd) (Entered: 02/01/2000)
02/04/2000	12	Memo-Endorsement on letter addressed to Judge Chin from Adela P. Santos, dated 2/2/00. Re: EEOC requests that it be allowed until 2/29/00 to file a response to defts' Reply Memorandum of Law in Support of their Motion to Dismiss this case; Application Denied. If the Court wants a surreply, it will request one ; (signed by Judge Denny Chin); copies mailed (ls) (Entered: 02/04/2000)
03/21/2000		Order that case be referred to the Clerk of Court for assignment to a Magistrate Judge for settlement (signed by Judge Denny Chin) Referred to Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (Original document filed under 97 cv 6723 as Doc. #50) (sn) (Entered: 03/22/2000)
04/18/2000	13	Order that case be referred to the Clerk of Court for assignment to a Magistrate Judge for Settlement. (signed by Judge Denny Chin) Referred to Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz . (jp) (Entered: 04/19/2000)
05/31/2000		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (jp) (Entered: 06/05/2000)
06/01/2000		Memo-Endorsement on letter addressed to Judge Chin from Christopher A. Parlo, dated 5/25/00; granting counsel for the parties request for a brief extension of discovery, until 7/31/00 . (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. Original document filed under case number 97 cv 6723, document number 51. (jp) (Entered: 06/02/2000)
06/06/2000		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz . (jp) (Entered: 06/09/2000)
06/06/2000		Settlement Conference set on 10:30 a.m. on 6/19/00 before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (jp) (Entered: 06/09/2000)
06/19/2000		Settlement Telephone Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (lf) (Entered: 06/23/2000)
06/27/2000		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (lf) (Entered: 06/30/2000)

07/21/2000	14	ORDER; denying [2-1] motion to dismiss the claim of plttf in its entirety. (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (sac) (Entered: 07/24/2000)
07/24/2000	15	Memo endorsed on defendants' motion to dismiss (duplicate original); Motion denied by order dated 07/19/00 ; (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (dj) Modified on 07/24/2000 (Entered: 07/24/2000)
10/26/2000		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (lf) (Entered: 10/30/2000)
11/16/2000		Settlement Conference (Telephone) held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (lf) (Entered: 11/20/2000)
12/19/2000		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (jp) (Entered: 12/21/2000)
05/17/2001		ORDER, by 12:00 pm on 5/23/01, the parties shall provide the Court with a summary of any issues still outstanding in the settlement discussions ; set settlement conference for 3:30 5/24/01; the parties must come with authority to settle any unresolved issues (signed by Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz); Copies mailed. (orig doc. filed in related case #07cv6723, doc. #55) (lam) (Entered: 05/21/2001)
05/24/2001		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (sac) (Entered: 05/31/2001)
06/06/2001		Settlement Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz . (cd) (Entered: 06/11/2001)
06/06/2001		Settlement (Telephone) Conference held before Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz. (sac) (Entered: 06/11/2001)
02/28/2002		CONSENT DECREE/ORDER, regarding the terms of the settlement between the parties ; the fairness hearing is scheduled for 9/13/02 at 9:30 a.m. (signed by Judge Denny Chin); Copies mailed. (Original entry is docketed in 97 civ. 6723 as doc. #59). (kw) (Entered: 03/04/2002)
09/10/2002		AFFIDAVIT of Adela Santos by E.E.O.C. in support of the fairness of the consent decree and fianl approval of the proposed settlement. Original document filed in case #97cv6723, document #64. (dle) (Entered: 09/16/2002)
10/09/2002		MEMORANDUM DECISION, that looking at all the factors and taking into consideration the objections and the process through which this settlement was obtained, the Court finds that this settlement on balance meets all the criteria for approval. As I find that this is a fair, adequate, and reasonable settlement of these cases, the settlement is approved. Judgment will be entered accordingly. The cases shall be closed . (signed by Judge Denny Chin); FORWARDED DOCUMENT TO JUDGMENT CLERK. Original entered in case #97cv6723(DC), doc. #71. (tp) (Entered: 10/11/2002)
10/10/2002		ORDER AND FINAL JUDGMENT APPROVING SETTLEMENT; To the extent defined in the Consent Decree dated 2/28/02, the terms in this order shall have the meanings set forth therein; the notice of proposed settlement, consent decree and fairness hearing having been duly mailed to the putative class members and additional publication notice having been given in the publications titled "Verizon and You" and "Eyes on You" the court determines that due and adequate notice of the proposed settlement has been provided to the class members, and that full opportunity has been given to the class members to participate in the fairness hearing on 9/13/02; the consent decree and the terms of the settlement as described in the consent decree are approved and confirmed as being fair, reasonable and adequate to all class members. The parties are hereby directed to proceed with and to implement the consent decree in accordance with its terms as further set forth in this order; the Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purposes of effectuating and supervising the enforcement, interpretation and implementation of the consent decree and the terms of this order and final judgment approving settlement, including entry of such further orders as may be necessary and appropriate. The Clerk of the Court is directed to enter this order as a final judgment pursuant to FRCP 41(a)(2) dismissing this action with prejudice. (signed

		by Judge Denny Chin); Mailed copies and notice of right to appeal. Entered On Docket: 10/21/02. Original document filed in case #97cv6723, document #73. (dle) Modified on 10/22/2002 (Entered: 10/21/2002)
10/10/2002		Case closed. (dle) (Entered: 10/21/2002)
01/13/2003		Received returned mail re: [0-1] judgment order . Mail was addressed to James L. Lee at 7 World Trade Center and was returned for the following reason(s): not deliverable as addressed. (gmo) (Entered: 01/13/2003)
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