

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT  
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DATE May 13, 1986

/ Harold Weisberg  
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/ Dist.Ct.Civil No. 78-00420

US Ct. of Appeals No.

86-5290

/ Re: Harold Weisberg v. FBI, et al.

Copies of the notice of appeal and docket entries in the above-entitled case have been transmitted from the District Court. The appeal was docketed in this Court on this date pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 12(a). The appeal has been assigned the indicated docket number. All filings must contain this docket number as well as the signature of at least one member of the Bar of this Court, the firm name, address and telephone number.

Pursuant to General Rule 7(d), each appellant is required to file an original and three copies of a docketing statement within 20 days from the date this letter. If appellant does not intend to pursue this appeal, a motion to dismiss should be filed as soon as possible, and in any event not later than the date established for filing of the docketing statement.

Effective January 1, 1984, and pursuant to a general order of this Court, the Clerk of the District Court will not automatically transmit the record in civil cases on appeal to this Court. The time for filing appellant's brief ordinarily will not be less than 80 days from the date the case was docketed. That date is indicated above. The same time frames for briefing contemplated by the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure will be applicable.

Your attention is directed to Rule 10 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure concerning the preparation of any transcript deemed necessary. Docketing statements are to indicate the date upon which any transcripts were ordered.

A form for entering the appearance of counsel is enclosed. This form should be completed and returned to this office as soon as possible and in no event later than the filing of the docket statement.

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Please read the attachments carefully. They deal with recent revisions to the General Rules of this Court with which counsel may not be familiar. Your attention is especially directed to the attached copies of Rule 8 and 9(a).

Very truly yours,

*George A. Fisher*

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Enclosures