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## US Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit Case Summary

Court of Appeals Docket #: 05-8006

Filed: 3/11/05

Nsuit: 0

Caterpillar, Inc v. EEOC

Appeal from: United States District Court

Lower court information:

District: 0752-1 :

Ordering Judge: Rebecca R. Pallmeyer, Judge

3/11/05            Petition for Permission to appeal pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1292(b) docketed. (District Court case no. 03 C 5636). [05-8006] [0-0] (hard)

3/11/05            Disclosure Statement filed by attorney Jason M. Torres for the petitioner Caterpillar, Inc. [05-8006] [1837153-1] (hard)

3/16/05            ORDER: Filed clerk's notice to Respondent EEOC to file a response to CATERPILLAR'S PETITION FOR PERMISSION TO APPEAL PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. SECTION 1292(b). [0-0] DMF [05-8006] Response due 4/5/05 for EEOC. (amyd)

3/16/05            Disclosure Statement filed by Jennifer S. Goldstein for Respondent EEOC. [05-8006] [1837153-1] (amyd)

3/16/05            Filed motion by Respondent EEOC to extend time. [1838444-1] [05-8006] (amyd)

3/18/05            ORDER issued GRANTING motion to extend time to file response. [1838444-1] DMF [05-8006] The response to the Petition for Review is due on or before 4/5/05 for EEOC. (kell)

4/5/05            Filed Respondent EEOC opposition to Petitioner Caterpillar Inc petition for permission to appeal under 28 U.S.C. 1292(b). [05-8006] [1837153-1] (amyd)

5/27/05            Filed opinion of the court by Judge Posner. We GRANT leave to appeal, and proceed to answer her [Judge Pallmeyer's] question. If courts may not limit a suit by the EEOC to claims made in the administrative charge, they likewise have no business limiting the suit to claims that the court finds to be supported by the evidence obtained in the Commission's investigation. The existence of probable cause to sue is generally and in this instance not judicially reviewable. Circuit Judge Richard A. Posner, Circuit Judge Frank H. Easterbrook, Circuit Judge Ilana D. Rovner. [05-8006] [1837153-1] (jame)

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