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**U.S. District Court  
Northern District of Texas (Amarillo)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:01-cv-00245**

EEOC v. Ron Clark Ford Inc  
Assigned to: Judge Sam R Cummings  
Demand: \$0  
Cause: 42:1981 Sex Discrimination

Date Filed: 06/27/2001  
Jury Demand: Plaintiff  
Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Plaintiff

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<b>Date Filed</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Docket Text</b>
06/27/2001	<a href="#">1</a>	COMPLAINT filed; (6) (djs) (Entered: 06/27/2001)
06/27/2001	1	DEMAND for jury trial by plaintiff EEOC (djs) (Entered: 06/27/2001)
06/27/2001	2	SUMMONS(ES) issued for defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc (1) (djs) (Entered: 06/27/2001)
06/29/2001	3	CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PERSONS by EEOC (2) (plh) (Entered: 06/29/2001)
07/03/2001	<a href="#">4</a>	ORDER - I hereby recuse in the above entitled and numbered cause. ( Signed by Judge Mary L. Robinson ) Copies to counsel: 7/3/01 Page(s) 1 (plh) (Entered: 07/03/2001)
07/10/2001	5	COURT REQUEST FOR RECUSAL. Case reassigned to Judge Sam R. Cummings ( signed by Judge Mary Lou Robinson) (1) (plh) (Entered: 07/10/2001)
07/12/2001	<a href="#">6</a>	ORDER OF RECUSAL - Ordered that this case be, and the same hereby is assigned to the docket of the Honorable Sam R. Cummings, US Dist Judge and should reflect the following case number 2:01-cv-245-C. ( signed by Chief Judge Buchmeyer) Copies to counsel: 7/11/01 Page(s): 1 (plh) (Entered: 07/12/2001)
07/23/2001	7	U N F I L E D (per Order 7/25/01) ANSWER to Complaint by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc (Attorney Vance Edward Ivy) (4) (nod) (jeh) Modified on 07/25/2001 (Entered: 07/23/2001)
07/25/2001	<a href="#">8</a>	ORDER unfiled [7-1] answer by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc due to the following deficiency: The document requires a separately signed certificate of interested persons. Copies to counsel: 7/25/01 (signed by

		Judge Sam R Cummings ) Page(s) 1 (jeh) (Entered: 07/25/2001)
07/25/2001	9	ANSWER to Complaint by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc (4) (jeh) (Entered: 07/25/2001)
07/25/2001	10	CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PERSONS by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc (2) (jeh) (Entered: 07/25/2001)
07/27/2001	<a href="#">11</a>	ORDER setting Joining of Parties on 3:00 10/15/01; Amending of Pleadings on 3:00 10/15/01; Discovery cutoff 3:00 5/15/02; Deadline for filing of all pretrial motions, including motions for summary judgment, must be filed with supporting briefs, 3:00 3/15/02; Pretrial materials, designation of experts, due on 3:00 1/15/02; Parties are not required to make initial disclosures under Rule 26(a)(1), FRCP; ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 7/27/01 Page(s): 2 (jeh) (Entered: 07/27/2001)
08/06/2001	12	RETURN OF SERVICE executed as to Ron Clark Ford Inc 7/5/01 Answer due on 7/25/01 for Ron Clark Ford Inc (2) (plh) (Entered: 08/06/2001)
08/10/2001	13	NOTICE of attorney appearance for Ron Clark Ford Inc by Lynn Fielder (3) (plh) Modified on 08/13/2001 (Entered: 08/10/2001)
10/15/2001	14	MOTION by Ron Clark Ford Inc for leave to amend [9-1] original answer (10) (plh) (Entered: 10/15/2001)
10/15/2001	15	BRIEF by Ron Clark Ford Inc in support of [14-1] motion for leave to amend [9-1] original answer (6) (plh) (Entered: 10/15/2001)
10/16/2001	<a href="#">16</a>	ORDER denying [14-1] motion for leave to amend [9-1] original answer. Denied for failing to comply with LR 7.1(a) and (b). ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 10/17/01 Page(s) 1 (plh) (Entered: 10/17/2001)
10/17/2001	17	MOTION by William Blount, Joe Charles, John nmi Crawford to intervene by William Blount, Joe Charles, John nmi Crawford (11) (plh) (Entered: 10/17/2001)
10/17/2001	18	BRIEF by William Blount, Joe Charles, John nmi Crawford in support of [17-1] motion to intervene by William Blount, Joe Charles, John nmi Crawford (3) (plh) (Entered: 10/17/2001)
10/18/2001	<a href="#">19</a>	ORDER granting [17-1] motion to intervene by William Blount, Joe Charles, John nmi Crawford. Movants are directed to file with the Clerk Exhibit "A" attached to the motion and serve a file marked copy of such Original Complaint in Intervention on Counsel of Record within 15 days of the date of entry of this Order. ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 10/18/01 Page(s) 1 (plh) (Entered: 10/18/2001)
10/19/2001	20	Intervenor's COMPLAINT by William Blount, Joe Charles and John Crawford against Ron Clark Ford Inc (7) (plh) (Entered: 10/19/2001)
11/01/2001	21	MOTION by Ron Clark Ford Inc to reconsider motion for leave to file

		amended original answer (9) (plh) (Entered: 11/01/2001)
11/02/2001	<a href="#">22</a>	ORDER granting [21-1] motion to reconsider motion for leave to file amended original answer ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 11/2/01 Page(s) 2 (plh) (Entered: 11/02/2001)
11/02/2001	23	FIRST AMENDED ANSWER to Complaint by Ron Clark Ford Inc : amends [9-1] answer (5) (plh) (Entered: 11/02/2001)
11/19/2001	24	ORIGINAL ANSWER by Ron Clark Ford Inc to [20-1] intervenor complaint (8) (plh) (Entered: 11/19/2001)
12/20/2001	25	MOTION by Ron Clark Ford Inc for Vance Edward Ivy to withdraw as attorney (4) (plh) (Entered: 12/20/2001)
12/26/2001	<a href="#">26</a>	ORDER GRANTING WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL granting [25-1] motion for Vance Edward Ivy to withdraw as attorney (Terminated attorney Vance Edward Ivy for Ron Clark Ford Inc) (Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 12/26/01 Page(s) 2 (djs) (Entered: 12/26/2001)
01/14/2002	27	Designation of Experts by Ron Clark Ford Inc (3) (plh) (Entered: 01/14/2002)
03/12/2002	28	MOTION by Ron Clark Ford Inc to compel (5) (plh) (Entered: 03/12/2002)
03/12/2002	29	BRIEF by Ron Clark Ford Inc in support of [28-1] motion to compel (91) (plh) (Entered: 03/12/2002)
03/15/2002	30	AGREED MOTION to extend time of the discovery deadline by defendant, plaintiff, intervenor-plaintiff, intervenor-defendant (3) (djs) Modified on 03/18/2002 (Entered: 03/15/2002)
03/15/2002	31	MOTION by plaintiff, intervenor-plaintiffs for partial summary judgment (6) (djs) Modified on 03/18/2002 (Entered: 03/15/2002)
03/15/2002	32	MEMORANDUM by plaintiff, intervenor-plaintiffs in support of [31-1] motion for partial summary judgment (10) (djs) Modified on 03/18/2002 (Entered: 03/15/2002)
03/15/2002	33	APPENDIX by plaintiff, intervenor-plaintiff in support of [31-1] motion for partial summary judgment (66) (djs) Modified on 03/18/2002 (Entered: 03/15/2002)
03/19/2002	<a href="#">34</a>	ORDER granting [30-1] joint motion to extend time of the discovery deadline resetting scheduling order deadlines: Discovery deadline on 6/15/02 ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 3/19/02 Page(s) 1 (plh) (Entered: 03/19/2002)
03/29/2002	35	RESPONSE (BRIEF IN RESPONSE OF ITS RESPONSE IN OPPOSTION) by EEOC to [28-1] motion to compel (19) (plh) (Entered: 03/29/2002)
04/18/2002	<a href="#">36</a>	ORDER granting [31-1] motion for partial summary judgment. Afer

		<p>reviewing the evidence presented to the Court, the Court is satisfied that all conditions precedent to filing a suit under Title VII have been satisfied. Pltf's and Intevenor's Motion for Partial S/J on this issue is granted. Additionally after reviewing the evidence before the Court, Pltfs and Intervenors met all the applicable time limitations contained within 42 USC Section 2000e. Pltf's and Intervenor's Motion for Partial S/J is granted. The evidence before the Court establishes that conciliation efforts in this case failed on 4/18/02 and suit was filed on 6/27/01. The court finds that no unreasonable delay resulted. Pltfs' and Intervenors' Motion for Partial S/J on this issue is granted. In this suit, Pltfs' and Intervenors' claims are not based on the Dft's alleged negligence. Accordingly, recovery is not foreclosed by the Texas Workers Compensation Act. Pltfs' and Intervenors' Motion for Partial S/J on this issue is granted. All relief not expressly granted is denied. ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 4/18/02 Page(s) 5 (plh) (Entered: 04/18/2002)</p>
04/18/2002	<a href="#">37</a>	<p>ORDER granting [28-1] motion to compel. The Court Orders that Pltf shall provide to Dft copies of all documents responsive to Request for Production No. 11. These documents shall be delivered by 3:00 pm on Thursday, May 9, 2002, to Dft's counsel. ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 4/18/02 Page(s) 1 (plh) (Entered: 04/18/2002)</p>
04/25/2002	38	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 4/23/02 as to Richard Epps for taking of deposition on 4/26/02 at 1:30 (2) (plh) (Entered: 04/25/2002)</p>
04/30/2002	39	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 4/29/02 as to subpoena for Brad Cook for taking of deposition on 5/9/02 at 9:00 (2) (plh) (Entered: 04/30/2002)</p>
04/30/2002	40	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 4/29/02 as to subpoena issued to Ace Meason for taking of deposition on 5/1/02 at 9:00 (2) (plh) (Entered: 04/30/2002)</p>
05/06/2002	41	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/1/02 as to subpoena issued to Chris Buttram for deposition to be taken on 5/9/02 at 2:30 pm (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/06/2002)</p>
05/06/2002	42	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/1/02 as to subpoena issued to Aaron Babbitt for deposition to be taken on 5/10/02 at 9:00 am (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/06/2002)</p>
05/06/2002	43	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/2/02 as to subpoena issued to Dee Alonzo for deposition to be taken on 5/8/02 at 9:00 am (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/06/2002)</p>
05/06/2002	44	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/3/02 as to subpoena issued to Randy Clark for deposition on 5/7/02 at 9:00 am (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/06/2002)</p>
05/29/2002	45	<p>RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/28/02 as to subpoena issued to Mike Case for taking of deposition on 5/31/02 at 9:30 am (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/29/2002)</p>

05/29/2002	46	RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/28/02 as to subpoena issued to Phillip Vaughn for taking of deposition on 6/3/02 at 9:30 am (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/29/2002)
05/29/2002	47	RETURN OF SERVICE executed 5/29/02 as to subpoena issued to Rick Owens for taking of deposition on 5/31/02 at 1:00 pm (2) (plh) (Entered: 05/29/2002)
06/04/2002	48	MOTION with brief in support by EEOC to quash , for protective order , and for expedited hearing (137) (Bound Separately) (plh) (Entered: 06/04/2002)
06/06/2002	<a href="#">49</a>	ORDER Response to motion reset to 9:00 6/14/02 for [48-1] motion to quash, reset to 9:00 6/14/02 for [48-2] motion for protective order No reply will be considered. (Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 6/6/02 Page(s) 1 (jeh) (Entered: 06/06/2002)
06/07/2002	50	RESPONSE by interested party Scicron Technologies in opposition to notice of intention to take deposition by written question (11) (djs) (Entered: 06/07/2002)
06/13/2002	51	RESPONSE AND BRIEF IN SUPPORT by Ron Clark Ford Inc to [48-1] motion to quash, [48-2] motion for protective order (110) (plh) (Entered: 06/13/2002)
06/21/2002	<a href="#">52</a>	ORDER denying [48-1] motion to quash, denying [48-2] motion for protective order, denying [48-3] motion for expedited hearing. The deadline to produce all records shall be extended to 7/22/02 (Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings) Copies to counsel: 6/21/02 Page(s) 2 (djs) (Entered: 06/21/2002)
08/13/2002	<a href="#">53</a>	PRETRIAL NOTICE AND ORDER setting Jury trial for 9:00 11/18/02 At least 30 days before the scheduled date for trial each counsel shall file with the Clerk and serve on opposing counsel proposed jury instructions and issues in the jury cases, and proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law, any trial briefs that counsel may desire to present to the Court, deposition summaries and the proposed pretrial order. Each party shall provide to the other parties the information described under Rule 26(a)(3) FRCP. Such disclosures shall be made at least 30 days before scheduled date for trial. ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 8/13/02 Page(s) 3 (plh) (Entered: 08/13/2002)
10/04/2002	54	MOTION by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc to compel production of subpoena pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 45(c)(2)(b) (11) (jeh) (Entered: 10/04/2002)
10/04/2002	55	MEMORANDUM by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc in support of [54-1] motion to compel production of subpoena pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 45(c)(2)(b) (68) (jeh) (Entered: 10/04/2002)
10/07/2002	<a href="#">56</a>	ORDER Response to motion reset to 9:00 10/17/02 for [54-1] motion to compel production of subpoena pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 45(c)(2)(b) No reply will be considered. (Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings) Copies to

		counsel: 10/8/02 Page(s) 1 (jeh) (Entered: 10/08/2002)
10/08/2002	57	RESPONSE by interested party Scicron Technologies to [54-1] motion to compel production of subpoena pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 45(c)(2)(b) (6) (jeh) (Entered: 10/08/2002)
10/09/2002	58	JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND PRETRIAL DEADLINE to extend time in the Pretrial Notice and Order entered 8/13/02 by defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc, plaintiff EEOC, intervenor-plaintiff William Blount, intervenor-plaintiff Joe Charles, intervenor-plaintiff John nmi Crawford, intervenor-defendant Ron Clark Ford Inc (3) (jeh) (Entered: 10/09/2002)
10/10/2002	<a href="#">59</a>	ORDER TO EXTEND PRETRIAL DEADLINE granting [58-1] joint motion to extend time in the Pretrial Notice and Order entered 8/13/02 ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 10/10/02 Page (s) 1 (jeh) (Entered: 10/10/2002)
10/18/2002	<a href="#">60</a>	ORDER - The parties have indicated to the Court that they have settled this case. Accordingly, this case is administratively closed without prejudice to its being reopened to enter an order of dismissal or to enter other orders if the settlement is not consummated. Counsel are to file the papers necessary to dismiss this action on or before 30 days from the date of this order. (Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 10/18/02 Page(s) 1 (jeh) (Entered: 10/18/2002)
10/24/2002	<a href="#">61</a>	CONSENT DECREE ORDER (see order for specifics) ( Signed by Judge Sam R. Cummings ) Copies to counsel: 10/24/02 Page(s) 14 (jeh) (Entered: 10/24/2002)
10/24/2002		Case closed (jeh) (Entered: 10/24/2002)

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