

# Watchdog Group Denied Depositions in Third Clinton Email Case

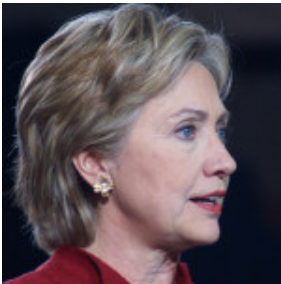


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A conservative watchdog group was temporarily blocked on Tuesday from interviewing former State Department officials under oath in what would have been the third lawsuit over Hillary Clinton's emails to progress to that stage, *The Hill* is reporting.

The ruling delays Judicial Watch's effort to interview officials as part of an open records lawsuit related to Clinton's use of a private server for her personal email account when she was secretary of State. The judge told Judicial Watch to finish interviews in two other ongoing cases first.

"To avoid duplicative discovery and unnecessary expenditure of public funds, the court will stay this case pending the completion of discovery in those other cases," Walton ordered.

"The ruling gives some relief to the State Department and Clinton, which have both been the subject of intense scrutiny over the bespoke email setup that the former secretary of State used throughout her time in the Obama administration," wrote **Julian Hattem**.

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