

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 06-305

Complainant: No. 1299310657A

Judge: No. 1299310657B

ORDER

After thoroughly reviewing this matter, the commission decided to remind the hearing officer of her obligation to be mindful of the canons that require her to be dignified and courteous to litigants. The complaint is dismissed with comment pursuant to Rule 16(a).

Dated: October 4, 2007.

FOR THE COMMISSION

g\ Keith Stott
Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on October 4, 2007.

This order may not be used as a basis for disqualification of a judge.

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December 12, 2006

The Arizona State Judicial Commission
1500 West Washington
Phoenix, AZ 85007

CJC-06-305

Members of the Commission:

I recently filed a Small Claims action against a neighbor and felt that my claim was unfairly and unprofessionally adjudicated and I asked that the decision be set aside and a new hearing be granted to me. This request was denied. I enclose a copy of the letter I wrote to the [Redacted] Justice Court. I am now asking that the Commission consider my case. I was doubly distressed since the defendants in the case lied under oath and I have since discovered that I can compel reluctant witnesses to testify on my behalf.

Yours sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

Encl.

[Redacted]

July 10, 2006

[Redacted]

Justice Officers,

I wish to make a complaint against the Volunteer Hearing Officer, [Redacted] who recently adjudicated my hearing in the above numbered case.

During the course of my testimony, I mentioned that I had been a member of the Board of Directors of the Condominium where the Defendant and I live. [Redacted] became very agitated and angry and, speaking directly to me, made comments to the effect that every one knows how Home Owner Associations are out of control and make life miserable for the Owners. She continued, still in a state of agitation, to relate the details of a problem she is having with her HOA. I thought this was very unprofessional and that she was projecting her strong anger with her Board on me. I felt that this might have affected her decision to dismiss my case.

I am asking that the Court set aside her decision and allow me to resubmit my claim. I would ask that a Justice of the Peace conduct this second hearing.

Respectfully,

[Redacted]