

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 09-128

Complainant: No. 1362610752A

Judge: No. 1362610752B

ORDER

The commission reviewed the complaint filed in this matter and concluded that the judge did not engage in conduct that violated the Code of Judicial Conduct. The matter was dismissed with a private comment to the judge pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: October 8, 2009.

FOR THE COMMISSION

\s\ J. William Brammer, Jr.

Commission Chair

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on October 8, 2009.

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

April 15, 2009

E. Keith Stott, Jr.
1501 Washington St., Ste. 229
Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Mr. Stott,

It is with great dismay and reluctance that I have finally decided to write this letter to you.

Please consider this my formal complaint.

Up until April 3, 2009, I was employed by _____ at _____ . On the morning of Tuesday, March 24, 2009, I registered a _____ and scheduled her for an appointment that same day. Part of the registration process is to obtain personal information from the _____ and during _____ registration we, she and I, had a very pleasant conversation. One of the questions I asked was "Place of Employment". She said she was working at _____ under _____ . She added that because she was bilingual in Spanish and English, she was able to move throughout our local court system wherever she may be needed. I said I thought that would be interesting and asked if she liked it. She said she did. I told her they were lucky to have her and I admired her for those assets as I was trying very hard at learning Spanish in order to help me communicate better with Spanish-only patients.

I cannot begin to imagine what may have taken place after _____ visit, but 3 letters, (please see enclosed), written by _____ and her employees, were delivered to the _____ on Friday, March 27, 2009. I believe these letters were the reason for my discharge.

I have lost my income, my health benefits, my self-esteem. I have also lost respect for our local legal system if this is deemed acceptable behavior purely based on the positions they hold. In this extremely strained economy, employment opportunities for someone in my age group are a rarity, and I am not optimistic about my future.

Thank you for your time, and I look forward to hearing from you very soon.