

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 12-160

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Complainant: No. 1427810879A

Judge: No. 1427810879B

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**ORDER**

The complainant alleged that a superior court judge failed to recuse himself based on his friendship with a lawyer representing an adverse party.

The responsibility of the Commission on Judicial Conduct is to impartially determine if the judge engaged in conduct that violated the provisions of Article 6.1 of the Arizona Constitution or the Code of Judicial Conduct and, if so, to take appropriate disciplinary action. The purpose and authority of the commission is limited to this mission.

After reviewing the information provided by the complainant, the commission found no evidence of ethical misconduct and concluded that the judge did not violate the Code in this case. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed in its entirety pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: August 6, 2012.

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George Riemer

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George A. Riemer  
Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on August 6, 2012.

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

6/9/2012  
Date

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**2012-160**

**COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE**

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 6/9/2012

**Instructions:** Use this form or plain paper of the same size to file a complaint. Attach additional pages, as needed. Please describe in your own words what the judge said or did that you believe constitutes judicial misconduct. To help us understand your concern, be specific and list all of the names, dates, times and places where the conduct occurred. Include only copies of original documents or court recordings that are relevant to your allegations. Print or type on one side of the paper only, and keep a copy of the complaint for your files.

Judge \_\_\_\_\_ failed to disclose his personal relationship with the opposing attorney. He used to be business partners in the same law firm. He has refused to change Judges or venues in this pending case. All of his orders have been without any hearings behind closed chamber doors and in favor of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

Please see attached motions: **MOTION AND DECLARATION FOR CHANGE OF JUDGE, THIRD**

**MOTION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE dated 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012**

**OBJECTION TO ORDER DATED MAY 24, 2012 DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION FOR SANCTIONS, SUBSTITUTED SERVICE AND MOTION FOR CHANGE OF  
VENUE and ORDER DATED MAY 29, 2012 DENYING MOTION IN SUPPORT OF DEFAULT  
JUDGMENTS AND INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANTS AND  
GRANTING DEFENDANT SECURAPLANE TECHNOLOGIES INC.'S MOTION FOR AN  
EXTENSION OF TIME AND FOURTH MOTION FOR CHANGE OF JUDGE**