State of Arizona COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 12-235

Complainant:

No. 1321610706A

Judge:

No. 1321610706B

ORDER

The complainant alleged two superior court judges will not expunge vacated convictions that were illegal and invalid.

The responsibility of the Commission on Judicial Conduct is to impartially determine if the judges 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 judges did not violate the Code in this case. The commission does not have jurisdiction to review the legal sufficiency of the judges' rulings. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed in its entirety pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: September 21, 2012.

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George Riemer

George A. Riemer Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on September 21, 2012.

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

