

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 13-308

Judge:	No.1042814812A
Complainant:	No.1042814812B

ORDER

The complainant alleged a superior court judge had treated her unfairly in connection with various motions and proceedings in her domestic relations case.

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 review, the commission found no evidence of ethical misconduct and concluded that the judge did not violate the Code in this case. The commission does not have jurisdiction to review the legal sufficiency of the court rulings. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed in its entirety, pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: January 13, 2014.

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George Riemer

George A. Riemer
Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on January 13, 2014.

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

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I have had court encounters, which were all very stressful and unpredictable outcomes. I followed every procedure requested by the Superior Court on a timely manner including submitting my last year's

My court dates were:

mediation for medical expenses/child support
Hearing with parenting time, medical
and child support enforcement

Child Support Reinforcement - forced to drop trivial "medical" reimbursements because I was wasting the courts time, and Gerald Porter told me I'd have to pay father's attorneys fees if I continued with this motion.

Nothing much accomplished because father did not turn in his or other requested documents by this date. We were forced to table the calculation of child support. Nothing was accomplished at this hearing.

It was a trial that was horrific. Father claimed that "I will never be able to work again," and provided no medical documentation to justify his inability to work. Father was still claiming that his head injury from was the reason for his refusal to work.

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I petitioned the court on _____ for reimbursement for the previous year's medical expenses and back child support for the previous _____

My health insurance rates rose to _____ for my _____ which was calculated as _____ in my original divorce decree.

I had a _____ for my _____ medicine who is diagnosed with _____ kind

Considering that I could no longer afford my _____ medicine, I emailed father and asked him for financial assistance. He refused to help, so I was forced to take the matter to court because father continues to be uncooperative. Litigation is the only way to resolve issues with _____ traditional methods of communication and mediation has not worked for the past _____ post-divorce.

My attorney formally requested a "Motion to Limit Communication" on _____ due to several vulgar emails that posed threats and demoralized the _____ of his _____

I then filed _____ on _____ asking to have the child support hearing moved up so that I could find an _____ and request for a production of documents due to his uncooperation in past court events.

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both of my motions were denied on

by

I had a horrible experience during my child support mediation meeting on because Father had an attorney, and I did not. I was bullied (told I'd have to pay Father's attorney fees) if I did not cooperate with Father's requests.

As anticipated, Father gave me the minimum, uncompleted financial documents that were necessary for this child support calculation mediation meeting.

Unfairly, Father was attributed minimum wage while I was given a ^{prior} ^{gross} amount. Father provided evidence that he had a severe disability that inhibits him from every outside work experience. "I'll never be able to work again."

I cried that the new calculated amount of child support garnished out of my monthly teaching checks. Meanwhile, the medical expenses that I was attributed was only instead of ^{My ex-husband should have} been paying more than ^{child support} to compensate, assist with the escalating medical costs for our

I also cried that I would not be able to pay my rent or keep my car because my net pay would be ^{with my rent costing} per month.

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AGAINST A JUDGE

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On 1 I had an attorney-
 that my dad paid out of his pension. Hiring an attorney was completely detrimental for my financial situation making me go even further into debt. During this hearing with this judge said that I was "wasting the court's time" by requesting a reimbursement by father. told me that if I continued to ask for this trivial reimbursement, I'd have to pay all of father's attorney fees. also requested that I pay a for because I showed just cause that father abuses main killers, and drives recklessly. I told Judge that I did not have to pay for this drug test, or money to pay for a parenting Coordinator that did not work for us when we got divorced during the
 On hearing with I left the hearing nausea a this judge upset and humiliated me to the point of a full-blown I was immediately hospitalized as an for consecutive days. Since that date, I've been put on restricted by my psychiatrist to only per week due to my and

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Specifically, I failed to turn in the required financial documents - over had passed. I gave a slap on the hand for not paying his back child support. My attorney requested jail time - but the judge pointed out that I should be given an extra amount in full - from the previous. Truth be told, I never did produce the child support check until we were in court the following month, and threatened to make him pay my attorney fees. This is not an attorney or financial game to me, as I have teenage to support. I suffered severe and proceedings. My health/stress has negatively impacted my well-being knowing that their mother had to be with problems.

The worst part of the hearing was when the judge yelled at me for not being a responsible mother by, "Quitting" my court. I told him that I was "overwhelmed" and responded, "Well, I still come to work." sarcastically too, but I

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I told judge that he did not understand my situation, and that I had a medical condition that inhibits my capability to work a four teaching to kindergarten through sixth grade students daily. I took a "Leave of Absence" from the District to pursue my in - a profession that will add approximately to my salary, and I would be less stressed out as I would be serving one student/family at a time in a less stressful environment.

I collapsed when I left the courtroom on Judge demonstrated that he is not empathetic, kind, fair, impartial, tactful or understanding when dealing with special circumstances. Instead, he proved to prejudge me and focus on my monetary contributions towards my financial need, and didn't even address father on his ability to provide for his

The hearing only produced stipulations regarding a trial scheduled for a month later. Once again, father, did not produce any of the required documents by All of late documents were not considered

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as evidence at our
 was a strategic play so
 submit proof that "he will never be able to
 work again," due to his head injury at age
 Since then, got his
 degree from started his
 and recently qualified as a
 member.
 Meanwhile, Judge
 my medical document restricting me to
 per week, written by me
 with me during my
 did not submit any evidence
 of his "disability", yet Judge
 a minimum wage calculation for child support. I
 was given of my full-time wage earnings,
 even though I teach for
 a week I also am making under
 minimum wage, but am forced to have my
 paychecks garnished up to 20% of my
 net earnings.
 Currently, I lost my apartment
 and I can no longer house my
 yet, I couldn't make my car payment, and my
 car was repossessed today. worse
 Judge is a horrific
 person who demonstrates that his "judicial"
 power is more important to being fair with families' lives.