

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint

Complainant: No. 1402910227A

Judge: No. 1402910227B

ORDER

The complainant alleged that a justice of the peace should have disqualified herself because two volunteer hearing officers behaved improperly and her court staff was inefficient and rude. The commission reviewed the matter and found no evidence of ethical misconduct on the part of the judge. The complainant met with the two hearing officers on separate occasions to discuss personal or business matters; however, the code was not implicated because neither hearing officer was assigned to the complainant's legal case. Regarding the court staff, without a more specific allegation that would implicate the judge, there is insufficient evidence of judicial misconduct to justify further investigation. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: December 20, 2010.

FOR THE COMMISSION

\s\ Keith Stott

Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on December 20, 2010.

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

October 13, 2010

SUPPLEMENT TO COMPLAINT FORM

SUBMITTED BY:
COMPLAINING RE: JUDGE/JUSTICE

I have appealed this case several times to no avail, and do not believe ethical circumstances exist to create fairness and justice. I have appealed to vacate the judgement that Judge _____ has rendered but have heard nothing. I have had 2 requests for a new hearing denied.

I believe Judge _____ should have excused herself from this hearing due to extenuating circumstances. I have been solicited by two of her hearing officers: Kathleen Quintaince and (Jeffrey Brown).

Before one hearing, Kathleen Quintaince and I went to a restaurant, discussed the case and came back to obtain a favorable ruling/judgment. I enclose pictures of her modeling the Judge's Robes. She did ask for a favor of hiring a personal friend of hers for computer/software consulting.

I had lunch with the other hearing officer to discuss possible investment in Bail Bonds business.

I personally believe that Ms. Hernandez, the administrative assistant to Judge _____ and her staff are among the most inefficient and rude staff at the Justice Courts.

I submit this case in hopes of obtaining a new hearing. I did not receive notice of a rescheduled hearing in the above mentioned case.

I would highly suggest investigation in the methods of Justice _____ and her staff , to include hearing officers.

I would be happy to meet and discuss further, and or/ a telephone interview.