

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 11-295

Complainant: No. 1143610087A

Judge: No. 1143610087B

ORDER

The complainants alleged that a justice of the peace issued incorrect rulings and was biased.

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 complainants, 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 investigate the legal sufficiency of the judge's ruling. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed in its entirety pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: March 14, 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 March 14, 2012.

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

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

My name: **Filed against Justice of the Peace:**

Abridged version: CC2010-

I had a complaint against a landlord in the above-captioned case. The landlord refused to return my money. I sued for return of my money. Though my case was IDENTICAL in every way to my husband's claim, Judge dismissed my claim and awarded my husband on his identical claim.

I have no idea why Judge acted so irrationally, but all I know is that I am out over \$600 now because of it.

Please look into this matter for me and also please send me a copy of his response as I am still very puzzled as to his dismissal of my claim.

Thank you,

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

My name: _____ Filed Against J.P.

Abridged version: _____ CC2011-

I have always previously been very hesitant to file any complaints against North Mesa "Justice" Court's _____ as I have been forced to appear before him on occasion in the past. _____ is a very biased individual. He should not be adjudicating anything.

_____ demanded that I accept service in a case in which I had not been avoiding service. Furthermore, _____ had no physical or subject matter jurisdiction over me with respect to the above-captioned case. He used the weight of his authority to pressure me into voluntarily accepting service and signing a document in an unrelated case. He treated me as if I was intentionally avoiding service when the fact of the matter is that the Petitioner gave his process server a totally incorrect residence address with which to serve me at. If necessary, I can obtain and provide a copy of said document on which _____ signed that he had "served" me (regardless of the fact that he is not a constable and is not an officer of the law and is not a registered process server).

_____ should not have involved himself in a separate case and separate matter entirely. I have seen other judges properly state that they have nothing to do with the case and "will not get involved" in it. However, _____ indicated bias by taking the other party's document unrelated to his case (from a different court), thoroughly considering the false statements written about me contained within and furthermore demanding that I legally (or possibly illegally) accept service of it. It was an Injunction Against Harassment against me, which (ironically enough) ultimately made settling the case actually before him more difficult. I subsequently had the fraudulent injunction against me dismissed promptly without much effort. However, the manner in which _____ involved himself in something that he should have stayed entirely out of was horrifying and caused me to have extreme doubts in Lester as a judicial officer and doubts in our "justice system" altogether.

_____ loves to involve himself with extra-curricular activities that violate Judicial Canons – just look at how he involved himself in his brother's recall campaign. Having been a Justice of the Peace for approximately 15 years, _____ knows the rules by now. He doesn't need a private "reminder". He needs punishment far more severe than Reprimand, Censure or Suspension. He needs to be REMOVED from office.

ignored the law, judicial ethics cannons AND SUPREME COURT DIRECTIVES (stating that items must be served by one of the above-mentioned people) and in doing so harmed me. Please remove him from office.

Thank you for your attention to this cancer of a man on our county's justice court system.

Please send me a copy of any response that he may make to this complaint. Thank you.

Sincerely,