

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 15-009

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

The complainant alleged a superior court judge improperly terminated her parental rights.

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.

The commission does not have jurisdiction to review the legal sufficiency of the judge's rulings. In addition, 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: February 11, 2015

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George A. Riemer

George A. Riemer
Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the judge on February 11, 2015.

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

Confidential
State of Arizona
Commission on Judicial Conduct
1501 W. Washington Street Suite 229
Phoenix Arizona 85007

Comp 2015-009

Final Draft
Complaint Against A Judge

Name:

Judge's Name:

On _____ I took my _____ to the _____ because he had a fractured skull. _____ fell on two pieces of furniture I was not present at the time of the incident. I got a phone call from the father saying that my _____ got hurt so I rushed home. The father ended up hurting me because he got upset that the baby got hurt and he blamed it on me. After that happened I took my _____ to the hospital and then they asked me how it happened and I told them that what happened to me and the baby I told them that the father told me that _____ fell on two pieces of furniture made of wood sitting next to each other. At first I didn't tell them the truth because I was afraid that _____ was gonna take him from me. After I talked to the doctor and cops I asked the doctor if I could go back home and grab my _____ the doctor said yes so I went back home and _____ was at my door with _____ the _____ tried telling me not to go back to the hospital to let _____ rest so I said okay so after they search warrant my house I went back to the hospital that night. to see my _____ around _____ The doctor said that I couldn't see my _____ and a couple weeks later I went to court because _____ filed a motion to sever my rights because they accused _____ us on causing his injury on purpose but then we had a conference so cps could tell me and the father what services to do to get him back like DV classes, individual counseling, parenting classes, TASC and terms but then I done all the services I took my case to trial. so when I went to trial the doctor from the _____ hospital went to court and said that if the baby fell on two pieces of wood it was most likely an accident. And then they took _____ because of medical marijuana but I have a medical marijuana card and proved it and they still used that as a reason to take him and that's against my rights and they also took _____ for things I did from when I was a minor which is also illegal because when I turned _____ that was supposed to go away and because I have a communication

Confidential
State of Arizona
Commission on Judicial Conduct
1501 W. Washington Street Suite 229
Phoenix AZ 85007

Final Draft

Complaint Against A Judge

Name: _____

Judge's Name: _____

disorder and they're accusing me of not being ~~being~~ able to take care of _____ and I had shown proof that I had lots of treatment for that disorder and emotional treatment before I turned _____ and at _____ I had also provided parenting class certificates that I attended by their Request ~~Request~~ but applied for myself extra counseling and when I got approved social security I left the father right away and got my own apartment and an order of protection, and I'm during DV classes, anger management classes, and dropping to prove that I'm not on any other substances besides medical marijuana which I'm legally allowed because of my medical marijuana card. In the beginning I missed _____ because CPS didn't put my name in the system and then didn't tell me when they put my name in the system and then used it against me, and CPS never came to my new apartment to confirm that I was living on my own own away from _____ and when I went to one of my visits my _____ had bruises all over both of _____ legs I took pictures and showed judge _____ and she asked CPS if they knew how it happened and they all said no but she did nothing about it and severed my rights and violating many of my constitutional rights by agreeing with CPS. The _____ says that a court can't terminate your parental rights unless tribal ~~representatives~~ representatives is at your hearing and agrees with the termination and the tribal members did not agree or disagree at my trial and these are my rights under the _____

The father's brother testified against me out of spite towards his brother and I don't even know his brother and my attorney confronted him about his past in front of the judge on his domestic violence to question his trustworthiness CPS objected and said that was his past and the judge agreed with their objection but the judge let them use my past from when I was a minor against me which I feel is unlawful

CONFIDENTIAL

State of Arizona
Commission on Judicial Conduct
1501 W. Washington Street, Suite 229
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

2015-009

COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Rough Draft

Name: _____

Judge's Name: _____

Instructions: Use this form or plain paper of the same size to file a complaint. Describe in your own words what you believe the judge did that constitutes judicial misconduct. Be specific and list all of the names, dates, times, and places that will help the commission understand your concerns. Additional pages may be attached along with copies (not originals) of relevant court documents. Please complete one side of the paper only, and keep a copy of the complaint for your records.

on I took my to the
 because had a fractured skull fell on two pieces of furniture
 I was not present at the time of the incident ~~but~~ I got a phone call from
 the father saying that my got hurt so I rushed home. The father ended up hurting
 me because he got upset that the baby got hurt and he blamed it on me after that
 happened I took to the hospital and then they asked me how it happened and I told them that
 father told me that fell on two pieces of wood. At first I didn't tell them the truth because
 I was afraid that CPS was gonna take him from me. After I talked to the doctor
 and CPS I asked the doctor if I could go back home and grab my baby bag
 the doctor said yes so I went back home and CPS was at my door with the cops
 CPS tried telling me not to go back to the hospital to let him rest so I said okay
 so after they search warrant my house I went back to the hospital that night
 to see my around the doctor said that I couldn't see
 my and a couple weeks later I went to court because CPS filed a motion to
 sever my rights because they accused us on causing injury on purpose
 but then we had a conference so CPS could tell me and the father what services
 to do like DV classes, individual counseling, parenting classes, TASC and terros
 but then I done all of the services I took my case to trial. So when I went
 to trial the doctor from hospital went to court
 and said that if the baby fell on two pieces of wood it was most likely an accident.
 And then they took because of medical marijuana but
 I have a medical marijuana card and proved it and they still used that as a reason
 to take and that's against my rights and they also took for
 things I did from when I was a minor which is also illegal because
 when I turned that was supposed to go away. and because I have

I told them that the

what happened to me and the baby

furniture sitting next to each other

and said that

CONFIDENTIAL

State of Arizona
Commission on Judicial Conduct
1501 W. Washington Street, Suite 229
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

2015-009

COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Rough Draft

Name: _____ Judge's Name: _____

Instructions: Use this form or plain paper of the same size to file a complaint. Describe in your own words what you believe the judge did that constitutes judicial misconduct. Be specific and list all of the names, dates, times, and places that will help the commission understand your concerns. Additional pages may be attached along with copies (not originals) of relevant court documents. Please complete one side of the paper only, and keep a copy of the complaint for your records.

A communication disorder and they're accusing me of not being able to take care of and I had shown proof that I had lots of treatment for that disorder and emotional treatment I had also provided parenting class certificates that I attended ^{before I turned 18 and at} their Request, extra counseling ^{but arranged for myself} and when I got approved social security I left the father right away and got my own apartment and an order of protection, and I'm doing DV classes, anger management classes and dropping to prove that I'm not on any other substances besides medical marijuana which I'm legally allowed because of my medical marijuana card. In the beginning ~~we~~ I missed because CPS didn't put my name in the system and then didn't tell me when they put my name in the system and then used it against me and CPS never came to my new apartment to confirm that I was living on my own away from and when I went to one of my visits my ~~had~~ bruises all over both of legs I took pictures and showed Judge and she asked CPS if they knew how it happened and they all said no but she did nothing about it and severed my rights and violating many of my constitutional rights by agreeing with CPS. The says that a court can't terminate your parental rights unless tribal representatives is at your hearing and agrees with the termination and ^{the} tribal members did not agree ~~or~~ disagreed at my trial and the father's brother testified against me out of spite ~~and~~ toward his brother and I don't even know his brother and my attorney confronted him about his past in front of the judge on his domestic violence to question his trustworthiness CPS objected and the judge agreed because CPS said that was the past but the judge let them use my past from when I was a minor against me which I feel ~~was~~ unlawful

These are my rights under the FTW welfare Act