

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 15-195

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

The complainant alleged a superior court commissioner/judge pro tem improperly granted an order of protection.

The responsibility of the Commission on Judicial Conduct is to impartially determine if the commissioner 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 judicial officer's rulings. In addition, the commission found no evidence of ethical misconduct and concluded that the commissioner did not violate the Code in this case. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed in its entirety, pursuant to Rules 16(a) and 23.

Dated: August 26, 2015

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George A. Riemer

George A. Riemer
Executive Director

Copies of this order were mailed to the complainant and the commissioner on August 26, 2015.

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

I understand the commission cannot reverse court orders or assign a new judge to a case.

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing information and the facts I have provided upon which my allegations of judicial misconduct are based are true and correct.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS

Use the following space or plain paper of the same size to explain your complaint. Explain why you believe what the judge did constitutes judicial misconduct. Be specific and list the names, dates, times, and places relevant to your allegations. Additional pages may be used and relevant copies of documents may be sent with your complaint (please do not send original documents). Use one side of each page only and write legibly or type your complaint. Please keep a copy of your complaint for your records.

I have a hearing before Judge _____ in _____ My _____ had a order of protection dismissed by Judge _____ at the _____ Court House. She then went before Judge _____ at _____ Court. On the day in question I informed Judge _____ and produced hospital documents showing that I _____ pain. It was not wise and he should not have allowed the _____ to continue.

We had already have our case pending before Judge _____ in _____ court. We also have stipulated orders in place that were part of the divorce regarding our Judge _____ took offense to a number of things regarding the _____ ruling by Judge _____ and even pause our hearing to call the _____

I was granted _____ equal decision making and afforded the _____ fundamentals rights in regards to _____ Judge _____ in my opinion overstepped his grounds by granting my _____ an _____ and _____ any type of communications with her.

I could _____ no form of communication. And also stay away yards. This would make communication about _____ quite difficult - no - impossible. He took all my legal rights away with a single pen stroke. This was abuse of power based on the circumstances.

I pray that I am not the only complaining about Judge _____ about judicial misconduct.

Based on the pending case. Judge _____ should have deferred any pending matter to Judge _____ since she was familiar with our situation. He was arrogant and condescending.