

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 16-024

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

The complainant alleged a superior court judge (now retired) made improper rulings in a family law matter.

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 17, 2016

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 17, 2016.

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 fully understand the commission cannot reverse court orders or assign a new judge to this case. I simply would like the original judge, _____ order: " that I not be held responsible for, indemnify and be held harmless from the debts and financial obligations regarding these two properties", to be honored. It has been impossible for me to attain financing of any kind due to these two mortgage obligations and debt to income ratio. I am unable to move forward with my life.

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 Result - Two properties solely financed by _____ hold title on both properties. Page 8/Debts, Judge ordered..... "It is ordered that Husband shall be responsible for, indemnify and hold Wife harmless from the following debts and financial obligations: A) "Unless otherwise provided herein, any financial obligations associated with or arising from any property awarded to Husband herein" Properties referred to in this section - _____

Due to the inability to retain a loan after the divorce, late payments affecting my credit score, and debit to income ratio so high, I filed a request for relief on _____ which was denied on _____ by _____

Retained an attorney _____ Case dismissed by _____ "Wife is now barred from attempting to re-litigate this same issue.

I feel the outcome was unjust. I am to this date still solely responsible for two mortgages and my _____ holds the title on both. Everyone that I have shared this information with cannot believe I have this burden. It is impossible for me to attain financing or get credit for anything.