

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 16-354

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

The complainant alleged a superior court judge improperly granted an extension of time to the state in a criminal case.

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(a).

Dated: February 15, 2017

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George A. Riemer

George A. Riemer
Executive Director

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on February 15, 2017.

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

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****NOTE. If you have not already spoken with an attorney in the .
you may wish to call BEFORE submitting this form

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSUMER	NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAWYER
Telephone No. <u>N/A</u> Email address: <u>N/A</u>	Telephone No. <u>N/A</u>

1 Did or does this lawyer represent you?

YES ___ NO X

If "YES", provide the approximate dates the lawyer represented you, and the amount, if any, paid to the lawyer

If "NO", how did you come into contact with this lawyer?

Judicial officer assigned to my case

2 Do you currently have a lawyer other than the one named in this charge form?

YES X NO ___

If "YES" provide your lawyer's name and address.

3 If your charge is about conduct in a lawsuit, provide the following information:

Case number of the lawsuit: _____

Title of the lawsuit (for example, Smith v Jones): _____

Name of court (for example, Superior or Municipal Court, and name of county of city): _____

Approximate date the lawsuit was filed: _____

What is your connection to the lawsuit (for example, plaintiff or defendant) _____

4. Is the lawyer in possession of money or other property (for example, your original documents or client file) that you believe should be returned to you?

YES _____ NO X

If "YES" please identify the money or property and include any written fee agreement:

5. What type of legal work was/is involved? (Check all that apply)

- Collections
- Family Law/Divorce
- Criminal Law/Traffic Offenses
- Personal Injury
- Immigration
- Worker's Compensation
- General Civil
- Other _____

6. What is the general nature of your charge against the lawyer (Check all that apply and please explain in Section 7 below)

- Delay or lack of diligence
- Failing to Answer letters or phone calls
- Refusing to return your files or papers
- Conflict of interest
- Improper handling of your money or property
- Not keeping you informed of progress on your case
- Not following instructions
- Other Arbitrary and Disproportionate

7. State your charge in your own words. Before doing so, you may wish to review "Information about Filing a Charge Against a Lawyer." Include all important dates, times, places, and details so that the specific nature of your charge can be understood.

Use additional sheets if necessary. PLEASE DO NOT USE THE BACK OF THIS FORM.

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My Complainant is against

The act complained of is for granting to the ^{judicial officer} extension of time to file a post-conviction relief Rule 32 (Az. R. Crim. P.) acceptance of a States Reply by ^{assigning my matter for} decision while special action/writ of Mandamus is pending, and assisting the state in its criminal conduct. The state defaulted by no prior extension request during due date. When this matter was assigned to her has mishandled the case. First to allow opportunity upon my pleadings in the state filed a pleading ^{filed for the state to respond and when} an opportunity to respond. Also the judicial officer ^{not allowing me} beforehand did not provide me any of my required time stamped copy of pleadings which were requested in writing. In addition the mentioned judicial officer cited the court already sent me time stamped copy of pleadings speculating the prison misplaced such which is untrue because only minute entry denying pleadings was sent me.

Then in haste recognizing such errors and disproportion the said judicial officer ordered an extension with which specific order for filing of a petition and reply by the state and myself in an effort to restart proceedings all over. The due date was for

My continued advances at action for the judicial officers due process errors relief resulted in another erroneous ruling disregarding the extension filed during the state court of Appeals and ordering conclusion while the complainants are unresolved. It should be noted I am imprisoned for a false conviction reached in violation of "The U.S. Const."

DATE:

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SIGNATURE: _____

Print/Type Name: _____