

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 17-054

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

The complainant alleged that a superior court commissioner was rude, unprofessional, and prejudiced against her.

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.

After review, 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(a).

Dated: May 17, 2017

FOR THE COMMISSION

/s/ George A. Riemer

George A. Riemer
Executive Director

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on May 17, 2017.

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

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Dear Commission and

2017-054

My name is _____ and my case number is _____ and I am writing because I feel that _____ behavior toward me the in court had been rude, demining and extremely bias. My ex-husband _____ and his attorney _____ bullied me for _____ never followed either his parenting plan or any parenting plan. I did whatever they said and every time I went to court _____ was extremely inappropriate. At one point I could not afford an attorney so I represented myself, she let _____ speak as long as he wanted and never let me say anything and when I asked to speak she said no and she said if I plan to represent myself I better get myself educated on the law and she did not want to see me in court again until I had done so. After _____ of attorneys my ex-husband's attorney _____ wrote me an e mail that _____ my ex-husband would give my daughter to me with a few exceptions. I would get no child support, he (_____) would be releasing her off his health insurance and he (_____) would claim her on Taxes. I have a single income, I e- mailed back and asked for minimal child support (_____) and could he consider leaving her on his insurance and could I claim her this year (_____). I received an e mail saying NO to all my requests and the offer was only to stand for _____ and If I did not agree I would not get visitation. Right away I agreed and there was a court date set. In court I asked _____ if I could at least have help from _____ with the health insurance, she snapped at me and said no to everything, winking consistently at the other party (_____) she would not let me talk and asked the other party (_____) if they had anything else to say, however cut me off and not even let me finish my sentence. _____ demeanor was very intimidating and extremely unfair. I feel she should be reprimanded. I was never treated fairly in her court room and felt there was extreme favoritism. I would like to make sure this letter reaches the correct department for a formal complaint. How is it that a parent does not have to pay child support or help out in anyway and gets to blackmail the other parent, it was perfectly clear that's what was happening. I don't intend to end up in court hopefully again, however I would like her removed from my case. I would like a response please, my address is listed below.

Thank you