

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 19-404

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

April 1, 2020

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge violated his constitutional rights and did not give him a fair trial in a dependency proceeding.

The role of the Commission on Judicial Conduct is to impartially determine whether a judicial officer has engaged in conduct that violates the Arizona Code of Judicial Conduct or Article 6.1 of the Arizona Constitution. There must be clear and convincing evidence of such a violation in order for the Commission to take disciplinary action against a judicial officer.

The Commission does not have jurisdiction to overturn, amend, or remand a judicial officer's legal rulings. The Commission reviewed all relevant available information and concluded there was not clear and convincing evidence of ethical misconduct in this matter. The complaint is therefore dismissed pursuant to Commission Rules 16(a) and 23(a).

Commission member Joseph C. Kreamer did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on April 1, 2020.

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

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.

Judge awarded me custody of my daughter
in early

In early . I allowed my daughters
mother to come visit us. The Dept. of Child Services
said that I was "NOT" allowed to let mother see
her daughter, and they took her from me.

From I pleaded with the department
and judicial system that they never once told me
I wasn't allowed to do so. Judge severed
my parental rights in late based
all on hearsay from the department of Child Safety.
There was not one shred of evidence or proof out of
hundreds of documents. I was not given a fair trial
and for that reason, my constitutional rights have been
violated.