

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 20-294

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

January 13, 2021

The Complainant alleged a pro tem superior court judge was prejudiced against him, engaged in improper demeanor, and improperly refused to accept his evidence.

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 Louis Frank Dominguez did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on January 13, 2021.

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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.

In _____ I filed for an Annulment in said Courts Jurisdiction and was assigned Judge _____ to my case. An order was received to call in for a telephonic preliminary hearing conference call later _____ On _____ @ _____ I called in as instructed. Previous to this conference, I had submitted to the Court and Judge _____ supporting documents that reflected the following:

- 1) The Plaintiff failed to respond within the 20 day legal time frame, therefore the case should have been dismissed due to default under the law.
- 2) Judge _____ was rude and said he would not accept any of my documents and letters due to its incorrect format.
- 3) He stated that he would allow the Plaintiffs late response because I failed to provide evidence. (I submitted evidence previous to this and he refused it.)

All parties agreed to future time for final disposition. (_____)

Due to my becoming ill with flu like syptoms on _____ I asked to invoke Administrative Order No. 2020-79) and asked for me to appear by phone. I faxed the said request and followed all protocols according to law.

On _____ Judge _____ called my cell phone. I answered and he was blunt, angered and wanted to know why I was not in his court room. I proceeded to tell him that I was under the weather and did not want to infect anyone. He stated that if the Respondent had no objections we could proceed with the hearing. I was asked to raise my right hand and swear in, which I did. He then stated that " _____ ". Due to a bad connection, the call was dropped. I called back to the phone number on file with no success. Judge _____ called me back but the connection was bad, I could hear him, however he hung up on me. I attempted to call back with no avail. Judge _____ is misusing his authority and not being representative of the office he serves. It is my firm belief that because I am _____ a _____ that I am being treated unfairly and my civil rights are being abused by this Judge and the Court. I was born and raised in _____ and know very well the raicism and _____ I cannot afford a Lawyer and have had to represent myself as best I can. As an _____ who _____ I am appalled at this treatment of this Judge and Court ! Our Laws and Constitution are to protect our Citizens, not Demean, Belittle, Demoralize or Charge them without due process. I ask that this behavior not be tolerated or condoned. Furthermore, I will seek Justice at the highest level and will not rest until Justice is served and all Americans know how flawed this system is.

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