

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 20-321

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

February 10, 2021

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge denied him his due process rights and improperly dismissed a motion to modify child support arrears.

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).

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on February 10, 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.

Case #

Judge _____ violated my right of due process by not allowing my Constitution right to go back to court and attempt to modify the gross interest being charged by the _____ on my child support arrears. The total amount is _____ being interest. The court dismissed my Motion " _____ ". I had a right to be able to introduce a history of custodial interference even though the child is _____ it did not take away the merit of my case. The Judge violated my right to due process when he refused to take a look at my case or even acknowledge the long history of motions filed against the mother and step father for a continued history of harassment. I had a right to wait until my son was older and ask the court in " _____ " to address some financial issue. Unless there is a statute of limitations? Look It was me that took my sons mother to court initially to get the right to see him. This very court decided not to long ago that even a non constudial parent has some decision making ability. In my case your honors my sons mother made life very hard for me. After a while I stopped complaining to the court documented the incident and moved on. _____ have always been in my sons life but if you look at my case and see the fighting I had to do it was hard you honors. In my case your new caselaw didn't get to help me. All I am asking is to allow me to individually bring my case before a court to modify interest only on arrears.
I recently filed a motion to recind my case, but it was only because I don't believe the judge will allow me a fair hearing.