

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 21-240

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

February 2, 2022

The Complainant alleged that a superior court commissioner displayed gender bias and poor judicial demeanor.

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 2, 2022.

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2021-240

COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Name: _____ Judge's Name: _____

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On _____ granted an IAH against my landlord based on my testimony. The defendant disputed the order and we had a hearing. In that hearing, _____ ultimately ruled in the defendant's favor, and dismissed the IAH. I believe _____ used his personal feelings to make this ruling. It was NOT based on facts. The defendant did not have evidence to support his claims. In addition, the defendant filed a FRAUD document that I have already filed a complaint through the court about. The defendant forged a process server's signature and typed up a document stating that I had been violent towards the process server. It was completely made up. My landlord is highly manipulative. He is a creepy man and he lies so much and my safety and my sons' safety has been at risk many times. Mr. _____ allowed the defendant to go on and on and on about lies about me that had NOTHING to do with the injunction order. I did not interrupt the defendant at all. But when it was my turn to speak, I got interrupted several times. Mostly by the judge telling me multiple times "

" Yet he allowed the defendant to state multiple lies about me and I could tell by looking at this judge's face, he was believing the defendant's lies. The judge was very rude to me from the start. I truly felt discriminated against because I am a female. _____ seems to have power issues and issues with women in particular. I was not treated fairly in this hearing whatsoever. I have dealt with many many judges and never felt attacked the way I felt by this " _____ " After I had proof from this process server, and the courts, that the defendant submitted falsified documents to the court, I submitted it to this judge as new evidence. It was not considered at all and I received a letter that the case is dismissed and to not file anything further.

This IAH was wrongfully dismissed number 1. Number 2, the way this judge treated me, spoke to me, looked at me, was very bad and I felt personally discriminated against. If a judge is not smart enough to see through a highly manipulative man, he should not be in a position of power over law-abiding citizens such as myself.

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I later went and filed another IAH against the defendant, as the harrassment continued due to the judge decision to dismiss the order. This IAH has remained in place. I was honest with the female judge I had and told her exactly what had happened in my previous IAH (denying the order based on lies and fraudalant evidence submitted by the defendant). This female judge had empathy, looked at all my evidence and belived my story. And granted me the IAH. Very grateful to her! Men like are making sexist decisions and putting womens lives in jeopardy! At the end of the hearing, " me on how i shouldnt have filed an IAH for this case. I respectfully told him " " He should not be bullying me about a decision HE made and then later " ' b/c he was on the side of a narcisisttic manipulative man (the defendant.)