

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 21-298

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Judge:

Complainant:

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**ORDER**

February 16, 2022

The Complainant alleged that a superior court judge made incorrect legal rulings, denied her due process of law, and relied on incorrect information.

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 Christopher W. Ames did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on February 16, 2022.

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**2021-298**

**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.

Attached is a letter  
outlining all incidents of misconduct  
that have occurred. The malfeasance is  
not entirely that of Judge \_\_\_\_\_, but  
rather the entire judicial process that  
has placed in jeopardy my children. Thank  
you....

To whomever it may concern.

I want to preface this letter by stating that everything written herein can (easily) be proven. I make no claim that I cannot substantiate... Mine is a case of blatant and repeated systemic failure, overt racism, concealed classism and overall disregard for life. Such having now snowballed and resulted in the consistent and continual physical, mental and psychological abuse of innocent children, jeopardizing their health and causing them the long-term (lasting) damage of having to repeatedly and knowingly been placed in harm's way by those who have taken an oath to protect and serve. Such parties being in a position of power only to make the choice to turn a blind eye to the ongoing pain and suffering of children, simply because they don't look like their own, failing to simply care enough to do their due diligence or even view the evidence repeatedly placed before them...

My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I am the (proud) mother to \_\_\_\_\_ beautiful boys. My children are truly the love of my life, my focus and purpose. Life have never been easy for us and in \_\_\_\_\_ it became necessary that for the safety of my children, I leave my hometown of \_\_\_\_\_ and relocate somewhere free from the constant abuse, threats and fear that robbed my eldest son of much of his childhood, that which also jeopardized my ability to protect myself, thus allowing me to raise my other children, as well. Walking away from everything I knew was the hardest thing I've done, but done entirely with my children in mind. In leaving my ex-husband, \_\_\_\_\_ I agreed to sign the house over to him, signed off on any possible alimony that I might be entitled to, agreed to him paying no child support/medical expenses and paid for both of our parenting classes as well as the divorce. This was done because \_\_\_\_\_ made it clear that he would not agree to the divorce under any other terms.

Even so, I was elated at the opportunity to give my children the life they deserved, free from the fear and uncertainty that had clouded our lives up until this point. Starting over alone (in a state that I had only visited once) with \_\_\_\_\_ children wasn't easy, but it was necessary and ultimately, my children thrived. My eldest son, previously having isolated himself as a means to avoid the rage of my ex-husband, began to make friends. \_\_\_\_\_ grades improved and he was identified (once again) as gifted. Likewise, my younger children bloomed in the desert. Months after relocating to \_\_\_\_\_ my ex-husband, having maintained our agreement that he would never assist in the support of the children, reached out to me and requested their social security numbers so that he might claim them on his taxes. Hearing that such wasn't an option, he became enraged and what ensued was a nearly \_\_\_\_\_ battle to protect my children. Such beginning in \_\_\_\_\_ where it was determined that \_\_\_\_\_ had been repeatedly dishonest to the court, and thus had no right to demand full rights, but no responsibility for the children he knowingly and willingly gave away, only to demand them back when he learned they were thriving, because he was not.

Sadly, rather than pour into the children in hopes of developing a healthy and meaningful relationship, \_\_\_\_\_ elected to utilize his unrestricted calls to them as a means to threaten me and thus cause insecurity within them. Such behavior having been noted in \_\_\_\_\_ by a witness who subsequently testified in court on my behalf in \_\_\_\_\_ when \_\_\_\_\_ denied having threatened to kill me, resulting in a validated Order of Protection being put into place (such including my eldest son). Following this, \_\_\_\_\_ was undeterred and elected to quit his job in \_\_\_\_\_ and having capitalize on the COVID-19 Forbearance allowing him to sell the home that had been in foreclosure, utilized the profit to follow us to \_\_\_\_\_. It should be noted that it was I who requested the \_\_\_\_\_ Hearing in \_\_\_\_\_

such being one of the greatest mistakes of my life... In registering and ultimately having my custody case transferred to I was unaware of the corruption that existed within the Family Court system, such having caused and continuing to cause my four youngest children their lives...

In our case was heard by Judge Prior to the hearing, I was asked to submit photos of my home (and much more) to a court advisor, thus showing that I had adequate housing and that each child had their own bed to sleep in. I had nothing to hide and fully complied with all requests immediately, so quick in fact that the advisor, assistant noted how " " I was. At the beginning of the process, I offered to allow to interview my children, to which she declined stating they were " ' but ultimately requested to do so a week before the hearing. Learning from assistant that she had changed her mind and wanted to have a videocall with the boys (that day), I left work early to go home and download the appropriate app and ensure they were available at the time she selected. Ten-minutes before the call was to occur, I receive a call from assistant canceling and rescheduling for the following day. The following day, as instructed, I set the computer up and once the assistant acknowledged it was good to go, left the room and closed the door behind myself, such having been acknowledged by the assistant and captured on our home surveillance (which I saved).

The children expressed their feelings freely and upon the call ending, I reentered the room and disconnected the call, having never even laid eyes on at this point. Hours before the hearing, my lawyer at the time forwards me her report, such stating that the children were too well-spoken and this " . What's more, stated she believed I was in the room with the children during the call! She stated the boys were " ' which immediately through up a red flag because I, too work in the counseling field and thus know it isn't appropriate or even ethical to suggest parental alienation when there has been no therapeutic rapport established to substantiate such an accusation. never met my children; she did not conduct a home visit and had only spoken to three of them for five-minutes each. Following this, I researched this provider and learned that she is NOT qualified to conduct interviews with children and was in fact primarily a realtor who simply obtained a degree in Substance Abuse Counseling and utilizes such to do court advising on the side. What's more, her website had been flagged and shut down for fraudulent activity. I submitted a complaint to the board and such is currently under investigation.

Sadly, Judge took solely into account the report of when making his decision, acknowledging, but admittedly ignoring the substantiated Domestic Violence that occurred and overlooking the ACTIVE Order of Protection that was still in place. was immediately given Joint Custody/Legal Decision Making of the children we share, having not seen them in and even in that moment expressing to the Judge that he wishes to continue avoiding financial responsibility for them. now empowered, conveyed to the court that he neither had a job, nor a permanent residence and that he did not feel it was appropriate that he be made to assist in providing for the children. Such was validated by the court, while my request for Therapeutic Reunification was denied. I was ordered to begin dropping my small children off at the police station with no knowledge of where they were going, who they would be with or when/if they would be returned. I complied and later learned the four of them were made to sleep on a twin sized air mattress on the floor blocking the front door of an apartment in a sketchy neighborhood.

Since forced visitation has begun, my son, having been recently identified as " " and " " by his kindergarten teacher has been diagnosed with

He now suffers from enuresis (bedwetting) and having been referred to a urologist, any physical abnormality has been ruled out, such proving the cause to be a recent physical/psychological trauma. Additionally, on this same child, having no history of such, had a 16-minute seizure at school and was transported by ambulance to the hospital where he (and I) remained for two-days to undergo testing and rule out epilepsy. Such resulted in the revelation that there was no known cause, but that an incident that occurred years prior, in which banged the heads of the children together, resulted in a " " that was noted on the scans conducted. Directly prior to this incident, the children had expressed to their teachers (and I) that they didn't want to proceed with the mandated week-long visit with their father that was to commence later that day. The week prior, an incident occurred in which the children refused to go with their father when he arrived at their school to retrieve them. This was documented and ultimately the boys were able to be coerced into leaving the school by being reminded that if they do not, their mother will be held in contempt of court order.

This has been the theme since the custody change has occurred, has utilized the children's love for and desire to protect me as a catalyst to manipulate and control them. In he informed the boys that he knew where we lived, despite the Order of Protect still being in place, describing my husband's truck (which he had never seen until this point) and informing them " ". This has resulted in one of my son's being unable to sleep, sneaking out of bed at night, pacing and ultimately being found in the morning sleeping beside the front door. When asked why he is doing this, he has expressed that he is " ". My son now expresses his love for me by stating, " ". This isn't right! In I petitioned the court for an Emergency Order and it was denied. I have attempted to initiate Counseling for my children, such being deemed necessary due to the diagnosis. has utilized the decision-making ability Judge has empowered him with to deny the children medical treatment simply because he doesn't want the children to have the opportunity to discuss what is going on to a court-mandated reporter.

Following my request for an Emergency Order being denied, we were scheduled for an Evidentiary hearing on Such was canceled days before and rescheduled for the end of n the meanwhile, my children are forced to spend every other week with their abuser. They are prevented from speaking to their mother (on the phone that I provide), isolated from their support system and indoctrinated to believe that there is no hope. This is what their life will be until they are of age. Their basic needs aren't met, they have nowhere to comfortably sleep, they aren't fed properly or adequately, don't have shoes that fit, aren't bathed regularly and often arrive to school and are picked up late. What's even worst, they no longer believe in equality or the Judicial system. My baby no longer aspires to grow up and become a Police Officer. My children now see that the system wasn't created to protect boys who look like them. My children have literally gone to every adult that they trust and sought help only to be turned away or told " ".

I have fully abided by the rules, dotted every "I" and crossed every "T". I haven't taken any shortcuts! I have devoted my entire career to the protection of children only to turn around and learn that when my children need someone to protect them, everyone was silent. No more! I have been denied due process and am entitled to my day in court, such having never occurred. I will not wait, casting my children into further turmoil. I demand to be heard, now! What is occurring is nothing short

of malfeasance! I don't know how long this has been occurring here. I don't know how many children and families have been affected, but I know it stops here. I will not sacrifice my children. They will not be martyrs or collateral damage and I won't be the mother of slain children urging Capitol Hill to enact laws in the names of great men the world was robbed of by the deaths of my children. While I truly hope this letter moves you and beg for your assistance in this matter, I am not dependent upon it. I will never stop fighting for my children. From the moment I laid eyes on them, they were all that mattered. I pray they matter to you, too...

Thank you and GOD bless

