State of Arizona

COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 22-148

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

March 1, 2023

The Complainant alleged biased and improper legal decisions by a superior court judge hearing a criminal case.

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 members Roger D. Barton and Colleen E. Concannon did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on March 1, 2023.

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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.

Well My First thing I would like to bring up is the Judge Is one that has to stay or be unbiased but how unbiased Gan you be when she has fought for stopping child Or is an Alvacate for that kind or stuff so her Judgement is clouded tords the side of convicting someone. It shows in what evidence was aloud and what was not Then it showes even further when my Attorney Male Objections and she overrouted them and any objection The state made she sustained them. with one Objection my Attorney made In the some time frame and the Judge Just over ruled them and the state got to ask a question that we had no merrit or Any foundation to ask. So as I was saying fur Rule & 2.2 on Arizona Code of Judical Conduct The Judge Shall Performation fourly and impartially. There was nothing fair about the admission of evince and the rejection of example ive evaluate and there is nothing imparticilly about how she used Agricuiteding serconstances with comments she made about the victory going we, To her not being unbiosed with her Alricte she sides