

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 22-434

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Judge:

Complainant:

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**ORDER**

August 1, 2023

The complainant alleged delayed rulings and retaliation by a superior court judge hearing a family 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 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 Denise K. Aguilar did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

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

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**COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Honorable \_\_\_\_\_

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Respondent \_\_\_\_\_ filed with Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_ Court on \_\_\_\_\_ his PETITION FOR CONTEMPT AND TO ENFORCE THE PARTIES CONSENT DECREE AND PARENTING PLAN.

On \_\_\_\_\_ The Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_ Court received Affidavit of Service from the Petitioner's Attorney a Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for the Respondents PETITION FOR CONTEMPT AND TO ENFORCE THE PARTIES CONSENT DECREE AND PARENTING PLAN

As of the date of the Respondent signing this complaint on \_\_\_\_\_ it has been almost \_\_\_\_\_ months and the court has not scheduled an RMC, and or a hearing.

Respondent \_\_\_\_\_ would also like to inform the Commission that the Honorable \_\_\_\_\_ has issued RMC and court hearing within days of the Petitioner filing her Petitions. These have been scheduled even before the Respondent was properly served the Petitions.

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