

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 22-449

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Judge:

Complainant:

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**ORDER**

July 10, 2023

The complainant alleged incompetence 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 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 Colleen E. Concannon and Scott C. Silva did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

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

We appeared back on \_\_\_\_\_ in front of \_\_\_\_\_ and I originally filed another Conduct Complaint for the original incomplete and inaccurate ruling. There was no action taken at that time. We filed an appeal to the \_\_\_\_\_ on the original ruling and the ruling was Vacated and remanded back by the \_\_\_\_\_, due to the inaccuracy of the original ruling and being incomplete and Judge \_\_\_\_\_ not being able to decipher the very basic yet complicated facts in determining Self-Employed Income from an accountant statement and a tax form. Judge \_\_\_\_\_ failed at the very basic duties to his job and caused now years of arrears to accumulate and cause financial disparity on the Respondent due to his careless actions with no regard for what his actions cause.

We just had our 2nd trial in front of Judge \_\_\_\_\_ to address the remand and a new Petition to Modify by the Respondent and again Judge \_\_\_\_\_ has failed to perform the basic duties of his job and issued a rushed and incomplete decision once again that is going to require a Rule 84 For Clarification or a Motion to Reconsider due to his inability to make the very basic decisions that are required for a Judge. We may very well end up back at the \_\_\_\_\_ because in a effort to avoid being admonished by both counsels appearing for the respondent, he can deny to hear the motions and avoid his screw up again for the second time.

In this second ruling, he has issued a ruling based on unsupported and undocumented Child Support Worksheets with no decision on how he came up with the numbers and not showing for what peroid they were intended for, he issued a ruling for new child support but without an arrears calculation, he ruled on issues outside the scope of what was being asked for and went against his own ruling previously on \_\_\_\_\_ in regard to \_\_\_\_\_ expenses being \_\_\_\_\_ % the responsibility of the Petitioner to later rule again and make it \_\_\_\_\_ after the fact. He also rewarded the Petitioner reimbursement of funds without verifying the facts of what was submitted to the court. He awarded \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ and under the original ruling \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ in which the Petitioner paid for the \_\_\_\_\_ and the Respondent paid for the \_\_\_\_\_. Then turned around and ordered the Respondent in the new ruling to pay for half of the Petitioners \_\_\_\_\_ expenses that is very obviously \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ expenses incurred if they paid for \_\_\_\_\_ and another \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_

Lastly, Judge \_\_\_\_\_ during the testimony of the Petitioner, it was a very blatant disregard for the orders of the court that the Petitioner was withholding income information and lying under oath in regard to his income that the Judge failed to admonish or even order the proper information to be able to do his job in knowing the actual amount of money at the Petitioner's disposal and just went with what was being presented to him without even ruling based on inference due to the Petitioners lying on the record and blatant disregard to the courts Discovery Orders.

This Judges failure to follow the very basic procedures of Law and determining the dealings of \_\_\_\_\_ with no regard is a reason for discipline and removal from the bench due to his misconduct and inability to properly rule and make decisions to the letter of the law and with Clarity. I respectfully ask that you admonish Judge \_\_\_\_\_ and allow for the \_\_\_\_\_ of Arizona to regain dignity and clarity to the very important part of society in not only \_\_\_\_\_ but \_\_\_\_\_ as a whole.