State of Arizona

COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

	Disposition of Complaint 23-230
Judge:	
Complainant:	

ORDER

October 6, 2023

The Complainant alleged discrimination due to intellectual challenges from a superior court judge in a family law 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 Barbara Brown, Colleen E. Concannon, and Louis Frank Dominguez did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on October 6, 2023.

Signature/Date

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Judge

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In am not sure where to begin, I feel Completely Discriminated against, as well as being treated unfairly due to my Intellectual challenges By Judge I am appalled at the way I was treated, and now my daughter will have to pay the ultimate price of her happiness and stability and maybe even her mental health as an year old.

The Plaintiff had an attorney, I feel that I was not even heard, I had proof of the Guns, the suicide attempts by her children that have lived with her, and who also have . as all of them do But the judge did not want to hear it as I did not have an attorney.

On our status hearing I advised Judge I had filed a complaint against with for the validity of the notes that had given Mom the Judge stated "

" when I stated it has a lot to do with the case as the temporary order was based on the notes which are not valid Judge ignored me.

Judge stated in the order dated Pg

"But I took care of my kids for all those years without her help, and did a Damn good job and new I am being singled out and treated unfair do to the judge being bias because can afford an Attorney. She originally filed for Sole Legal decision Making, and sole physical custody of . Page - 1st paragraph "Inot understand simple concepts like parenting time proposal and legal decision making The court did not find Credible Fathers testimony that he does not understand the court proceedings or what a "

"so meaning" really I am an
I am not a stupid person, and I do not appreciate being belittled, and treated unfair by
Judge because I am on Social security and cannot afford an attorney, so my Daughter has
to pay for that, and be put in harms way where her kids chase eachother wth Knives around the
house and have suicide attempts, interviewed the kids, we gave her other
witnesses she didnt contact, I understand that Arizona is a Mother state but not every women
who has kids is a Mother.

We have voiced our concerns, and nothing happened the judge just ignored us

continues to be Bullied, and called a " " by her sister and Brother when she is there, she has voiced that she does not want to live with Her mother she wants to stay with me, Finally on before the hearing ended stated she wanted as well now even though was nor filed for, Now mind you they both come with Social Security Checks in the amount of each which just moved from a to to a month. I am writing you as I am in fear of my daughter being there and continued to be bullied, stated she was doing bad in school that is not the case she finished the year doing well academically, yes her behavior is an issue but has gotten much better.

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The final evidence was to be submitted by and yes that's my fault I did not submit anything My mother was put in HOSPICE so I was focused on that she passed and her services were

That was my fault it did not get submitted. Then Her attorney did not send her exhibits to the correct address so I would get them before the hearing, when she had sent other things to the correct address, Judge did not care that I did not get them and put them all into evidence. I received them after the case was over at my old address.

Also on Page 5 paragraph 4 the court finds that is of suitable age but limited maturity Therefore the court gives wishes limited weight. She has voiced to her mom she does not want to live their and her mom stated "how is this looking out for the best interest of your kids.