

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 19-187

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Judge:

Complainant:

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**ORDER**

September 25, 2019

The Complainant alleged a superior court commissioner had deliberately rejected his filings and had unlawfully detained him on a child support warrant.

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 Rules 16(a) and 23(a).

Commission member George H. Foster, Jr. did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on September 25, 2019.

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

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

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On \_\_\_\_\_, petitioner  
in the family court matter of \_\_\_\_\_  
Case no. \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ County  
Court, delivered for filing;

(1) waiver / deferral of costs, (2) motion to  
modify support, (3) motion to modify  
parenting time, and (4) motion to restrict  
out of state travel, to Judge \_\_\_\_\_  
and his clerk \_\_\_\_\_

The motions were not  
filed and presumed rejected because  
has \_\_\_\_\_ in custody on an unlawful child  
support warrant and will not release him  
unless he pays the court money he does  
not have, amounting to unlawful detention  
and extortion.

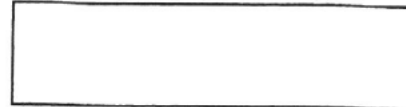
On \_\_\_\_\_ who is in custody  
on an unlawful child support warrant  
where the court set bond at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

was able to pay \$ \_\_\_\_\_ but  
is unable to pay the remaining amount,  
argues that \_\_\_\_\_ and his clerk  
have reviewed his pleading but are  
intentionally rejecting his motions for

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modification of release conditions and other relief that not subject to challenge by the court or any opposing party, he contends that the court is colluding his wife and family in Arizona and threatening them that he may not release unless he is able to pay more money. Please note, \_\_\_\_\_ has no criminal record and should not be in jail, he is able to pay support but while in custody he is not able to work or pay. More troubling, \_\_\_\_\_ resides in \_\_\_\_\_ County and his exwife is not a U.S. citizen residing in \_\_\_\_\_ after being deported by the U.S. District Court for illegal entry and manufacture of false U.S. documents, \_\_\_\_\_ contends that \_\_\_\_\_ has unlawfully detained him and rejects his pro se pleadings or any attempt to resolve this difficult situation. \_\_\_\_\_ a U.S. citizen argues that \_\_\_\_\_ has violated his constitutional rights restraining his liberties and rejecting his pleadings.