

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 24-191

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

August 23, 2024

The Complainant alleged improper legal rulings by a justice of the peace *pro tem* hearing a civil 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 Michael J. Brown and Colleen E. Concannon did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on August 23, 2024.

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This _____, who is not an attorney or Judge does not read any exhibits; he just set hearing dates
There is no value to the case
There is no debt yet he ignores the correspondence sent
This has been reported to the _____ and to the _____
_____ seems to represent the Plaintiff instead

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