

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 24-288

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Judge:

Complainant

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**ORDER**

November 22, 2024

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge threatened and intimidated him into accepting a plea agreement and engaged in ex parte communication with the State's attorney.

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 Joseph C. Kreamer did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on November 22, 2024.

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

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The judge threatened me with arrest that if I didn't sign contract she would have 2 officers arrest me that she called into the courtroom to threaten and intimidate me with, so of course I signed the contract out of fear of being arrested. And before I announced it on the record both the county attorney and judge had a financial interest in the matter before me ~~excessively~~ walking off the bench and having an exclusive meeting with just the county attorney being present while court was still in process and so I called for the matter to be dismissed do to being the only one present for the matter after the retreating of the judge & county attorney in order to amend the contract. Also I believe I advised the judge of being extorted out of [ ] from the public defender appointed by her.

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