

State of Arizona  
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

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Disposition of Complaint 25-220

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Judge:

Complainant:

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**ORDER**

August 15, 2025

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge improperly set a case for trial as a punishment when a criminal defendant tried to fire his court appointed lawyer.

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 Regina L. Nassen and Delia R. Neal did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on August 15, 2025.

**To:** Arizona Commission on Judicial Conduct and All Related Relevant Officials  
**Subject:** Urgent Complaint Regarding Judicial Misconduct, Collusion, and Coercion Resulting in the Violation of Multiple Constitutional Rights  
**Defendant:**  
**Case number:**

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I, \_\_\_\_\_, am formally submitting this complaint to address the egregious judicial misconduct observed during Case Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ on or about \_\_\_\_\_ to about \_\_\_\_\_, the presiding judge, \_\_\_\_\_ willfully undermined the defendant's constitutional rights, compromising the integrity of the proceedings and resulting in a fundamentally unjust trial.

The court appointed public defender, \_\_\_\_\_, offered the defendant, \_\_\_\_\_, an appalling plea deal on \_\_\_\_\_. Said plea deal included \_\_\_\_\_ years served followed by \_\_\_\_\_ life sentences of probation. It is imperative that I mention the defendant was not given the opportunity to present a statement refuting the victim's allegations. Additionally, the public defender failed to assess the strength of the case, as crucial evidence had not been obtained, reviewed, nor presented to all parties in open court. This violation of the defendant's Fifth Amendment protection against self-incrimination raises great concerns of coercion as the judge is aware that an evidentiary hearing had not taken place. Denying a defendant an evidentiary hearing undermines their right to a fair trial, as guaranteed by the Sixth Amendment.

The defendant, \_\_\_\_\_, explicitly requested a continuance with his counsel, public defender, \_\_\_\_\_ to secure and ensure adequate time is allotted to procure the necessary evidence to support their defense; as in accordance with the Fourteenth Amendment's due process protections and the Sixth Amendment's right to a fair trial. However, upon the defendant privately expressing their concerns with the inefficiency and inadequate representation provided by the public defender; \_\_\_\_\_ became visibly irritated and prideful thereafter as he mocked and laughed with an individual from the prosecutor's office (male) in a sarcastic manner, to shame and humiliate the defendant, \_\_\_\_\_ openly in court in the moments to come.

Before the defendant was brought from the holding area, it was also observed that the public defender, prosecutor, and judge conferred openly in court, colluding with one another to express their displeasure over the defendant's intent to seek new counsel and devised a plot to prevent the defendant from taking such action. It is noted that the defendant's right under the Sixth Amendment guarantees the right to competent legal representation, thus the defendant's request to new and effective legal counsel is in alignment with the constitutional rights. Once the defendant was brought before the court, the public defender deliberately misrepresented the defendant's wishes, by presenting additional options beyond what the defendant had clearly stated and advised their counsel. On record, on or about \_\_\_\_\_, the judge inquired, " \_\_\_\_\_? \_\_\_\_\_ response thereafter was, "



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It is crucial that the Arizona Commission on Judicial Conduct understands and acknowledges that the actions of the judge, prosecutor, and public defender in this case not only violate constitutional law but also stand in direct opposition to God's law as revealed in Holy Scripture. The Bible repeatedly condemns wickedness, corruption, and injustice, warning that those who pervert justice will face divine judgment. Isaiah 5:20 declares, "Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness." The collusion among court officials to strip the defendant of their right to due process, effective legal representation, and denial of proper court proceedings is a clear example of injustice behavior, which God detest.

Proverbs 6:16-19 lists the things the Lord hates, including "a lying tongue, hands that shed innocent blood, a heart that devises wicked schemes, feet that are quick to rush into evil, a false witness who pours out lies, and a person who stirs up conflict in the community." The rushed trial, the misrepresentation of the defendant's wishes, and the denial of fairness reflect these very sins. Jeremiah 17:9 warns, "The human heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked." When those entrusted with administering justice instead manipulate the system for their own interests, they betray both the law of God and the law of man.

God commands righteous judgment and fairness for all people, especially the vulnerable. Micah 6:8 instructs, He has shown you, O man, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. The failure of the court to uphold fairness and impartiality is a direct violation of this divine mandate. Those who abuse their authority and deny justice must and will be held accountable—not only by human law but by the higher law of God.

Given the severity of these violations, I formally request:

1. A full investigation into Judge \_\_\_\_\_ conduct.
2. A review of all case proceedings including but not limited to court documents, audio and video records to determine if judicial misconduct occurred.
3. Appropriate disciplinary action if the judge is found to have violated ethical or constitutional standards.
4. Immediate exoneration of defendant, \_\_\_\_\_, from \_\_\_\_\_ County

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I, \_\_\_\_\_, appreciate your prompt attention to this matter as there has been an obstruction of justice and look forward to your response detailing and confirming the misconduct and unlawfulness of the legal officials. Please confirm receipt of this complaint and provide guidance on the next steps in the investigation process in writing by sending any and all correspondences to the address provided below.

Sincerely,

Phone:

**Verification on Affirmation**

State of Arizona

County of \_\_\_\_\_

On this \_\_\_\_\_, I, \_\_\_\_\_, affirms that I am the person whose identification card(s) I presented to you, and I affirm that the contents of this document are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary Public  
Title or Rank: Notary Public  
Serial Number (if any): \_\_\_\_\_  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_