

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 25-291

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

September 5, 2025

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge failed to follow the law.

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 Denise K. Aguilar, Roger D. Barton, Joseph C. Kreamer, Regina L. Nassen, and Christopher P. Staring did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on September 5, 2025.

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COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

Name: [] Judge's Name: []

Instructions: Use this form or plain paper of the same size to file a complaint. Describe in your own words what you believe the judge did that constitutes judicial misconduct. Be specific and list all of the names, dates, times, and places that will help the commission understand your concerns. Additional pages may be attached along with copies (not originals) of relevant court documents. Please complete one side of the paper only, and keep a copy of the complaint for your records.

Judge has violation of rules of the COURT OF ARIZONA RULE 81, ARIZONA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT ON BEHALF OF RULE 2.3, BIAS, PREJUDICE, AND HARASSMENT DUE TO COMPLAINT COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT AGAINST JUDGE DATED FILED IN WHICH THERE HAS BEEN A VIOLATION OF ARS S 13-4131 DISCHARGE OF PRISONER AND ARS S 13-4132 A1, 2, B7 WHEN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURT OR OFFICER HAS BEEN EXCEEDED, WHEN THE PERSON HAVING CUSTODY OF THE PRISONER IS NOT THE PERSON AUTHORIZED TO DETAIN HIM, AND WHERE A PARTY HAS BEEN COMMITTED ON A CRIMINAL CHARGE WITHOUT REASONABLE, OR PROBABLE CAUSE RULES OF THE COURT OF ARIZONA RULE 81, ARIZONA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT RULE 1.1, RULE 2.2, RULE 2.5 (A.), ALSO USV delinquency and Arizona Code of Judicial Conduct 81. Rule 2.15 (B.) Having knowledge that the lawyer has committed a violation unlawful detainee, and refusal of waiver of counsel Rule 2.16 violation (A.) Judge shall cooperate and be candid with judicial and lawyer agencies. Rule 2.14 violation violation of ARS const Art 6 S14 (1), violation of ARS const. 6 S14 (5) Actions if forcible detainee ARS USCA 3331, ARS const Art 6 S42 on behalf of need of evaluation Suggestions of ARS Const Art 6, 1 S3, on behalf of Assistants on behalf of Assistants on rule (814) 1-5-9 and in violation of 3.8 (a)