

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 25-426

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

January 23, 2026

The Complainant alleged a superior court commissioner prejudged his criminal 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 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 January 23, 2026.

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The Judge made comments on the record about the Defendant being guilty. These statements are unconstitutional and violate the Defendant's right to due process

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