

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 26-078

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

April 21, 2026

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge improperly dismissed 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 Joseph C. Kreamer and Delia R. Neal did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on April 21, 2026.

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Arizona Commission on Judicial Conduct
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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**2026-078****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.

1. I submit this complaint as a report of judicial conduct and process integrity in a foreclosure/trustee's sale case, not as a request for the Commission to reverse any ruling. I understand the Commission cannot reverse court orders or reassign a judge.
2. Case information: Court of Arizona in _____ County,
(foreclosure/trustee's sale posture). Final judgment entered; appeal filed.
3. Defendants (as captioned): _____ d/b/a _____

JOHN DOES 1-10; JANE ROES 1-10.
4. Key filings showing urgency and requested hearing/oversight:
 - a. On _____, I filed an initial motion/request raising equitable subrogation and related equitable oversight issues (reflected on the docket).
 - b. On _____ I filed: "NOTICE OF IMMINENT TRUSTEE'S SALE AND REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE RULING AND HEARING (SUPPLEMENT TO EMERGENCY TRO, REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE RULING, AND STATEMENT OF EQUITABLE OVERSIGHT)" (the "Emergency Supplement"). That filing advised the Court that a trustee's sale was scheduled for _____ and requested an immediate ruling and hearing due to imminent irreparable harm and threatened loss of a home.
 - c. In the Emergency Supplement, I cited 63C Am.Jur.2d, Public Officers and Employees, §247 to emphasize the principle that public-officer authority should be exercised with fidelity to fairness, diligence, and the public trust in a time-sensitive property-deprivation posture.
5. Notice/timing concern: The minute entry I later received is dated _____ as printed. I did not receive that minute entry/order until _____ after which I immediately filed an appeal.
6. Conduct complained of: In a case involving imminent home-loss consequences, the procedural handling reflected in the record—especially the appearance that time-sensitive requests for immediate ruling, hearing, and equitable oversight were not meaningfully addressed before termination—created an appearance inconsistent with careful, diligent, and impartial judicial administration.
7. I am self-represented. In foreclosure/trustee's sale matters, public confidence depends on transparency, diligence, and a meaningful opportunity to be heard before irreversible harm occurs.

REQUESTED COMMISSION REVIEW:

8. I respectfully request the Commission investigate whether the handling of emergency filings and hearing requests in _____—filed ahead of a scheduled trustee's sale—reflects conduct inconsistent with the obligations of judicial office, including fairness, diligence, and maintaining public confidence in impartiality and integrity.

ATTACHMENTS (copies only):

- _____ docket printout (showing _____ filing; _____ Emergency Supplement; final disposition/judgment; appeal entry)
- File-stamped copy of the _____ equitable subrogation motion/request (if available)
- Any notice/document showing trustee's sale scheduled

[« Return to search results](#)**Case Information****Case Number:****File Date:****Case Type:**

Civil

Judge:**Location:****Party Information**

Party Name	Relationship	Sex	Attorney
	Plaintiff	Male	Pro Per
	Defendant		
	Defendant		Pro Per
	Defendant	Female	
	Defendant		
	Defendant	Female	
	Defendant		Pro Per
	Defendant	Male	

Case Documents

Filing Date	Description	Docket Date	Filing Party
NOTE:	NAP - Notice Of Appeal NOTICE OF APPEAL / EFILE BILLING 926 - ME: Under Advisement Ruling NOT - Notice		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	NOTICE OF IMMINENT TRUSTEE'S SALE AND REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE RULING AND HEARING (SUPPLEMENT TO EMERGENCY TRO.REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE RULING,AND STATEMENT OF EQUITABLE OVERSIGHT)		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	NOT - Notice TO PRINCIPAL IS NOTICE TO AGENT / NOTICE TO AGENT IS NOTICE TO PRINCIPAL		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	NOT - Notice TO PRINCIPAL IS NOTICE TO AGENT / NOTICE TO AGENT IS NOTICE TO PRINCIPAL		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOT - Motion TO REMOVE CASE FROM DISMISSAL CALENDAR AND REQUEST INFORMAL STATUS CONFERENCE		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOT - Motion TO RULE OR SET HEARING ON PENDING MATTERS		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	NDI - Notice Of Dismissal AND TERMINATION OF AUTOMATIC STAY		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOT - Motion		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOTION TO RULE ON PENDING WRIT OF EQUITABLE SUBROGATION OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO SET STATUS CONFERENCE RES - Response		
NOTE:	RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO: MOTION TO RULE ON PENDING WRIT OF EQUITABLE SUBROGATION OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO SET STATUS CONFERENCE		
NOTE:	RES - Response Response in Opposition to Emergency Motion to Preserve the Res and Enjoin Trustee's Sale		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOT - Motion EMERGENCY MOTION TO PRESERVE THE RES AND ENJOIN TRUSTEE'S SALE		
NOTE:	RES - Response RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO: WRIT OF EQUITABLE SUBROGATION AND MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT		Plaintiff(1)
NOTE:	MOT - Motion WRIT OF EQUITABLE SUBROGATION AND MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT 314 - ME: Bankruptcy		

NOTE: NOB - Notice Of Filing Bankruptcy
NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY FILING BY THE PLAINTIFF
020 - ME: Matter Under Advisement
NOL - Notice of Lodging
NOTE: Notice of Lodging of Proposed Form of Judgment Dismissing Defendant
MOT - Motion Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SUR-REPLY TO DEFENDANTS' REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTIONS TO DISMISS
REL - Reply

NOTE: Omnibus Reply in Support of Defendants' Motions to Dismiss
NOT - Notice Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: NOTICE OF RESERVATION OF OBJECTION TO RES JUDICATA AND COLLATERAL ESTOPPEL BASED ON PRIOR DISMISSAL
NAR - Notice Of Appearance

NOTE: AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND REQUEST FOR NOTICE
NAR - Notice Of Appearance

NOTE: Notice of Appearance
905 - ME: Correspondence Received By Court
OBJ - Objection/Opposition Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: TO MOTION TO DISMISS BY DEFENDANT
OBJ - Objection/Opposition Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: TO DEFENDANTS MOTION TO DISMISS
MOT - Motion Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: MOTION TO STRIKE PLAINTIFF'S NOTICE OF FILING FILED
056 - ME: Hearing Set
AFM - Affidavit of Service Registered/Certified Mail

NOTE: PROOF OF SERVICE OF VERIFIED COMPLAINT AND RELATED FILINGS /
MTD - Motion To Dismiss

NOTE: MOTION TO DISMISS COMPLAINT PURSUANT TO ARIZ. R. CIV. P. 12(B)(6)
MTD - Motion To Dismiss

NOTE: MOTION TO DISMISS COMPLAINT PURSUANT TO ARIZ. R. CIV. P. 12(B)(6) WITH PREJUDICE
NAR - Notice Of Appearance

NOTE: NOTICE OF APPEARANCE / EFILE BILLING
MTD - Motion To Dismiss

NOTE: MOTION TO DISMISS DEFENDANT PURSUANT TO ARIZ. R. CIV. P. 12(B)(6)
NOF - Notice Of Filing Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: SUPPLEMENTAL EXHIBITS A-L AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND PRAYER FOR RELIEF
ORD - Order

NOTE: ORDER TO APPEAR
COM - Complaint Plaintiff(1)
CSH - Coversheet Plaintiff(1)
APL - Application Plaintiff(1)

NOTE: FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

Case Calendar

Date	Time	Event
		Order To Show Cause
		Oral Argument
		Evidentiary Hearing
		Evidentiary Hearing
		Status Conference

Judgments

Date	(F)or / (A)gainst	Amount	Frequency	Type	Status
No records found.					

LOYALTY OATH OF OFFICE

Please read Arizona Revised Statutes on reverse side of this form.

File Number #

Official Use Only

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State of Arizona)
County of _____)

I _____ do solemnly swear (or affirm) that
(type or print name)

I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution and laws of the State
of Arizona, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same and defend them against all enemies,
foreign and domestic, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of the office of
Superior Court Judge _____ according to the best of my ability, so help me God (or so I do affirm).
(name of office)

(signature of officer or employee)

(date of signing)

State of Arizona)
County of _____)

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this _____ day
of _____

(seal)

Notary Public

Filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on _____ at _____

Secretary of State

Notice to Principal is Notice to Agent/ Notice to Agent is Notice to Principal

1. Complainant

, appearing pro per.

(Additional contact information appears on the Commission form.)

2. Judges Complained Of

This complaint concerns judicial conduct by:

1. The Honorable _____, Court of Arizona,
County — related to _____.
2. The Honorable _____, Court of Arizona,
County — related to _____.

3. Cases and Parties

Case A (Earlier Case):

- _____ (Judge _____)
- Outcome: Dismissed with prejudice (per the docket/minute entry to be attached).

Case B (Foreclosure / Trustee's Sale Case):

- _____ (Judge _____)
- Outcome: Final judgment entered; appeal filed.
- Defendants: _____ d/b/a _____, a limited partnership;
_____ d/b/a _____,
_____, an individual;

**THE COMMISSION'S POLICY IS
TO POST ONLY THE FIRST FIVE
PAGES OF ANY DISMISSED
COMPLAINT ON ITS WEBSITE.**

**FOR ACCESS TO THE
REMAINDER OF THE
COMPLAINT IN THIS MATTER,
PLEASE MAKE YOUR REQUEST
IN WRITING TO THE
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL
CONDUCT AND REFERENCE
THE COMMISSION CASE
NUMBER IN YOUR REQUEST.**