

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 26-192

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

June 2, 2026

The Complainant alleged a superior court judge improperly returned the children to the parents in a dependency 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 Denise K. Aguilar, Michael J. Brown, and Regina L. Nassen did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on June 2, 2026.

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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**2026-192****COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE**

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Judge's Name:

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I'm writing this complaint regarding case # , the case included a year old boy getting burned with cooking grease on his the year old was also had splashes of grease on and once arrived at parents house worker and officer notice the mom was full of substance barely can walk falling down, female parent had to use the wall of apartment to hold her self on the wall, other kids was running around the apartment crying for help while both parents did not pay attention about where the other kids where about were. the oldest boy was in front of the apartment (age years old) with younger brother which was (years old) asking random individuals for help their baby brother was on fire. with no supervision. Once I arrived at the apartment the year old entire food was almost severely burned.the parents was trying to put out the grease on the section love seat , which was fully on fire. the year old was able to go to the (burn center) for months in order to heal the it was a try talking to father which started being aggressive towards police officers and worker refused medical help. decided to take kids. the female parent was so high off substance that she almost fell down stairs with kids trying to run. all kids were placed in custody. the parents stated they did nothing wrong! they will not change their decision not calling the paramedics for help! The kids was underweight. The guardian reported that the kids was trying to eat out the trash. The guardian reported that the kids try to walk out the house in the middle of night, she believes the kids were used to not being monitored. guardian had som concerns about the male parent sexual abuse kids included kissing sons on the mouth. guardian also reported the kids (oldest boy) (only girl) was kissing on the lips and touching each other private parts and calling each other boyfriend/girlfriend Both parents admit that they had some type of mental disorder.(male parent believed to be disorder, mixed with serious disorder) included and many more.both parents tested dirty on both substance test , alcoholism was positive. no classes was completed. there was case aid informing caseworker of danger to the workers safety. included (quote : telling the case said he was going to kill everyone.) case aid also reported to the case worker that male parent was smoking a substance in front of him and drinking alcohol. male parent was being aggressive and abusive in front of him. Case was scared to lose job but did not properly report the issue. all these issues included not cooperating with was feeling concerned about their safety. The judge gave back their kids knowing all of these issues. This is a big concern for the kids and the 5 kid that's on the way!. if the parents did not care to stop smoking drugs or drinking alcohol, Why was the kids RETURN. why the judge did not consider the proper casing of the children. What made these parents special was that the judge did not see the danger of the issue of the case? Why did the judge not care about the kids and where they live? When will the system start showing they care when it comes to these kids and more life so they won't keep coming back to the system? This issue questions the judge's position as a judge! This is a dangerment to the children's life! Please open a case on these kids and the judge. all these issues are major concern which the kids should NOT have been RETURN! please save the kids before anything happens to the kids in a worse way. I'm terrified of the kids not living.

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