

State of Arizona
COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

Disposition of Complaint 25-014

Judge:

Complainant:

ORDER

April 11, 2025

The Complainant alleged a superior court commissioner was biased against the father and denied the new wife an opportunity to be heard in a child custody 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 member Delia R. Neal did not participate in the consideration of this matter.

Copies of this order were distributed to all appropriate persons on April 11, 2025.

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This complaint is to bring attention to commissioner _____ conduct and misuse of power.

During _____ time overseeing my case in family court Commissioner _____ has violated not only my rights in the constitution but also the rights of my family members and the conduct expected by this commission and the state of Arizona.

Most recently the commissioner made a ruling leaving my minor child living with friends after the mother abandoned the child in Arizona

less than 1 week after receiving the custody ruling from _____ said I agreed to the child living with friends even though my motion clearly stated I did not agree to the arrangement. I never had the chance to be heard in court before the judge made this ruling thus violating the 14th amendment to due process, equal protection and my right to parent.

In the same ruling she dismissed the back child support I was owed of over _____ and did not credit any of the payments I made to mother in _____ stating the back child support was not mentioned but it was ordered by the same court and should have been reviewed. She instead ordered me to pay _____ in back support with no credit again violating the 14th amendment.

Commissioner _____ made bias ruling against me with no proof. Solely based on lies told by Mother. The mother said she would provide proof and witnesses at the trial but never did.

Mother has a history with alcoholism and failed her soberlink test and had multiple missed test, Commissioner ignored those concerns further showing her bias opinion, child with mother is now drinking and so is mother.

The commissioner ordered me to do drug and domestic violence classes even though I was never charged with drug use or dv and there is no proof or evidence of this and it is untrue.

Even after taking a drug assessment which stated I did not need any intervention but bia and mother did not like that so I got another evaluation

from a program with a minimum amount of classe in hopes this would prove my sobriety.

My sobriety was only questioned because the mother made false allegations and _____ believed mother without any proof

I was even ordered to do random drug testing even though there are no options in _____ county I had to drive over an hour each way to test

2 times per week putting a financial burden on my family.

Mother requested a previous bia instead of the next available bia and mother lied and said there was a conflict with other available bias which was

untrue. _____ granted mother's wish further dismissing father chance at a fair trial as this bia has been bias in the past.

I requested Family counseling numerous times and that fell on deaf ears.

Commissioner _____ violated the constitutional rights of myself, my wife and my parents when she made a no contact order against my wife _____

without ever having her served or given her the opportunity to be heard violating her right to due process, right to notice, right if a fair hearing and her right to be heard. This order also violates the rights of myself and my parents. _____ threatened contempt if we spoke to the children about _____ or if she even called or text

the home during a visit with the children thus violating our right to association, freedom of speech and again my right to parent. This has caused emotional distress to all of my family as we are forced to celebrate holidays

without my wife, the mother to our _____ other children and step mother to my children for _____ years, until _____ we were majority parents to the children.

Commissioner conduct is unconstitutional and threatening

On several occasions the commissioner has taken over 60 days to respond to a motion and sometimes didn't answer at all thus causing me undue financial burdens as I pay my attorney for each motion they file. As with the last order the judge didn't even let me speak and now I am paying for another motion to be filed all the while my child is living at a friend's home against my wishes.

Commissioner needs to be investigated before she harms other families. Please review this case in detail and watch the trial.
I am only asking for fairness, justice and my rights that are protected in the constitution.

Thank you for your attention in this matter

IN THE COURT

COUNTY, STATE OF ARIZONA

Date: _____

HONORABLE

By Judicial Administrative Assistant: _____

IN RE THE MATTER
AND/OR MARRIAGE OF

PETITIONER

AND

RESPONDENT

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The Court has received and reviewed the Petitioner's, herein after "Father", *Motion for Relief From Judgement Pursuant to A.R.F.L.P. Rule 85* filed on _____, and the Respondent's, herein after "Mother", *Response to Motion For Relief From Judgment Pursuant to A.R.F.L.P. Rule 85* filed on _____

Father raises three issues in his Motion. First, he requests that the child support be recalculated with his monthly income being imputed at _____. Second, Father requests that the Court account for any arrearages Mother owes to Father for child support and deduct Mother's arrearage from any past support judgement entered against Father. Third, Father requests that ongoing child support be recalculated to account for the child, _____, relocating to Arizona to reside with a third-party full time.

1. Requested Recalculation of Father's Monthly Income for purposes of Child Support Calculation

Contrary to Petitioner's assertions, Father specifically testified at trial as to his current income as well as the additional income he would be receiving once he began coaching football at the high school again. Specifically, Father testified during his direct testimony that he makes approximately _____ per month gross each month through his small business and will make an additional _____ once he starts coaching. Father specifically testified that he grosses _____ monthly. While Father's Counsel has argued that the Court should attribute Father a monthly income of _____ per month based upon

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