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CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

Re: Docket No.: 22.008

This Complaint alleged misconduct by three Judges in a divorce action, based on Complainant's claims that the respondent Judges did not grant a motion made by Complainant, nor enter a specific order the Complainant believed was necessary.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry, including a thorough review of all of the Complainant's filings and the docket history of the underlying litigation. The Board found that the Complaint and the other materials submitted by the Complainant did not support or allege violations of any Canon of the Code of Judicial Conduct, but instead raised appellate issues. Therefore, the Board has determined that the Complaint falls outside of the Board's jurisdiction, and there is no cause for further proceedings. *Rules of the Supreme Court for the Disciplinary Control of Judges*, Rules 6(17) & 7(1).

Accordingly, the Complaint in Docket No. 22.008 is DISMISSED.

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By: 
Michael N. Donofrio, Vice Chair