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CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

Re: Docket No.: 16.032

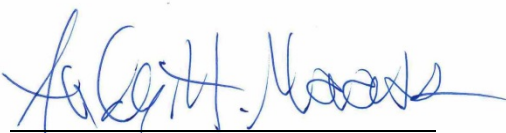
This Complaint is the result of a misunderstanding of actions taken by the Judge after a hearing in which one of the attorneys displayed signs of being ill.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry, including reviewing the docket in the matter, listening to the audio of the hearing and reviewing the response of the Judge. If founded, the actions complained of would be violations of Canon 3(B)(3), 3(B)(4) and 3(B)(7).

To the extent the Complaint alleges ethical impropriety or a violation of the Code of Judicial Conduct, the Board has determined that the Complaint is unfounded and there is no cause for further proceedings. *Rules of the Supreme Court for the Disciplinary Control of Judges*, Rule 11.

Accordingly, the Complaint in Docket No. 16.032 is DISMISSED.

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By: 
Andrew H. Maass, Chair