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CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

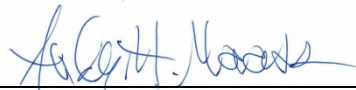
Re: Docket No.: 17.019

This Complaint is the result of dissatisfaction with the conduct of Complainant's trial 8 years ago. The Rules of the Judicial Conduct Board were sent to the Complainant, including a discussion of Rule 6(18) regarding the Board's jurisdiction only over events no more than 3 years prior to the date of the Complaint, along with giving the Complainant 30 days to supplement the Complaint with specific allegations under the Board's jurisdiction, but Complainant failed to do so.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry. The Board found no good cause for re-opening or further investigate the matter because the events complained of occurred more than 3 years ago. 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. 17.019 is DISMISSED.

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By: 
Andrew H. Maass, Chair