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CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

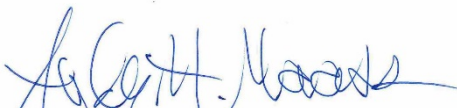
Re: Docket No.: 18.007

This Complaint is the result of a Petition to Access Public Records the Complainant filed. The allegations were that Complainant received no response to his multiple requests for a hearing. The Board reviewed the docket sheet and found that Complainant's attorney had filed a Notice of Dismissal 13 days before the filing of the Judicial Conduct Board Complaint, and the Judge merely accepted and signed the dismissal. The Rules of the Judicial Conduct Board were sent to the Complainant, along with a copy of the docket sheet. Complainant was given 30 days to supplement the Complaint, but Complainant did not respond.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry. 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. 18.007 is DISMISSED.

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By: 
Andrew H. Maass, Chair