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## Closure Report of the Vermont Judicial Conduct Board

Re: Docket No. 12.014

The Complaint arose out of the results of a relief from abuse hearing. The Complaint included allegations that the Judge did not treat the Complainant fairly. Complainant was particularly angry that two of his motions were denied. These denials would be appellate issues rather than issues of judicial misconduct.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry including a review of the pleadings and orders filed by the parties in the Court, as well as a review of the transcript of the hearing. 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 7(1).

The Complaint in Docket No. 12.014 is DISMISSED.

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By: Steven A. Adler