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## Closure Report of the Vermont Judicial Conduct Board

Re: Docket No. 13.003

This Complaint has its roots in the outcome of a custody battle. The child is in the custody of a grandparent. Complainant parent is unhappy with the length of time it took the Judge to issue a Decision as well as with the Decision itself. Complainant alleged violations of Canon 3B (8).

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry including a review of the pleadings and orders filed by the parties in the Court. 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.

The Complaint in Docket No. 13.003 is DISMISSED.

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