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## Closure Report of the Vermont Judicial Conduct Board

Re: Docket No. 14.036

The Judicial Conduct Board investigated a complaint which alleged, among other things, that the Respondent Judge issued an Order in a family court case after the Judge had already decided to recuse himself from the case. The Board retained Special Counsel to investigate the matter. Ultimately, the Board entered into a Deferred Discipline Agreement with the Respondent Judge. All terms of the Deferred Discipline Agreement have been successfully and fully complied with and pursuant to Rule 8(3) the matter is hereby dismissed.

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By: Steven A. Adler