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Closure Report of the Vermont Judicial Conduct Board

Re: Docket No. 16.038

Complainant makes no specific allegations which identify any unethical conduct or any specific Judge; rather, the "complaint" received by this Board is labeled "Cease and Desist Order." In this filing, allegations are made about a number of different individuals, including judges, lawyers and an estate administrator. Of those individuals, only the judges would be within this Board's jurisdiction. Complainant states he intends to file a "full and detailed complaint" within 10 days. Complainant was given thirty days to file a Complaint with some specific allegations and a named judge but failed to do so.

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.

The Complaint in Docket No. 16.038 is DISMISSED.

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By: Steven A. Adler