JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

JCP No. 08-18-90047

In re Complaint of John Doe¹

This is a judicial complaint filed by a pro se litigant against the United States district judge who presided over the pro se litigant's civil rights action. In the judicial complaint, the pro se litigant does not describe the conduct or evidence of disability that is the subject of the complaint against the district judge.

The judicial complaint fails to "contain a concise statement that details the specific facts on which the claim of misconduct or disability is based." Judicial-Conduct and Judicial-Disability Proceedings of the Judicial Conference of the United States (J.C.U.S.) Rule 6(b). Therefore, it "lack[s] sufficient evidence to raise an inference that misconduct has occurred or that a disability exists." 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(iii); accord J.C.U.S. 11(c)(1)(D).

¹Under Rule 4(f)(1) of the Rules Governing Complaints of Judicial Misconduct and Disability of the Eighth Circuit, the names of the complainant and the judicial officer complained against are to remain confidential, except in special circumstances not here present.

The complaint is dismissed.

August 22, 2018

Lavenski R. Smith, Chief Judge United States Court of Appeals

for the Eighth Circuit