



# Alaska Commission on Judicial Conduct

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## Complaint About An Alaska State Court Judge

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

Court: Supreme \_\_\_\_\_ Appeals \_\_\_\_\_ Superior \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Court Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Name (If Relevant): \_\_\_\_\_

Case Number (If Relevant): \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Use of your name: **If the box below is not checked, the Commission will proceed at its own discretion.**

( ) **The Commission may use my name in any communications with the judge related to the Commission's disciplinary functions.**

Your Telephone No: \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening)

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Signature: **(REQUIRED)** \_\_\_\_\_

***Please specify exactly, in your own words, what action or behavior of the judge is the basis of your complaint. Please provide relevant dates and names of others who witnessed the action or behavior.  
You may use additional paper, or reverse side if necessary.***

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

REQUIREMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY

In accordance with Alaska law and the Procedural Rules for the Alaska Commission on Judicial Conduct, the contents of your complaint and the fact that you filed it, must be kept in strict confidence.

Confidentiality is defined by section 22.30.060 of the Alaska Statutes as:

**Sec. 22.30.060. Rules and confidentiality.** (a) The commission shall adopt rules implementing this chapter and providing for confidentiality of proceedings. (b) All proceedings, records, files, and reports of the commission are confidential and disclosure may not be made except

- (1) upon waiver in writing by the judge at any stage of the proceedings;
- (2) if the subject matter or the fact of the filing of charges has become public, in which case the commission may issue a statement in order to confirm the pendency of the investigation, to clarify the procedural aspects of the proceedings, to explain the right of the judge to a fair hearing, or to state that the judge denies the allegations; or
- (3) upon filing of formal charges, in which case only the charges, the subsequent formal hearing, and the commission's ultimate decision and minority report, if any, are public; even after formal charges are filed, the deliberations of the commission concerning the case are confidential. (§ 1 ch 213 SLA 1968; am § 7 160 SLA 1984; am § 6 ch 135 SLA 1990)

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