

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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Complaint Number: 05-16-90120

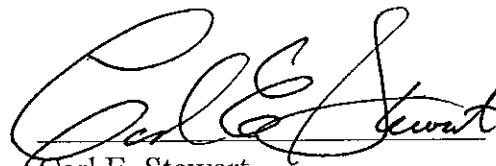
MEMORANDUM

Complainant, a *pro se* litigant has filed a judicial misconduct complaint against the subject United States District Judge. Complainant makes no specific allegations against the judge, rather he recites the circumstances that led to his seeking disability benefits, the denial of those benefits by an Administrative Law Judge ["ALJ"], and the subject judge's dismissal of his lawsuit seeking judicial review of the ALJ's decision.

The complaint appears to be aimed directly at the merits of the judge's decision, and is therefore subject to dismissal under 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(ii).

Judicial misconduct proceedings are not a substitute for the normal appellate review process, nor may they be used to obtain reversal of a decision or a new trial.

An order dismissing the complaint is entered simultaneously herewith.



Carl E. Stewart
Chief Judge

August 29, 2016