

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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MEMORANDUM

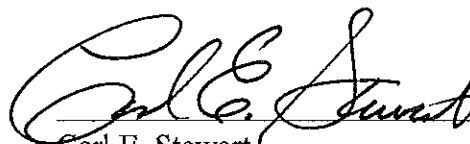
Complainant, a pro se litigant and former state prisoner, has filed a judicial misconduct complaint against an unspecified district or magistrate judge. Complainant, who is the subject of a preclusion order barring him from filing lawsuits in the district court without the prior permission of a district or magistrate judge, recently attempted to file a civil rights lawsuit on behalf of himself and his minor daughter. After taking complainant's civil rights complaint to a district or magistrate judge for review, a clerk's office employee advised complainant that permission to file had been denied. Complainant was not told the name of the judicial officer who denied permission to file.


Complainant complains that the decision was improper because, while he is subject to the preclusion order, his minor daughter is not.

The allegation relates directly to the merits of the judicial officer'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

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