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May 29, 2025

Lyle W. Cayce
Clerk

Judicial Council for the Fifth Circuit

Complaint Number: 05-25-90050

IN RE COMPLAINT OF JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT
UNDER THE JUDICIAL IMPROVEMENTS ACT OF 2002.

ORDER AND MEMORANDUM OF REASONS

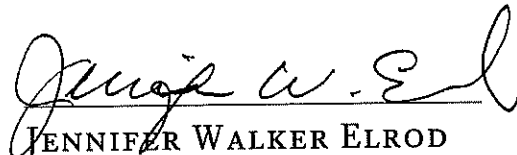
Complainant, a pro se litigant, has filed a complaint alleging misconduct by a United States District Judge in a 42 U.S.C. § 1983 proceeding.

Complainant complains that the judge erroneously and improperly dismissed the case. In support of this claim, Complainant submits that: “parties weren’t notified/served within the timeframe that [the] law allows in order for them to respond” to the magistrate judge’s Report and Recommendation; a “pretrial hearing wasn’t set resulting in rushing the judgment by dismissing and closing the case w/out a fair hearing”; and the judge did not rule on her motions. She protests that the judge “denied my right of due process equal protection,” “fail[ed] to follow court rules,” “ignored federal law and my constitutional rights,” and “fail[ed] to recuse due to [an unspecified] conflict of interest.”

The complaint relates directly to the merits of decisions or procedural rulings 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.


JENNIFER WALKER ELROD
Chief Judge

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July 15, 2025

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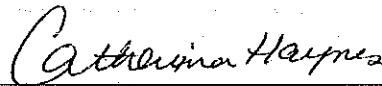
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IN RE COMPLAINT OF [REDACTED] AGAINST
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UNDER THE JUDICIAL IMPROVEMENTS ACT OF 2002.

ORDER

An Appellate Review Panel of the Judicial Council for the Fifth Circuit has reviewed the above-captioned petition for review, and all the members of the Panel have voted to affirm the order of Chief Judge Jennifer Walker Elrod, filed May 29, 2025, dismissing the Complaint of [REDACTED] against [REDACTED] under the Judicial Improvements Act of 2002.

The order is therefore AFFIRMED.



Catharina Haynes
United States Circuit Judge
For the Judicial Council of the Fifth Circuit