

JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

JCP No. 08-18-90017
JCP No. 08-18-90018

In re Complaint of John Doe¹

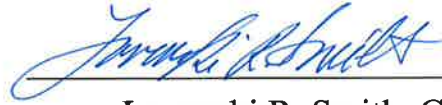
This is a judicial complaint filed by a pro se litigant against two United States district judges who have presided over various actions that the pro se litigant has filed, including a petition for expungement and 42 U.S.C. § 1983 actions. In the judicial complaint, the pro se litigant does not describe the conduct or evidence of disability that is the subject of the complaint against the district judges. Instead, the pro se litigant attached to the judicial complaint a laboratory report and an abstract of a scholarly article concerning DNA.

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. Rule 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.

May 17th, 2018



Lavenski R. Smith, Chief Judge
United States Court of Appeals
for the Eighth Circuit