

JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

JCP No. 08-19-90025

In re Complaint of John Doe¹

This is a judicial complaint filed by a criminal defendant against the United States magistrate judge assigned to his case.

The judicial complaint alleges that the complainant has “filed a 28 USC 351(a) complaint of judicial misconduct against [the magistrate judge].” However, the judicial complaint sets forth no allegations against the magistrate judge.

Because the judicial complaint fails to set forth any allegations of cognizable misconduct against the magistrate judge, the complaint is dismissed. *See* Judicial-Conduct and Judicial-Disability Proceedings of the Judicial Conference of the United States (J.C.U.S.) Rules 4(a), 11(c)(1).

July 8th, 2019



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

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.