

THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT
219 South Dearborn Street
Chicago, Illinois 60604

June 14, 2016

Chief Judge Diane P. Wood

No. 07-16-90052

IN RE COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

MEMORANDUM

Complainant has filed a judicial misconduct complaint against the judge assigned to his case. The complaint is about the judge's rulings and delay in ruling. A review of the docket in this case does not show any undue delay.

As to the complaint about the judge's rulings, any complaint that is "directly related to the merits of a decision or procedural ruling" must be dismissed. 28 U.S.C. §352(b)(1)(A)(ii). *See also* Rule 11(c)(1)(B) of the Rules for Judicial-Conduct and Judicial-Disability Proceedings. "Any allegation that calls into question the correctness of an official action of a judge...is merits related." Standard 2 for Assessing Compliance with the Act, *Implementation of the Judicial Conduct and Disability Act of 1980: A Report to the Chief Justice* 145 (2006). The remedy for erroneous rulings is to appeal, not to file a judicial misconduct complaint.

This complaint is dismissed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §352(b)(1)(A)(ii).