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

June 27, 2016

Chief Judge Diane P. Wood

No. 07-16-90055

IN RE COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

## **MEMORANDUM**

Complainant has filed a judicial misconduct complaint against the judge assigned to his case. This is complainant's third complaint within a year. All three complaints are about the judge's rulings and about delay in decisions. There has not been any undue delay in handing complainant's case. As to his allegations about erroneous rulings, complainant knows he can appeal and has done so. That is the remedy, not a judicial misconduct complaint.

Repetitive filing of insubstantial judicial misconduct complaints is an abuse of the provisions of the Judicial Conduct and Disabilities Act of 1980, 28 U.S.C. §§351-364. If complainant continues to abuse the provisions of the Act, I will ask the Seventh Circuit Judicial Council to require complainant to post a \$1,000 bond before any future complaints are reviewed.

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