

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

November 14, 2018

Chief Judge Diane P. Wood

No. 07-18-90080

IN RE COMPLAINT AGAINST A JUDGE

MEMORANDUM

Complainants have filed a judicial misconduct and disability complaint against a judge arising from the rulings in a case. 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). This complaint lacks sufficient evidence to raise an inference that judicial misconduct has occurred.

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