

## JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD



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### CLOSURE REPORT OF THE VERMONT JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

Re: Docket No.: 20.007

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This Complaint is the result of a matter in which the Complainant made allegations regarding issues of due process, not allegedly having been read rights, the arraignment, the bail set and claims of ineffective counsel. These are all matters for an appellate court, not this Board. **Rule 6(17) of the Rules for Disciplinary Control of Judges states:**

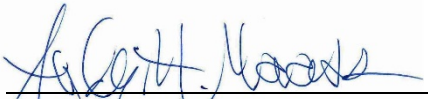
The Board shall not function as an appellate court to review the decisions of a court or judge nor exercise superintending or administrative control over determinations of courts or judges.

The Rules of the Judicial Conduct Board were sent to the Complainant, along with giving the Complainant 30 days to supplement the Complaint with specific allegations under the Board's jurisdiction. Complainant sent additional information, none of which contained allegations under the jurisdiction of this Board.

The Judicial Conduct Board conducted an initial inquiry. To the extent the Complaint alleges ethical impropriety or a violation of the Code of Judicial Conduct, the Board has determined that the Complaint is unfounded and there is no cause for further proceedings. *Rules of the Supreme Court for the Disciplinary Control of Judges*, Rule 11.

Accordingly, the Complaint in Docket No. 20.007 is DISMISSED.

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By:   
Andrew H. Maass, Chair