



**Gerald Austin McHugh**  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

July 1, 2021

Wesley Keith Mullings  
P.O. Box 448  
Newark, NJ 07101-0448

RE: Alleged Judicial Complaint

Dear Mr. Mullings:

I have been advised that you called my Chambers to inquire about the status of the complaint that you filed.

Please be advised that the Codes of Conduct Committee of the Federal Judiciary has no jurisdiction over state court judges, and the judge whose conduct you criticize sits as a state court judge in Union County, New Jersey. Accordingly, neither I nor any member of the Codes of Conduct Committee will be taking any action with respect to your complaint.

For that matter, even as to federal judges, the Committee does not engage in any disciplinary enforcement. Rather, the Committee provides ethical guidance to federal judges when requested to do so. Your remedy, if any, would need to come from individuals with disciplinary authority over the New Jersey state judiciary.

Very truly yours,

*G.A. McHugh v.s. D. J.*