

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Thomas K. Kahn
Clerk

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Atlanta, Georgia 30303

August 25, 2000

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Mr. Joseph S. Norman II
5647 Santa Anita Drive
Tallahassee, FL 32308-2007

RE: Misc. No. 00-0040
IN THE MATTER OF: Joseph S. Norman II

Dear Mr. Norman:

Enclosed is an order of Chief Judge R. Lanier Anderson III that has been received and filed in this office which is effective as of the date filed. This order determines the complaint of judicial misconduct or disability earlier filed by you pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §372(c) and Addendum III of the Rules of the Judicial Council of the Eleventh Circuit. I also invite your attention to Rules 5,6,7 and 15 of Addendum III.

Sincerely,



Thomas K. Kahn

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Enclosures

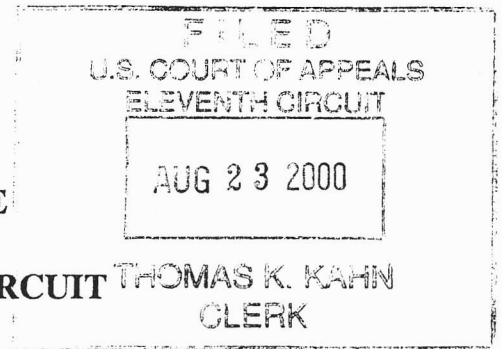
c: Hon. Gerald Bard Tjoflat

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BEFORE THE CHIEF JUDGE

OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Miscellaneous No. 00-0040



IN THE MATTER OF A COMPLAINT FILED BY JOSEPH S. NORMAN II


IN RE: The complaint of Joseph S. Norman II, against Gerald Bard Tjoflat, United States Circuit Judge for the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit, under the Judicial Conduct and Disability Act of 1980, 28 U.S.C. § 372(c).

ORDER

Joseph S. Norman II filed this complaint against United States Circuit Judge Gerald Bard Tjoflat, pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. § 372(c) and Addendum Three to the Rules of the Judicial Council of the Eleventh Circuit.

The allegations of the Complaint are “directly related to the merits of a decision or procedural ruling”. Consequently, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 372(c)(3)(A) and Addendum Three Rule 4 (a)(2) this Complaint is DISMISSED.

Dated this 22 day of August, 2000



Chief Judge