

**JUDICIAL COUNCIL  
OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

<p><b>IN RE COMPLAINT OF JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT</b></p>
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No. 12-90134

**ORDER**

**KOZINSKI**, Chief Judge:

A pro se litigant alleges a district judge obstructed justice and acted in a prejudicial manner by not granting motions or holding hearings regarding his petition for writ of mandamus. These allegations relate directly to the merits of the judge's decisions and must therefore be dismissed. See 28 U.S.C.

§ 352(b)(1)(A)(ii); In re Charge of Judicial Misconduct, 685 F.2d 1226, 1227 (9th Cir. Jud. Council 1982); Judicial-Conduct Rule 11(c)(1)(B).

**DISMISSED.**