JUDICIAL COUNCIL

OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT

IN RE COMPLAINT OF

No. 10-90153

JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT

ORDER

KOZINSKI, Chief Judge:

Complainant alleges that a bankruptcy judge made various incorrect rulings in his case. These charges are dismissed as merits-related. See 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(ii); Judicial-Conduct Rule 11(c)(1)(B). Complainant makes a laundry list of other allegations, including that the judge is mentally disabled, was biased against him, conspired with the trustee and had improper ex parte communications with at least one creditor in the case. But complainant provides no objectively verifiable evidence to support any of these claims. See, e.g., In re <u>Complaint of Judicial Misconduct</u>, 631 F.3d 961, 962 (9th Cir. 2011) ("Adverse rulings do not prove bias or conspiracy."). Because there is no evidence that the judge has a mental disability or engaged in misconduct, these charges must be dismissed as well. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(iii); Judicial-Conduct Rule 11(c)(1)(D).

DISMISSED.

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