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**JUDICIAL COUNCIL
OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

**IN RE COMPLAINT OF
JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT**

No. 15-90007

ORDER

THOMAS, Chief Judge:

Complainant alleges that a district judge intentionally misquoted complainant’s arguments and misstated the record in order to support her rulings and to “stymie appellate review.” To the extent complainant alleges that the judge misconstrued his arguments or misunderstood the record, these allegations relate directly to the merits of the judge’s rulings and must 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).

To the extent complainant alleges that the judge intentionally mischaracterized complainant’s arguments and the record, or tried to “bully and intimidate” complainant, I have reviewed the orders and related documents cited by complainant, and find no evidence that misconduct has occurred.

Accordingly, this charge must be dismissed. See 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(iii);

Judicial-Conduct Rule 11(c)(1)(D).

DISMISSED.