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**JUDICIAL COUNCIL
OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

**IN RE COMPLAINT OF
JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT**

Nos. 15-90138 and 15-90139

ORDER

THOMAS, Chief Judge:

Complainant alleges that two district judges improperly ruled in favor of the opposing parties in her underlying civil cases, and were biased against complainant. Any challenge to the correctness of the judges' rulings must be dismissed as merits-related. 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). Moreover, adverse rulings alone are not proof of bias, and complainant provides no objectively verifiable evidence to support these allegations, which are dismissed as unfounded. See 28 U.S.C. § 352(b)(1)(A)(iii); In re Complaint of Judicial Misconduct, 583 F.3d 598 (9th Cir. Jud. Council 2009); Judicial-Conduct Rule 11(c)(1)(D).

Complainant's allegations regarding Department of Education officials or other non-judges are dismissed because this misconduct complaint procedure

applies only to federal judges. See In re Complaint of Judicial Misconduct, 632

F.3d 1287, 1288 (9th Cir. Jud. Council 2011); Judicial-Conduct Rule 4.

DISMISSED.