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## JUDICIAL COUNCIL

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MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT

IN RE COMPLAINT OF

No. 08-90005

JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT

**ORDER** 

KOZINSKI, Chief Judge:

A misconduct complaint has been filed against a district judge.

Complainant, a pro se prisoner, filed a civil rights action in district court. The subject judge was assigned to the matter.

Complainant alleges that the judge unduly delayed the resolution of his case. Delay is not cognizable "unless the allegation concerns an improper motive in delaying a particular decision or habitual delay in a significant number of unrelated cases." Judicial-Conduct Rule 3(h)(3)(B). Complainant makes no allegation of improper motive or habitual delay here.

DISMISSED.