

**CONTRA COSTA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT  
COMMITTEE ON BIAS  
\*CONFIDENTIAL\* COMPLAINT FORM  
(SEE LOCAL RULE 2.150)**

Standard 10.20 of the Standards of Judicial Administration provides that a court, its judicial officers, and its employees should refrain from conduct exhibiting bias based on classifications protected by law, and should prevent others from engaging in such conduct. The Contra Costa Superior Court Committee on Bias is charged with reviewing complaints of bias made against judicial officers. The Committee's informal procedure is not designed to discipline a judicial officer, but to educate with the purpose of improving the problem and preserving the integrity and impartiality of the judicial system.

If you feel there has been an incident in which a judicial officer exhibited bias, please fill out this form. It will be reviewed by the Committee on Bias, and you will receive a reply within 90 days.

The Committee does not have the authority to discipline any judge. Disciplinary complaints should be submitted to the Commission on Judicial Performance at [https://cjp.ca.gov/file\\_a\\_complaint/](https://cjp.ca.gov/file_a_complaint/).

**Your Information:**

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Phone:**

**Email:**

**Person alleged to have committed bias:**

**Please describe the incident in which this individual exhibited bias. Please be as specific as possible and describe the basis of the alleged bias with reference to the specific categories of bias (e.g., age, ancestry, color, ethnicity, gender, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin, physical or mental disability, political affiliation, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, and any other classification protected by federal or state law). Attach additional pages as necessary.**