

May 24, 1995

Honorable David Reynolds  
Faulkner County Courthouse, 2nd Floor  
Conway, AR 72032

Re: 95-126

Dear Judge Reynolds:

At a hearing on May 19, 1995, the Judicial Discipline & Disability Commission reviewed its file concerning a complaint filed by Hugh Munro and your testimony before the Commission. It is noted you waived your right to additional hearings, including a probable cause hearing in this complaint. The complaint alleges that you unreasonably delayed deciding pending issues in the case of *Kowolski et al. v. Fairfield Bay CC Inc.* for more than a year. In that case a hearing was held on February 2, 1994 and the requested briefs were filed by April 28, 1994. To date no decision concerning attorney fees and costs has been entered. The Commission noted that you repeatedly failed to respond to letters from the Judicial Discipline & Disability Commission.

The Commission found your delay in deciding the case of *Kowolski et al. v. Fairfield Bay CC Inc.* to be unreasonable and a failure to promptly dispose of the business of the Court in violation of Canon 3B(8) of the Arkansas Code of Judicial Conduct. It is the judgment of this Commission that you be and you are hereby admonished. You are also directed to keep better records of pending cases and to decide cases in a timely manner.

The Commission indulges the expectations that you will also respond to letters from the Judicial Discipline & Disability Commission.

This Commission action is public information.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION

Sincerely,

James A. Badami  
Executive Director

CF Hugh Munro