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PUBLIC REPRIMAND ISSUED TO DISTRICT COURT JUDGE MICHAEL SEIBEL

The Minnesota Board on Judicial Standards has imposed a public reprimand upon Mower County District Court Judge Michael Seibel. The discipline was imposed upon the Judge for his failure to conclude a dissolution matter submitted to him within 90 days as directed by Administrative Policy #12 and Minnesota Statute 546.27 constituting a violation of Canon 3A(1) of the Code of Judicial Conduct which provides:

Canon 3A(1) Code of Judicial Conduct

A judge shall hear and decide promptly, efficiently and fairly matters assigned to the judge . . .