

BEFORE THE COMMISSION OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT  
OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

In Re the Matter of:	)	
	)	NO. 90-913-F-19
Honorable H. W. Felsted	)	
Judge	)	
Franklin County District Court	)	ANSWER TO THE
1016 North Fourth	)	STATEMENT OF CHARGES
Pasco, WA 99301	)	
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COMES NOW the respondent above-named and by way of response to the charges admits, denies, and alleges as follows:

Background

Respondent admits Paragraphs (1), (2) and (3).

Facts Supporting Charges

ANSWERING Paragraph (1) respondent denies that he has disregarded and not fulfilled the duties of his office as prescribed by law. Respondent admits, while exercising judicial discretion, some individuals would make contributions and claims may be dismissed. Respondent denies that such conduct is improper, and denies violation of any rules.

ANSWERING Paragraph (2) respondent denies any improper treatment or bias against hispanics or any other minority. All parties are treated equally in respondent's court.

ANSWERING Paragraph (3) respondent denies the same.

Basis for Commission Action

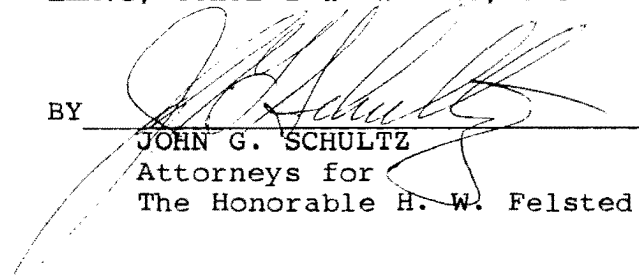
The Commission has no basis for any action and all charges should be dismissed.

WHEREFORE, having fully answered the Statement of Charges respondent prays that the same be dismissed.

DATED this 23rd day of July, 1990.

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The Honorable H. W. Felsted