

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

JOHN B. THOMPSON,

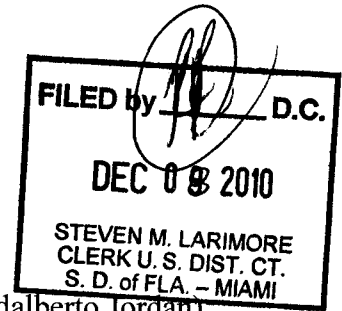
Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 07-21256 (Judge Adalberto Jordan)

THE FLORIDA BAR and
DAVA J. TUNIS,

Defendants.



**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF MOTION FOR RELIEF
FROM ORDER DISMISSING THIS ACTION ON THE BASIS OF NEWLY
DISCOVERED MISCONDUCT BY JUDGE ADALBERTO J. JORDAN AND
MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT THEREOF**

COMES NOW plaintiff, John B. Thompson, hereinafter Thompson, on his own behalf, and moves this court for reconsideration of his motion for relief from its order dismissing this action without prejudice, stating:

1. This deliberative court took less than two days to dispose hurriedly of plaintiff's December 1 motion for relief from its order dismissing this case. For a court allegedly burdened by a crushing case load, this is more telling than impressive.

2. What is even more telling is this court's transmogrification of plaintiff's Rule 60(b)(6) motion into a Rule 60 (b)(2) motion. This court changed plaintiff's motion because it knows plaintiff has a valid Rule 60(b)(6) motion which affords a party such as plaintiff relief from an order for ““*any* other reason that justifies relief.” Instead, Judge Jordan not so cleverly suggests the other Rule is the better Rule for Thompson to have proceeded under because Thompson could argue that his discovery of Judge Jordan's long-running, cozy, financial relationship with The Florida Bar is a new grounds for

relief, yet it would be no grounds for relief because “newly discovered evidence that is in the public domain” should have been discovered earlier.

For a judge who is allegedly one of our more brilliant trial court jurists this is a remarkably obtuse stunt: Ignore a valid motion and pretend it should have been another motion which is then easily denied. Thompson hasn’t seen such inept logic since his high school debating days.

Judge Jordan has performed these clumsy judicial gymnastics because he has absolutely no rebuttal to the now-proven fact that he has for years received all-expenses-paid judicial junkets by virtue of the largesse of The Florida Bar. He does not deal with this issue because he cannot deal with this issue. And there’s the rub, even for one so brilliant, so clever, and so deceptive as The Honorable Adalberto Jordan.

The “extraordinary circumstances” that we have here, in apply that term as it is used in the Toole v. Baxter case so helpfully provided by the court in its December 3 order, are these: Judge Jordan knew that he had, at least four years prior to having Thompson before him in Thompson v. The Florida Bar, a financially profitable relationship with The Florida Bar. Judge Jordan had an absolute obligation to disclose that fact, known fully to him, to all the parties involved. He did not do so, because this same Judge Jordan decided the outcome of this case before he ever read a single pleading. No lawyer, he decided from the get-go, was going to traipse into his courtroom and suggest that The Florida Bar that provided him and provides him still luxury vacation junkets could or would ever do anything wrong in disciplining a lawyer.

In point of fact, Thompson argued early on to this same Judge Jordan that he was a comfortable member of an incestuous “Club” with The Bar’s Governors and other self-

important, self-righteous people who wash one another's hands so as to avoid affording justice to unwashed rabble such as Thompson.

All that Judge Jordan has succeeded in doing, by entering his latest absurd order dated December 3 is further prove, for the purposes of appeal, just how biased and how compromised he has been in this matter from the very start. Thanks for it.

Vacate the dismissal order.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this has been served upon record counsel for The Florida Bar and Dava Tunis by mailing it to the clerk of this court, who will then provide it via the court's CM/ECF electronic system from which plaintiff is banned, this December 6, 2010. Thompson has also provided it, as a courtesy, to the above via e-mail on this date.



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