

1. What experience do you have with the state courts?

I was involved in a multi-year family court proceeding relating to the best interests of my very young daughter after my ex-wife demanded a divorce.

2. Where do you get your information about the state courts?

I have had much direct first hand information through my experience with the family courts. Other information I get from the state's legislative and judicial websites, as well as through federal research.

3. How much do you know about how the state courts operate?

I know a tremendous amount about how the state's family courts operate. The current family law system is a disgrace, frankly. The system needs a total overhaul. It is time for the Judges and Marital Masters to reflect a bit on their own humanity and recognize that they do not have the answers for the state's children of divorce. The bully pulpit they have been granted to adjudge NH's children and non-custodial parents in the age of no-fault divorce has been abused for far too long. Shame on the NH Judiciary for the callous and thoughtless manner in which it has treated the very citizens it is supposed to serve. 'Live Free or Die' is no longer a worthy state motto.

I also know that the judges in the state seem to consider themselves above the law and above redress. Perhaps that is why they can so coldly, unfairly and unwisely continue to separate fit, willing, and able parents from their children and thus doom both to no less than a further lifetime of dysfunction. Surely the state's Marital Masters and Judges believe they are the star attraction and chief protagonists in a George Orwell