

County of Adams

PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

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Disclaimer

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING A PROTECTION FROM ABUSE (PFA) CASE

You have the right to file a PFA case on your own, without an attorney. However, it is **STRONGLY** suggested that you be represented by counsel. You can get **FREE LEGAL HELP** from:

MidPenn Legal Services
128 Breckenridge Street
Gettysburg, PA 17325
Phone: 717-334-7623

You can also get other supportive and confidential help from:

Survivors, Inc.
24 hour hotline: 717-334-9777
24 hour toll free hotline: 800-786-8106
www.survivorsservices.org

Safe Home of Hanover
Phone: 717-632-0007
www.ywcahanover.org/safehome.html

If for some reason, MidPenn Legal Services can't represent you or you decide that you do not want help from any of the resources listed above, you have the right to file a PFA case on your own. You can get all of the necessary forms to do that in the Adams County Courthouse in the Law Library (on the 3rd floor), the Prothonotary's office (1st floor) or on the internet at www.adamscounty.us. Please be aware that the Prothonotary's office can give you clerical assistance but cannot give you any legal advice.

In an emergency situation when the Courthouse is closed, you must file your PFA Petition with the Magisterial District Judge (MDJ) on duty. You can do this by calling Adams County Control (717-334-8101), tell them you want to file an emergency PFA Petition, and ask them to contact the on-duty MDJ. You do not need an attorney to do this, but there are Legal Advocates from Survivors, Inc. and Safe Home available twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week to help you through this process. Survivors and Safe Home also offer free and confidential shelter if you feel that it is not safe to return home. These agencies also offer free, confidential counseling for victims of abuse. You can contact these agencies any time, during any step of this process at the numbers listed above and your information will be kept completely confidential.

WHAT IS ABUSE?

The term “abuse” is defined in the Protection from Abuse law to include:

- Attempting to cause or causing “bodily injury” or committing various sexual offenses. “Bodily injury” is an act that causes substantial pain or impairment of a bodily function.
- Engaging in course of conduct that makes another person fear bodily injury, such as following them around without a proper reason (“stalking”) and/or threatening them.
- Placing another person in reasonable fear of imminent serious bodily injury
- Keeping another person in a place against his/her will by force or threat of force
- Physical or sexual abuse of a child (in this case, the Adams County Children’s Advocacy Center can offer assistance at:
Phone: 717-337-9888 or www.adamscountypacac.org.)

WHO CAN ASK FOR A PFA ORDER?

In order for the Court to have the authority to consider and grant a Protection from Abuse Order, the acts of abuse must occur between either adults and/or minors who have one of the following types of relationships:

- Spouses
- Ex-Spouses
- Persons acting like spouses
- Persons related by blood or marriage
- Former or current sexual partner
- Former or current intimate partner

WHAT PAPERS DO YOU NEED TO FILE?

1. Petition for Protection from Abuse and Notice of Hearing and Order
2. Proposed Temporary Protection From Abuse Order
3. PFA Data Sheet
4. Sheriff’s Service form

You may contact MidPenn Legal Services (717-334-7623), Survivors, Inc. (717-334-9777), or Safe Home (717-632-0007) to assist you in completing these forms. You can get the Petition and Data Sheet from the Prothonotary’s Office (located on the first floor of the Adams County Courthouse) or the Adams County Law Library (located on the third floor of the Adams County Courthouse), or online at www.adamscounty.us. You can only get the Sheriff’s Service Form from the Prothonotary’s Office.

1. FILLING OUT THE PETITION FOR PROTECTION FROM ABUSE (PFA) and NOTICE OF HEARING AND ORDER

CAPTION: The caption includes all the information at the top of the Petition – the name of the Plaintiff, the name of the Defendant, and the case number. You are the Plaintiff and the abuser is the Defendant. Make sure you fill in COMPLETE NAMES (first, middle and last). The Prothonotary will give you the case number, so leave that part blank. Fill in the caption on both the Petition and the Notice of Hearing and Order. THE JUDGE WILL FILL OUT THE REST OF THE INFORMATION ON THE NOTICE OF HEARING AND ORDER.

PARAGRAPH 1 OF THE PETITION: You are the Plaintiff. Write your name in that space.

PARAGRAPH 2: If you are filing the petition only for yourself, only check the box “myself”. If you are only filing the petition for another person, such as a child, check the box “another person”. If you are filing the petition for yourself and another person, check both boxes. If you have checked the box for “another person”, check the box below that shows your relationship to that other person.

PARAGRAPH 3: List the names of all the people for whom you are seeking a protection order. You should only list the names of the people whom you believe the defendant has abused, as described in paragraphs 12 and 13 below.

PARAGRAPH 4: List your address, or check the box saying that your address is confidential. If you are staying at Survivors' shelter or at Safe Home's shelter, mark the box that says your address is confidential. ***Be advised that if you do not list a specific address for yourself, you must make arrangements (other than by mail) with the Prothonotary's Office to get copies of any orders that are issued by the Judge. If you are asking for a temporary custody order as part of your PFA case, you must at least say that the child is living at a confidential address in Adams County.***

PARAGRAPH 5: Fill in the blanks with the requested information about the abuser (“the defendant”). If you don't know an answer, leave the space blank.

PARAGRAPH 6: Check a box to indicate the relationship(s) between you, any other protected person, and the defendant/abuser.

PARAGRAPHS 7-8: Fill in the blanks with the requested information about civil and criminal cases.

PARAGRAPHS 9-10: If you and the abuser have any children together, fill in the blanks with the requested information about those children.

PARAGRAPH 11: Fill in the blanks about any other children (NOT children of the defendant/abuser) who live with you.

PARAGRAPHS 12-13: Before filling this out, please refer to page 2 of these instructions, discussing how the term “abuse” is defined in the PFA law. Once you have done that, then describe the incidents of physical violence, sexual abuse, threats of physical violence, etc., starting with the most recent incident. Attach extra pages if necessary. Be sure to include the date(s) and place(s) of the alleged abuse along with a description of the abuse that occurred.

PARAGRAPH 14: a) Indicate whether the defendant/abuser has used or threatened to use any firearms or other weapons against you or your minor children and describe how those items were used during the abuse; b) Indicate whether the defendant/abuser owns or possesses any additional firearms, other weapons, ammunition and/or any firearm licenses and, if the answer is “yes”, then proceed to c) and list those items; d) check the box to indicate whether you want the court to order the defendant/abuser to relinquish firearms, firearm licenses, other weapons or ammunition. **If you are requesting the Court to Order Defendant to relinquish firearms, other weapons, firearm licenses or ammunition, you MUST list these items on Attachment A to Petition: Firearms, Other Weapons and Ammunition Inventory.**

How to fill in ATTACHMENT A TO PETITION: FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION INVENTORY:

a) List any firearms, other weapons and/or ammunition that the defendant/abuser used or threatened to use during the incidents of abuse; b) state whether the defendant/abuser possesses any firearms licenses and describe each license; c) List any other weapons, firearms, ammunition other than the items listed in section a; d) list the firearms, other weapons, ammunition and firearm licenses that you want the Court to order the defendant/abuser to surrender, including the location of those items OR check the boxes indicating that you want all firearms, other weapons, ammunition and firearm licenses owned or possessed by the defendant/abuser to be surrendered.

PARAGRAPH 15: List any police departments *other than the Pennsylvania State Police* that should get a copy of the PFA Order (a copy is automatically sent to the Pennsylvania State Police). You should identify those police departments who serve the municipality where you live.

CHECK BOXES FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: If you are asking the court to order the defendant/abuser to leave the home, answer the questions about the residence. If you are asking for child support or spousal support, check the box saying that the abuser owes you a duty of support. If you are asking the court to order the alleged abuser to reimburse you for lost wages, medical expenses, or other losses caused by the abuse, check that box and list what items you want the defendant/abuser to reimburse you for.

CHECK BOXES FOR WHAT YOU WANT THE JUDGE TO ORDER: Look at boxes A through N, and check the ones that you want the judge to order. Check ONLY the boxes for the things that you want the judge to order. **IMPORTANT: If you are asking the judge to order a) an immediate eviction of the defendant/abuser, b) an immediate custody order that changes an existing court order or written custody agreement, or c) relinquishment of the abuser's firearms, then you need to speak with the Court Administrator (Room 408 in the Courthouse, telephone 717-337-9846) to arrange for a hearing.**

SIGNATURE: Sign and date the petition on the last page.

VERIFICATION: Sign and date the verification page. Please note that it is a crime to make false statements in a Petition.

2. FILLING OUT THE PFA DATA SHEET

Fill in as much information as you can on the PFA Data Sheet. This information will be passed along to the Pennsylvania State Police, so it is very important that it is complete and accurate. Once you have filled this out, give it to the Prothonotary.

3. FILLING OUT THE SHERIFF'S SERVICE FORM

(You must get this form from the Prothonotary's Office – 1st floor of the Courthouse)

Box #1 - your name

Box #2 – leave blank

Box #3 – the defendant/abuser's name

Box #4 – write "PFA Pet./Order/Notice"

Box #5 – the defendant/abuser's name

Box #6 – the address where the sheriff can give the defendant court papers

Box #7 – Leave Blank

Box #8 – Special information to help the Sheriff find and serve the defendant

Make a note if the court has ordered an eviction or a seizure of weapons.

Box #9 – sign and check the box that says “Plaintiff” and sign in this box.
Box #10 – List a phone number where the Sheriff can reach you
Box #11 – Put today’s date in this box

Note: You do not have to use the Sheriff to serve the Temporary Protection Order (TPO) on the Defendant/abuser, but it is strongly recommended that you do so because the Sheriff is specially trained to carry out this duty in a safe manner. The Pennsylvania Rules of Civil Procedure require that the TPO be served by an adult individual. That means that you can serve the TPO on the Defendant/abuser yourself, but you probably should not do so due to safety concerns. If you choose to have an adult other than the Sheriff to serve the Defendant/abuser, then that person must fill out the Affidavit of Service form found in this packet. The Affidavit of Service form must then be filed by you at the Prothonotary’s office on or before the date of the hearing.

4. FILLING OUT THE PROPOSED TEMPORARY PROTECTION ORDER (TPO)

The Judge hearing your case will fill this out.

5. WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

After you have filled out all of these papers – the Petition for Protection from Abuse and Notice of Hearing, the PFA Data Sheet, and the Sheriff’s Service Form – you should give them to the Prothonotary (located on the first floor of the Courthouse). The Prothonotary will then take the papers promptly to the Court Administrator, who will give them to a judge. If you have requested the Court to order Defendant’s weapons relinquished (as you indicated in Paragraph 14 of your Petition), attach “Attachment A To Temporary Order: Firearms, Other Weapons and Ammunition” to the Temporary Protection Order form before you present it to the Prothonotary. Remember that if you are filing a protection from abuse petition when the courthouse is closed, then your petition must be filed with the on-call Magisterial District Judge (MDJ). You can find out who the on-call MDJ is by calling Adams County Control at 717-334-8101.

If the judge believes that your petition shows that there has been “abuse” as the law defines that term, the Judge will sign your proposed Temporary Protection Order (TPO), which will stay in effect through the time of the final hearing. The Judge will also fill in the Notice of Hearing & Order in which the Judge will set a final hearing date, which will be within ten (10) days of the date you have filed your petition.

All of these papers – the Petition, Temporary Protection Order, and the Notice of Hearing & Order – will then be sent back to the Prothonotary’s Office by the Court. You

will be given one copy of these papers, which **you should keep with you at all times**. Make sure you make arrangements with the Prothonotary (717 334 9834) to get a copy of your papers. If you lose your copy, you can obtain another one from the Prothonotary's office.

The Prothonotary will send a copy of the Temporary Protection Order (TPO) to the Pennsylvania State Police and other appropriate police departments as ordered by the Court. If you want the Sheriff to serve the TPO, then the Prothonotary will take a copy of the TPO, Petition and Notice of Hearing & Order papers to the Sheriff, along with the Sheriff's Service Form, so that the Sheriff can serve the papers on the defendant/abuser as quickly as possible.

Make sure that you appear in court on the day and time that your final hearing has been scheduled. You must be prepared to prove your case at that time. While your own testimony *may* be sufficient to obtain a final PFA Order, you are strongly advised to bring other relevant evidence and witnesses to present at the final hearing in addition to your own testimony, such as photographs of your injuries, people who observed the abuse, etc. Other people with whom you have discussed the abuse may be able to testify subject to the Pennsylvania Rules of Evidence. It is very important that you have all of the evidence – documents, witnesses, etc. – necessary to prove that the defendant/abuser has abused you. If you are asking the Court to make the abuser reimburse you for expenses, such as for medical bills you have incurred due to the abuse, property damage done by the abuser, etc., make sure you bring billing statements with you to show to the Judge.

If you cannot prove your case by a **preponderance of the evidence**, your Petition will be dismissed and you may be ordered to pay the costs of the action. A "preponderance of the evidence" standard means that the Court must believe that your claim is more likely true than not.

If you do not appear in court at the time for your hearing, your case will probably be dismissed and you will have to pay the court costs. If you have a good reason for not being in court and you know about it before the hearing, you should call the Court Administrator at 717-337-9846 and also file a written request for a continuance of the hearing as soon as possible at the Prothonotary's office, explaining why you cannot be in court at the scheduled time.

MID-PENN LEGAL SERVICES IS AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE FREE, CONFIDENTIAL LEGAL SERVICES TO ASSIST YOU AT ANY TIME DURING THIS PROCESS. YOU CAN CONTACT MIDPENN AT 128 BRECKENRIDGE STREET, GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA, TELEPHONE 717-334-7623.

6. FILLING OUT THE PROPOSED FINAL PFA ORDER (“FINAL ORDER OF COURT”)

The Judge who hears your case will fill out the “Final Order of Court” form.

7. WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN THE JUDGE ISSUES A FINAL PFA ORDER?

If the Judge grants your Petition for a final PFA Order, the Judge will fill in and sign the Order and you can pick it up in at the Prothonotary’s Office. **Make sure that you keep a copy of your PFA Order with you AT ALL TIMES.** The Pennsylvania State Police will automatically receive a copy too, and so will the police departments who are identified in your order. If you lose your copy of the PFA Order, you can obtain another copy at the Prothonotary’s Office during regular business hours.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____	:	No.
Plaintiff	:	
vs.	:	
_____	:	
Defendant	:	PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

NOTICE OF HEARING AND ORDER

YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN COURT. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following papers, you must appear at the hearing scheduled herein. If you fail to do so, the case may proceed against you and a FINAL order may be entered against you granting the relief requested in the petition. In particular, you may be evicted from your residence, be prohibited from possessing any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license, and lose other important rights, including custody of your children. Any protection order granted by a court may be considered in subsequent proceedings under Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, including child custody proceedings under Chapter 53 (relating to custody).

A hearing on the matter is scheduled for the _____ day of _____, 20____, at _____ .m. in Courtroom _____ of the Adams County Courthouse, 111-117 Baltimore St., Gettysburg, PA.

If an order of protection has been entered, you MUST obey the Order until it is modified or terminated by the court after notice and hearing. If you disobey this Order, the police or sheriff may arrest you. Violation of this Order may subject you to a charge of indirect criminal contempt which is punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000.00 and/or up to six months in jail under 23 Pa.C.S.A. §6114. Violation may also subject you to prosecution and criminal penalties under the Pennsylvania Crimes Code. Under federal law, 18 U.S.C. §2265, this Order is enforceable anywhere in the United States, tribal lands, U.S. Territories and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. If you travel outside of the state and intentionally violate this Order, you may be subject to federal criminal proceedings under the Violence Against Women Act, 18 U.S.C. §§2261-2262.

If this Order directs you to relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license to the sheriff, you may do so upon service of this Order. As an alternative, you may relinquish any firearm, other weapon, or ammunition listed herein to a third party provided you and the third party first comply with all requirements to obtain a safekeeping permit. 23 Pa.C.S.A. §6108.3. You must relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license listed in the Order no later than 24 hours after service of the Order. If, due to their current location, firearms, other weapons or ammunition cannot reasonably be retrieved within the time for relinquishment, you must provide an affidavit to the sheriff listing the firearms, other weapons or ammunition and their current location no later than 24 hours after service of the Order. Failure to timely relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license shall result in a violation of this order and may result in criminal conviction under the Uniform Firearms Act, 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 6105.

NOTICE: Even if this Order does not direct you to relinquish firearms, you may be subject to federal firearms prohibitions and federal criminal penalties under 18 U.S.C. §922(g)(8).

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO HAVE A LAWYER REPRESENT YOU AT THE HEARING. THE COURT WILL NOT, HOWEVER, APPOINT A LAWYER FOR YOU. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER, OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE. IF YOU CANNOT FIND A LAWYER, YOU MAY HAVE TO PROCEED WITHOUT ONE.

Adams County Court Administrator
Adams County Courthouse
111-117 Baltimore St.
Gettysburg, PA 17325
(717) 337-9846
or
1-888-337-9846

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____	:	No.
Plaintiff	:	
vs.	:	
_____	:	
Defendant	:	PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

PETITION FOR PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

1. Plaintiff's name is: _____

2. I am filing this Petition on behalf of: Myself and/or Another Person.

If you checked "myself," please answer all questions referring to yourself as "Plaintiff."
If you checked "Another Person," please answer all questions referring to that person as the "Plaintiff", and provide your address here, unless confidential:

If you checked "Another Person," indicate your relationship with Plaintiff:

- parent of minor Plaintiff(s)
- applicant for appointment as guardian ad litem of minor Plaintiff(s)
- adult household member with minor Plaintiff(s)
- court appointed guardian of incompetent Plaintiff(s)

3. Name(s) of ALL person(s), including Plaintiff and minor children, who seek protection from abuse:

4. Plaintiff's temporary address is confidential or Plaintiff's temporary address is:

5. Defendant is believed to live at the following address: _____

Defendant's Social Security Number (if known) is: _____

Defendant's date of birth is: _____

Defendant's place of employment is: _____

Check here if you have reason to believe that Defendant is a licensed firearms dealer, is employed by a licensed firearms dealer or manufacturer, is employed as a writer, researcher or technician in the firearms or hunting industry or is required to carry a firearm as a condition of employment.

Check here if Defendant is 17 years old or younger.

6. Indicate the relationship(s) between Plaintiff(s) and Defendant. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

- Spouse or former spouse of Defendant
- Parent of a child with Defendant
- Current or former sexual or intimate partner with Defendant
- Child of Plaintiff
- Child of Defendant
- Family member related by blood (consanguinity) to Defendant
- Family member related by marriage or affinity to Defendant
- Sibling (person who shares parenthood) of Defendant
- Current or former cohabitant (person who lives with) Defendant

7. Have Plaintiff and Defendant been involved in any of the following court actions?

Divorce Custody Support Protection From Abuse

If you checked any of the above, briefly indicate when and where the case was filed and the court number, if known: _____

8. Has Defendant been involved in any criminal court action? _____

If you answered Yes, is Defendant currently on probation? _____

If so, in what state/county? _____

9. Plaintiff and Defendant are the parents of the following minor child/ren:

Name(s)	Age(s)	who reside at (list address unless confidential)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

10. If Plaintiff and Defendant are parents of any minor child/ren together, is there an existing court order regarding their custody? _____

If you answered "Yes", describe the terms of the order (e.g., primary, shared, legal and/or physical custody): _____

If you answered "Yes", in what county and state was the order issued? _____

If you are now seeking an order of child custody as part of this petition, list the following information:

(a) Where has each child resided during the past five years?

Child's Name	Person(s) Child Lived With	Address, unless Confidential	When
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

(b) List any other persons who are known to have or claim a right to custody of each child listed above.

Name	Address	Basis of Claim
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

11. The following other minor child/ren presently live with Plaintiff:

Name(s)	Age(s)	Plaintiff's relationship to child/ren
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

12. The facts of the most recent incident of abuse are as follows:

Approximate Date: _____

Approximate Time: _____

Place: _____

Describe in detail what happened, including any physical or sexual abuse, threats, injury, incidents of stalking, medical treatment sought, and/or calls to law enforcement (attach additional sheets of paper if necessary):

13. If Defendant has committed prior acts of abuse against Plaintiff or the minor child/ren, describe these prior incidents, including any threats, injuries, or incidents of stalking, and indicate approximately when such acts of abuse occurred (attach additional sheets of paper if necessary):

14. (a) Has Defendant used or threatened to use any firearms or other weapons against Plaintiff or the minor child/ren? _____

If so, please describe the use or threatened use below and list on Attachment A to Petition, which is incorporated by reference into this petition, any firearms, other weapons or ammunition Defendant used or threatened to use against Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren:

(b) Other than the firearms, other weapons or ammunition Defendant used or threatened to use against Petitioner or the minor child/ren, does Defendant, to the best of your knowledge or belief, own or possess any additional firearm, other weapon, ammunition or firearm license?

(c) If the answer to (b) above is "yes," list any additional firearm, other weapon or ammunition or firearm license owned by or in the possession of Defendant on Attachment A to Petition, which is incorporated by reference into this petition.

(d) Plaintiff (check one) DOES DOES NOT request that the court order Defendant to relinquish firearms, firearms license, other weapons or ammunition listed on Attachment A to Petition. If Plaintiff does seek relinquishment, identify on Attachment A to Petition the firearms, other weapons and ammunition Plaintiff requests the court to order Defendant to relinquish.

15. Identify the sheriff, police department or law enforcement agency in the area in which Plaintiff lives that should be provided with a copy of the protection Order:

16. There is an immediate and present danger of further abuse from Defendant.

CHECK THE FOLLOWING BOXES ONLY IF THEY APPLY TO YOUR CASE AND PROVIDE THE REQUESTED INFORMATION

Plaintiff is asking the court to evict and/or exclude Defendant from the following residence:

owned by (list owners, if known): _____

rented by (list all names, if known): _____

Defendant owes a duty of support to Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren.

Plaintiff has suffered out-of-pocket financial losses as a result of the abuse described above. Those losses are: _____

FOR THE REASONS SET FORTH ABOVE, I REQUEST THAT THE COURT ENTER A TEMPORARY ORDER, AND AFTER HEARING, A FINAL ORDER THAT WOULD DO THE FOLLOWING (CHECK ALL FORMS OF RELIEF REQUESTED):

- A. Restrain Defendant from abusing, threatening, harassing, or stalking Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren in any place where Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren may be found.
- B. Evict/exclude Defendant from Plaintiff's residence and prohibit Defendant from attempting to enter any temporary or permanent residence of Plaintiff.
- C. Require Defendant to provide Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren with other suitable housing.
- D. Award Plaintiff temporary custody of the minor child/ren and place the following restrictions on contact between Defendant and the child/ren:
- E. Prohibit Defendant from having any contact with Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren, either in person, by telephone, or in writing, personally or through third persons, including but not limited to any contact at Plaintiff's school, business, or place of employment, except as the court may find necessary with respect to partial custody and/or visitation with the minor child/ren.
- F. Prohibit Defendant from having any contact with Plaintiff's relatives and Plaintiff's children listed in this petition, except as the court may find necessary with respect to partial custody and/or visitation with the minor child/ren. The following persons are Plaintiff's relatives or family and household members that Plaintiff believes require protection from stalking and harassment by Defendant:

Name	Address (optional)	Relationship to Plaintiff
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

- G. Order Defendant to temporarily relinquish some or all of the firearms, other weapons and/or ammunition listed on Attachment A to Petition and any firearm license to the sheriff of this county and/or prohibit Defendant from transferring, acquiring or possessing some or all firearms for the duration of the order.

- H. Order Defendant to pay temporary support for Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren, including medical support and payment of the rent or mortgage on the residence.
- I. Direct Defendant to pay Plaintiff for the reasonable financial losses suffered as the result of the abuse, to be determined at the hearing.
- J. Order Defendant to pay the costs of this action, including filing and service fees.
- K. Order Defendant to pay Plaintiff's reasonable attorney's fees.
- L. Order the following additional relief not listed above:
- M. Grant such other relief as Plaintiff requests and/or the court deems appropriate.
- N. Order the police, sheriff or other law enforcement agency to serve the Defendant with a copy of this Petition, any Order issued, and the Order for Hearing. Plaintiff will inform the designated authority of any addresses, other than Defendant's residence, where Defendant can be served.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: _____

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____	:	No.
Plaintiff	:	
vs.	:	
_____	:	
Defendant	:	PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

VERIFICATION

I verify that I am the plaintiff as designated in the present action and that the facts and statements contained in the above Petition are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statements would subject me to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. §4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Signature: _____ Date _____

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

ATTACHMENT A TO PETITION:
FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS, AND AMMUNITION INVENTORY

I, _____, Plaintiff in this Protection From Abuse Action, hereby

(a) state that Defendant used or threatened to use the following firearms, other weapons, and ammunition against Plaintiff and/or the minor child/ren (include addresses or locations, if known): _____

Firearm/Other Weapon/Ammunition	Location
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____

(b) state that Defendant (does) (does not) possess a firearms license as follows:

License Number	What State Issued the License
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____

(c) state that Defendant, to the best of my knowledge or belief, owns or possesses the following firearms, other weapons or ammunition not set forth in (a) above (include addresses or locations, if known):

Firearm/Other Weapon/Ammunition	Location
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____

(d) request that the court order Defendant to relinquish the following firearms, other weapons and ammunition and firearms licenses (include addresses or locations, if known):

Firearm/Other Weapon/Ammunition/License	Location
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____

- All firearms, other weapons and ammunition owned or possessed by Defendant.
If more space is needed, more sheets may be attached to this document.

- All firearm licenses owned or possess by Defendant.

Name _____

Date _____

NOTICE: This attachment will be withheld from public inspection in accordance with 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108(a)(7)(v).

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

TEMPORARY PROTECTION FROM ABUSE ORDER

Defendant's Name: _____

Defendant's Date of Birth: _____

Defendant's Social Security Number: _____

Names of All Protected Persons, including Plaintiff and minor child/ren:

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20____, upon consideration of the attached Petition for Protection From Abuse, the court hereby enters the following Temporary Order:

1. Defendant shall not abuse, harass, stalk or threaten any of the above persons in any place where they might be found.

2. Defendant is evicted and excluded from the residence at _____

[NONCONFIDENTIAL ADDRESS FROM WHICH DEFENDANT IS EXCLUDED]

or any other permanent or temporary residence where Plaintiff or any other person protected under this order may live. Plaintiff is granted exclusive possession of the residence. Defendant shall have no right or privilege to enter or be present on the premises of Plaintiff or any other person protected under this order.

3. Except for such contact with the minor child/ren as may be permitted under Paragraph 5 of this order, Defendant is prohibited from having ANY CONTACT with Plaintiff, or any other person protected under this order, either directly or indirectly, at any location, including but not limited to any contact at Plaintiff's school, business, or place of employment. Defendant is specifically ordered to stay away from the following locations for the duration of this order:

4. Except for such contact with the minor child/ren as may be permitted under Paragraph 5 of this order, Defendant shall not contact Plaintiff, or any other person protected under this order, by telephone or by any other means, including through third persons.

5. CUSTODY.

There is a current custody order as to the child/ren of the parties:

county court _____ docket number _____

THIS ORDER SHALL NOT SUPERSEDE THE CURRENT CUSTODY ORDER.

THIS ORDER SUPERSEDES ANY PRIOR ORDER RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY.

Until the final hearing, all contact between Defendant and the child/ren shall be limited to the following:

Pending the outcome of the final hearing in this matter, Plaintiff is awarded temporary custody of the following minor child/ren:

The local law enforcement agency in the jurisdiction where the child/ren are located shall ensure that the child/ren are placed in the care and control of the Plaintiff in accordance with the terms of this order.

6. FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION RESTRICTIONS

Check all that apply:

Defendant is prohibited from possessing, transferring or acquiring any firearms for the duration of this order.

Defendant shall relinquish to the sheriff the following firearms licenses owned or possessed by Defendant:

Defendant is directed to relinquish to the sheriff any firearm, other weapon or ammunition listed in Attachment A to Temporary Order, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Defendant may relinquish any firearms, other weapons or ammunition to the sheriff. As an alternative, Defendant may relinquish firearms, other weapons and ammunition to a third party provided Defendant and the third party first comply with all the requirements to obtain a safekeeping permit. Defendant must relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or firearm license ordered to be relinquished no later than 24 hours after service of this order. If, due to their current location, firearms, other weapons or ammunition cannot reasonably be retrieved within the time for relinquishment, Defendant shall provide to the sheriff an affidavit listing the firearms, other weapons or ammunition and their current location no later than 24 hours after service of this order. Failure to timely relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license shall result in a violation of this order and may result in criminal conviction under the Uniform Firearms Act, 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 6105.

7. The following additional relief is granted: _____

Defendant is prohibited from stalking, as defined in 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 2709.1, or harassing, as defined in 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 2709, the following family and household members of Plaintiff:

Name	Address (optional)	Relationship to Plaintiff
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Other relief: _____

8. A certified copy of this order shall be provided to the sheriff or police department where Plaintiff resides and any other agency specified hereafter: [insert name of agency] _____

9. THIS ORDER SUPERSEDES ANY PRIOR PROTECTION FROM ABUSE ORDER OBTAINED BY THE SAME PLAINTIFF AGAINST THE SAME DEFENDANT.

10. THIS ORDER APPLIES IMMEDIATELY TO DEFENDANT AND SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL _____ OR UNTIL OTHERWISE MODIFIED OR TERMINATED BY THIS COURT AFTER NOTICE AND HEARING.

NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANT

Defendant is hereby notified that violation of this order may result in arrest for indirect criminal contempt, which is punishable by a fine of up to \$ 1,000 and/or up to six months in jail. 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6114. Consent of Plaintiff to Defendant's return to the residence shall not invalidate this order, which can only be changed or modified through the filing of appropriate court papers for that purpose. 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108(g). If Defendant is required to relinquish any firearms, other weapons or ammunition or any firearm license, those items must be relinquished to the sheriff within 24 hours of the service of this order. As an alternative, Defendant may relinquish any firearm, other weapon or ammunition listed herein to a third party provided Defendant and the third party first comply with all requirements to obtain a safekeeping permit. If, due to their current location, firearms, other weapons or ammunition cannot reasonably be retrieved within the time for relinquishment, Defendant shall provide an affidavit to the sheriff listing the firearms, other weapons or ammunition and their current location no later than 24 hours after service of this order. Defendant is further notified that violation of this order may subject him/her to state charges and penalties under the Pennsylvania Crimes Code and to federal charges and penalties under the Violence Against Women Act, 18 U.S.C. §§ 2261-2262.

NOTICE TO SHERIFF, POLICE AND LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS

This order shall be enforced by the police department or sheriff who has jurisdiction over Plaintiff's residence OR any location where a violation of this order occurs OR where Defendant may be located. If Defendant violates Paragraphs 1 through 6 of this order, Defendant shall be arrested on the charge of indirect criminal contempt. An arrest for violation of this order may be made without warrant, based solely on probable cause, whether or not the violation is committed in the presence of a police officer or sheriff.

Subsequent to an arrest, the law enforcement officer or sheriff shall seize all firearms, other weapons and ammunition in Defendant's possession which were used or threatened to be used

during the violation of the protection order or during prior incidents of abuse and any other firearms in Defendant's possession. Any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license must be delivered to the sheriff's office of the county which issued this order, which office shall maintain possession of the firearms, other weapons and ammunition until further order of this court, unless the weapon/s are evidence of a crime, in which case, they shall remain with the law enforcement agency whose officer or sheriff made the arrest.

BY THE COURT:

Date _____

_____ Judge

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

ATTACHMENT A TO TEMPORARY ORDER:
FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION INVENTORY

It is hereby ordered that Defendant relinquish the following firearms, other weapons and ammunition and licenses to the sheriff:

Firearm/Other Weapon/Ammunition/License	Location
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____
9. _____	_____
10. _____	_____

All firearms, other weapons and ammunition and licenses owned or possessed by the defendant.

BY THE COURT:

Date _____
_____ Judge

Notice: This attachment will be withheld from public inspection in accordance with 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108(a)(7)(v).

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, _____, the undersigned, hereby state that I served a copy of the Notice of Hearing and Order, Petition and Temporary Order in the above-captioned action upon Defendant, by handing the papers to _____ at the following address: _____ on the _____ day of _____, 20____, at approximately _____ o'clock ____m.

I verify that the statements made in this Affidavit are true and correct. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

_____(Signature)

(Title) _____

Address _____

Date _____

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO SERVES THE DEFENDANT WITH THE NOTICE OF HEARING AND ORDER, PETITION AND TEMPORARY ORDER. IT MUST BE FILED WITH THE PROTHONOTARY OR BROUGHT TO THE COURT ON THE HEARING DATE.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

FINAL ORDER OF COURT

Defendant's Name: _____

Defendant's Date of Birth: _____

Defendant's Social Security Number: _____

Names and Dates of Birth of All Protected Persons, including Plaintiff and minor children:

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

Plaintiff or Protected Person(s) is/are:

- spouse or former spouse of Defendant
- parent of a child with Defendant
- current or former sexual or intimate partner with Defendant
- child of Plaintiff

- child of Defendant
- family member related by blood (consanguinity) to Defendant
- family member related by marriage or affinity to Defendant
- sibling (person who shares parenthood) of Defendant
- current or former cohabitant (person who lives with) Defendant

Defendant was served in accordance with Pa.R.C.P. 1930.4 and provided notice of the time, date and location of the hearing scheduled in this matter.

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20_____, the court having jurisdiction over the parties and the subject-matter, it is ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED as follows:

This order is entered (check one) by agreement by agreement without an admission, after a hearing and decision by the court after a hearing at which Defendant was not present, despite proper service being made by default. Without regard as to how the order was entered, this is a final order of court subject to full enforcement pursuant to the Protection From Abuse Act.

Note: Space is provided to allow for 1) the court's general findings of abuse; 2) inclusion of the terms under which the order was entered (e.g., that the order was entered with the consent of the parties, or that the defendant, though properly served, failed to appear for the hearing, or the reasons why the plaintiff's request for a final PFA order was denied); and/or 3) information that may be helpful to law enforcement (e.g., whether a firearm or other weapon was involved in the incident of abuse and/or whether the defendant is believed to be armed and dangerous).

Plaintiff's request for a final protection order is denied.

OR

Plaintiff's request for a final protection order is granted.

1. Defendant shall not abuse, stalk, harass, threaten or attempt to use physical force that would reasonably be expected to cause bodily injury to Plaintiff or any other protected person in any place where they might be found.

2. Defendant is completely evicted and excluded from the residence at

(NONCONFIDENTIAL ADDRESS FROM WHICH DEFENDANT IS EXCLUDED)

or any other residence where Plaintiff or any other person protected under this order may live. Exclusive possession of the residence is granted to Plaintiff. Defendant shall have no right or privilege to enter or be present on the premises of Plaintiff or any other person protected under this order.

On _____ [insert date and time], Defendant may enter the residence to retrieve his/her clothing and other personal effects, provided that Defendant is in the company of a law enforcement officer or sheriff when such retrieval is made and [insert any other conditions] _____

3. Except as provided in paragraph 5 of this order, Defendant is prohibited from having ANY CONTACT with Plaintiff, either directly or indirectly, or any other person protected under this order, at any location, including but not limited to any contact at Plaintiff's school, business, or place of employment. Defendant is specifically ordered to stay away from the following locations for the duration of this order: _____

4. Except as provided in paragraph 5 of this order, Defendant shall not contact Plaintiff, either directly or indirectly, or any other person protected under this order, by telephone or by any other means, including through third persons.

5. Temporary custody of the minor children,

[NAMES OF THE CHILDREN SUBJECT TO THE PROVISION OF THIS PARAGRAPH]
shall be as follows: _____

Check all that apply:

STATE TO WHOM PRIMARY PHYSICAL CUSTODY IS AWARDED; STATE TERMS OF PARTIAL CUSTODY OR VISITATION, IF ANY.

There is a current custody order as to the children of the parties:

county court _____ docket number _____

A custody petition is pending.

A hearing is scheduled for _____ (date, time and location)

THIS ORDER SHALL NOT SUPERSEDE THE CURRENT CUSTODY ORDER.

THIS ORDER SUPERSEDES ANY PRIOR ORDER RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY.

6. FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION RESTRICTIONS

Check all that apply:

Defendant is prohibited from possessing, transferring or acquiring any firearms for the duration of this order.

Defendant shall relinquish to the sheriff the following firearms licenses owned or possessed by Defendant: _____

Defendant is directed to relinquish to the sheriff any firearm, other weapon or ammunition listed in Attachment A to Final Order, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Defendant may relinquish any firearms, other weapons or ammunition to the sheriff. As an alternative, Defendant may either relinquish firearms, other weapons and ammunition to a third party provided Defendant and third party first comply with all the requirements to obtain a safekeeping permit, or relinquish firearms, other weapons and ammunition to a licensed firearms dealer for consignment sale, lawful transfer or safekeeping pursuant to 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108.2(e). Defendant must relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or firearms license ordered to be relinquished no later than 24 hours after service of this order. Failure to timely relinquish any firearm, other weapon, ammunition or any firearm license ordered to be relinquished shall result in a violation of this order and may result in criminal conviction under the Uniform Firearms Act, 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 6105.

7. Any firearm delivered to the sheriff or transferred to a licensed firearm dealer, or a qualified third party who satisfies the procedural and substantive requirements to obtain a safekeeping permit issued under 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108.3 pursuant to this order or the temporary order shall not be returned to Defendant until further order of court or as otherwise provided by law.

8. The following additional relief is granted as authorized by § 6108 of the Act:

Defendant is prohibited from stalking, as defined in 18 Pa.C.S. § 2709.1, or harassing, as defined in 18 Pa.C.S. § 2709, the following family and household members of Plaintiff:

Name	Address (optional)	Relationship to Plaintiff
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Other relief:

9. Defendant is directed to pay temporary support for:

[INSERT THE NAMES OF THE PERSONS FOR WHOM SUPPORT IS TO BE PAID] as follows: _____

[INSERT AMOUNT, FREQUENCY AND OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SUPPORT ORDER]. This order for support shall remain in effect until a final support order is entered by this court. However, this order shall lapse automatically if Plaintiff does not file a complaint for support with the Domestic Relations Section of the court within two weeks of the date of this order. The amount of this temporary order does not necessarily reflect Defendant's correct support obligation, which shall be determined in accordance with the guidelines at the support hearing. Any adjustments in the final amount of support shall be credited, retroactive to this date, to the appropriate party.

10. (a) The costs of this action are imposed on Defendant.

(b) Because this order followed a contested proceeding, or a hearing at which Defendant was not present, despite being served with a copy of the petition, temporary order and notice of the date, time and place of the hearing, Defendant is ordered to pay an additional \$100 surcharge to the court, which shall be distributed in the manner set forth in 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6106(d).

(c) Upon a showing of good cause or a finding that Defendant is unable to pay, the costs of this action are waived.

11. Defendant shall pay \$_____ to Plaintiff by _____ (insert date) as compensation for Plaintiff's out-of-pocket losses, which are as follows:

An installment schedule is ordered as follows:

OR

Plaintiff is granted leave to present a petition, with appropriate notice to Defendant, to

[INSERT THE NAME OF THE JUDGE OR COURT TO WHICH THE PETITION SHOULD BE PRESENTED] requesting recovery of out-of-pocket losses. The petition shall include an exhibit itemizing all claimed out-of-pocket losses, copies of all bills and estimates of repair, and an order scheduling a hearing. No fee shall be required by the prothonotary's office for the filing of this petition.

12. THIS ORDER SUPERCEDES ANY PRIOR PROTECTION FROM ABUSE ORDER OBTAINED BY THE SAME PLAINTIFF AGAINST THE SAME DEFENDANT.

13. All provisions of this order shall expire:

Check one

in _____
[INSERT DAYS, MONTHS OR YEARS] on _____
[INSERT EXPIRATION DATE]

in three years, on _____
[INSERT EXPIRATION DATE]

NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANT

VIOLATION OF THIS ORDER MAY RESULT IN YOUR ARREST ON THE CHARGE OF INDIRECT CRIMINAL CONTEMPT WHICH IS PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF UP TO \$1,000 AND/OR A JAIL SENTENCE OF UP TO SIX MONTHS. 23 PA.C.S.A. § 6114. VIOLATION MAY ALSO SUBJECT YOU TO PROSECUTION AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES UNDER THE PENNSYLVANIA CRIMES CODE. A VIOLATION OF THIS ORDER MAY RESULT IN THE REVOCATION OF THE SAFEKEEPING PERMIT, WHICH WILL REQUIRE THE IMMEDIATE RELINQUISHMENT OF YOUR FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION TO THE SHERIFF. PLAINTIFF'S CONSENT TO CONTACT BY DEFENDANT SHALL NOT INVALIDATE THIS ORDER WHICH CAN ONLY BE MODIFIED BY FURTHER ORDER OF COURT. 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6108(g).

THIS ORDER IS ENFORCEABLE IN ALL FIFTY (50) STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TRIBAL LANDS, U.S. TERRITORIES AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO UNDER THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT, 18 U.S.C. § 2265. IF YOU TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF THE STATE AND INTENTIONALLY VIOLATE THIS ORDER, YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO FEDERAL CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS UNDER THAT ACT. 18 U.S.C. §§ 2261--2262. IF YOU POSSESS A FIREARM OR ANY AMMUNITION WHILE THIS ORDER IS IN EFFECT, YOU MAY BE CHARGED WITH A FEDERAL OFFENSE EVEN IF THIS PENNSYLVANIA ORDER DOES NOT EXPRESSLY PROHIBIT YOU FROM POSSESSING FIREARMS OR AMMUNITION. 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(8).

NOTICE TO SHERIFF, POLICE AND LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS

The police and sheriff who have jurisdiction over Plaintiff's residence OR any location where a violation of this order occurs OR where Defendant may be located, shall enforce this order. The

court shall have jurisdiction over any indirect criminal contempt proceeding, either in the county where the violation occurred or where this protective order was entered. An arrest for violation of paragraphs 1 through 7 of this order may be without warrant, based solely on probable cause, whether or not the violation is committed in the presence of the police or any sheriff. 23 Pa.C.S.A. § 6113.

Subsequent to an arrest, and without the necessity of a warrant, the police officer or sheriff shall seize all firearms, other weapons and ammunition in Defendant's possession that were used or threatened to be used during the violation of the protection order or during prior incidents of abuse and any other firearms in Defendant's possession. The _____ [insert the appropriate name or title] shall maintain possession of the firearms, other weapons or ammunition until further order of this court.

When Defendant is placed under arrest for violation of the order, Defendant shall be taken to the appropriate authority or authorities before whom Defendant is to be arraigned. A "Complaint for Indirect Criminal Contempt" shall then be completed and signed by the police officer, sheriff OR Plaintiff. Plaintiff's presence and signature are not required to file the complaint.

If sufficient grounds for violation of this order are alleged, Defendant shall be arraigned, bond set, if appropriate and both parties given notice of the date of hearing.

BY THE COURT:

Date _____
_____ Judge

If entered pursuant to the consent of plaintiff and defendant:

(Plaintiff's signature)

(Defendant's signature)

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

_____, : No.
Plaintiff :
vs. :
_____, :
Defendant : PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

ATTACHMENT A TO FINAL ORDER:
FIREARMS, OTHER WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION INVENTORY

It is hereby ordered that Defendant relinquish the following firearms, other weapons and ammunition and/or firearm license to the sheriff:

Firearm/Other Weapon/Ammunition/License	Location
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____
9. _____	_____
10. _____	_____

- All firearms, other weapons and ammunition owned or possessed by Defendant.
- All firearm licenses owned or possess by Defendant.

BY THE COURT:

Date _____
_____ Judge

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