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PROTECTION FROM ABUSE (PFA) Cover Sheet

IMPORTANT INFORMATION (Please Read BEFORE Completing):

- The person asking for the PFA is the Plaintiff.
- Read over PFA to ensure you are eligible to apply (On Next Page).
- Last page must be signed in front of a Notary Public or Clerk of the County.
- Employees of the Clerk's Office are prohibited from giving legal advice or assistance in completing Petition.

! The following information is required before a Protection Order can be entered on the Domestic Violence Order Registry: (Please Print)

YOUR INFORMATION: (Needed to Notify of Court Date ~ Information Kept Confidential)

Have you ever filed a Petition for Protection From Abuse against this individual before? **No** **Yes**

If so, what county & state? _____

Are there any pending criminal charges or domestic relations/divorce cases related to this action: If so, please list the charges and/or case numbers and the county and state: _____

Name: _____

Permanent Street Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Temporary Address or Address where you receive mail (if different from Permanent Address):

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Work Phone _____ Other Phone _____

Date of Birth _____ SS# _____ Sex: _____

Marital Status: _____ Relationship w/Defendant _____

Name and address of employer: _____

DEFENDANT'S INFORMATION: **Must Have Physical Address to Serve Petition*

(This information is needed to visually identify and physically locate the Defendant)

Full Name (First, Middle, Last) _____

Street Address (No P.O. Boxes) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Place of Employment _____

Employer's Physical Address _____

Date of Birth _____ SS# _____

Height _____ Weight _____ Race _____ Sex _____

Color of Hair _____ Color of Eyes _____

Other Distinguishing Marks (ex: scars, birthmarks, tattoos)

PETITION FOR PROTECTION FROM ABUSE

Court Case Number:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF _____ COUNTY, ALABAMA
(Name of County)

V. _____

(Plaintiff (victim))

(Defendant (person to be restrained))

(Plaintiff)

filing on behalf of

(Victim)

(Defendant's Address (Office or Home))

Section 30-5-5(f)(1), Ala. Code 1975, provides " [t]he following information shall not be contained on any court document made available to the public and the defendant by the circuit clerk's office: The plaintiff's home address and, if applicable, business address; a plaintiff's home telephone number and, if applicable, business telephone number; the home or business address or telephone number of any member of the plaintiff's family or household; or an address that would reveal the confidential location of a shelter for victims of domestic violence as defined in Section 30-6-1."

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

(Defendant's Date of Birth)

***-**-

(Defendant's Social Security Number - Last 4 Only)

YOU MUST PROVIDE COMPLETE AND TRUTHFUL INFORMATION. IF YOU DO NOT, THE COURT MAY DISMISS THIS CASE, AND YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO BEING CHARGED WITH PERJURY FOR KNOWINGLY PROVIDING FALSE INFORMATION.

I. ELIGIBLE PLAINTIFFS (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

(Note: The word, "Plaintiff," is used in this block to describe the victim and/or the person(s) filing on behalf of the victim):

I am 18 years of age or older and am a victim of abuse or have reasonable cause to believe I am in imminent danger of becoming the victim of any act of abuse.
I am a parent; or a legal guardian; or a next friend; or a court appointed guardian ad litem; or the State Department of Human Resources seeking protection from domestic violence on behalf of the victim who is: a minor child; or a person prevented by physical or mental incapacity from seeking a protection order.

I am under 18 years of age, emancipated, and am a victim of abuse or have reasonable cause to believe I am in imminent danger of becoming the victim of any act of abuse.

CHECK THE BOXES WHICH ARE APPLICABLE:

1. The Defendant is the victim's spouse; or former spouse; or the Defendant is in or had a common-law marriage with the victim.
Date of Marriage: _____ Date of Divorce (if applicable): _____
2. The Defendant and the victim has or had a dating relationship (A dating relationship means a relationship or former relationship of a romantic or intimate nature characterized by the expectation of affectionate or sexual involvement by either party, includes the period of engagement to be married; and does not include a casual or business relationship or a relationship that ended more than 12 months prior to the filing of the petition for a protection order).
3. The Defendant is a current or former household member of the victim (A household member excludes non-romantic or non-intimate co-residents).
4. The Defendant and the victim have a child in common regardless of whether the victim and Defendant have ever been married and regardless whether they are currently residing or have in the past resided together in the same household.
5. The victim is a relative of a current or former household member who also lived with the Defendant.
6. The victim is an individual who is a parent, stepparent, child, or stepchild.

(NOTE: The word "Plaintiff" in the remainder of this form refers to the victim for whom protection is being sought.)

I state that the following is true and correct:

The Plaintiff is a resident of _____ in _____. The Plaintiff's age is _____ years old.
(Name of County) (Name of State)

Is the Plaintiff involved in any other civil, domestic relations, child support, or juvenile case (for example, divorce, paternity or custody) with the Defendant? YES NO

If YES, please state the County and State in which the case was brought: _____ County,
(Name of State) (Name of County)

Are there any criminal charges against the Defendant because of abuse to the Plaintiff? YES NO

If YES, the charges were brought in _____ County, _____.
(Name of County) (Name of State)

(Note: If there are more civil or other cases with the Defendant or more criminal charges against the Defendant, please attach additional 8" x 11" sheets of paper, if necessary, stating the case number(s), County(ies), and States(s) in which these cases are being handled).

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(Check the box if the following statement applies to the Plaintiff):

☐ The Plaintiff left his or her residence to avoid further abuse or threat of abuse, and the Plaintiff is temporarily located in _____ County, Alabama. (Name of County)

☐ The Defendant lives in _____ County, _____.
(Name of County) (Name of State)

The abuse occurred in _____ County, Alabama.
(Name of County)

The Defendant is _____ years old.

☐ I am requesting ☐ a protection order; ☐ a change in a current protection order; an emergency order; a change in an emergency order .

II. To Get a Protection Order, the Defendant Must Have Done One or More of the Following (Check all that apply):

Threatened to confine the Plaintiff Made the Plaintiff afraid that the Plaintiff would be seriously injured Made the Plaintiff have sex by force or threat of force Kidnapped the Plaintiff or his or her child(ren) Trespassed on the Plaintiff's property Tortured or willfully abused the Plaintiff's child(ren) Stole from the Plaintiff Recklessly engaged in conduct which risked serious injury to the Plaintiff Tortured or willfully abused the Plaintiff's child(ren) multiple times	Exposed the Plaintiff's child(ren) to drugs Injured the Plaintiff Tried to do one or more of the acts in this section Threatened to injure/hurt the Plaintiff Stalked the Plaintiff Set fire to the Plaintiff's house Restrained the Plaintiff Other (please specify): _____
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III. Explain the Abuse That Has Happened (Begin With the Most Recent Act. You May Add Additional 8" x 11" Sheets of Paper, If Necessary):

Date and place where the abuse occurred:

Describe how the Defendant hurt or threatened the Plaintiff or how the Plaintiff is in imminent danger of becoming a victim:

I genuinely fear the Defendant will cause further abuse because:

IV. Legal Information Required (Check all that apply):

There is a current restraining or protection order against the Defendant:

☐ YES; ☐ I don't know; ☐ NO. If YES, the County and State where it was issued: _____ County, _____.
(Name of County) (Name of State)

The Defendant has a current restraining or protection order against the Plaintiff:

☐ YES; ☐ No. If YES, the County and State where it was issued: _____ County, _____.
(Name of County) (Name of State)

(Note: If there are more current restraining or protection orders against the Defendant or against the Plaintiff, please attach additional 8" x 11" sheets of paper, if necessary, stating the case number(s), County(ies), and State(s) in which these Orders were issued).

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Copy-Law Enforcement

Copy-Plaintiff

Copy-Defendant

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V. Child(ren)

A. The name(s) and age(s) of any child(ren) of the Defendant and the Plaintiff, who are under 19 years old.

Name: _____ Age: _____.

Name: _____ Age: _____.

Name: _____ Age: _____.

Name: _____ Age: _____.

B. Is there a custody order concerning any of the above children? ☐ YES ☐ NO

C. For the last six months, the child(ren) (has) have lived (in what State and with whom):

Child: _____ Lived with: _____ State: _____.

Child: _____ Lived with: _____ State: _____.

Child: _____ Lived with: _____ State: _____.

Child: _____ Lived with: _____ State: _____.

VI. Residence

THE DEFENDANT MAY BE REQUIRED TO MOVE FROM THE PLAINTIFF'S RESIDENCE IF THE RESIDENCE IS IN THE SOLE NAME OF THE PLAINTIFF, IF IT IS JOINTLY OWNED OR RENTED BY THE PLAINTIFF AND THE DEFENDANT, OR IF THE PARTIES ARE MARRIED TO EACH OTHER.

The place where the Plaintiff lives is: **Owned by:** ☐ the Plaintiff; or ☐ the Defendant; or ☐ both the Plaintiff and the Defendant.

Rented by: ☐ the Plaintiff; or ☐ the Defendant; or ☐ both the Plaintiff and the Defendant.

The Plaintiff must notify the Court of any change(s) in address.

VII. Ex Parte Relief Requested (Please Check the Boxes To Show What is Requested):

I am asking the Court for the following for myself and/or the person(s) for whom I am applying:

(1) Enjoin the Defendant from threatening to commit or committing acts of abuse, as defined in the Protection from Abuse Act, against the Plaintiff; and/or ☐ child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or ☐ any designated person, to wit: _____.

(2) Restrain and enjoin the Defendant from:

Annoying; ☐ Harassing; ☐ Stalking; Threatening;

Engaging in conduct that would place the following in reasonable fear of bodily injury:

☐ The Plaintiff; and/or

☐ Any designated person, to wit:

☐ Minor(s); and/or

☐ Child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or

_____.

Or restrain and enjoin the Defendant from contacting the Plaintiff and/or children of the Plaintiff

* "Contacting" includes, but is not limited to, communicating with the victim verbally or in any written form, either in person, telephonically, electronically, or in any other manner, either directly or indirectly through a third person.

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- ☐ (3) Restrain and enjoin the Defendant from having physical or violent contact with ☐ the Plaintiff or the Plaintiff's ☐ property; ☐ place of employment; ☐ school; and/or ☐ the child(ren)'s ☐ residence; ☐ place of employment; ☐ school; and/or ☐ any other designated person's [to wit: _____] ☐ residence; ☐ place of employment; ☐ school, or ☐ order the Defendant to stay away from any specified place, which the court determines the Defendant has no legitimate reason to frequent, as designated below, frequented by ☐ the Plaintiff, and/or ☐ child(ren); and or ☐ any designated person. Name(s) and location(s) of the other specified place(s): _____. ☐ The Defendant shall not go within _____ feet (a minimum of 300 feet) of the Plaintiff's residence even if the residence is shared with the Plaintiff.
- ☐ (4) Award temporary custody of the child(ren) to _____.
(Please specify the name of the person to whom custody should be given)
- ☐ (5) Enjoin the Defendant from interfering with the Plaintiff's efforts to remove any of the Plaintiff's child(ren) or from removing any children from the jurisdiction of the court and ☐ direct the appropriate law enforcement officer to accompany the Plaintiff during the effort to remove any of the Plaintiff's child(ren) as necessary to protect the Plaintiff or any children from abuse or child abuse.
- ☐ (6) Enjoin the Defendant from removing any child(ren) from _____
[the individual having legal custody of the child(ren)], except as subsequently authorized by a custody or visitation order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- ☐ (7) Remove and exclude the Defendant from the residence of the Plaintiff, regardless of ownership of the residence.
- ☐ (8) Order possession and use of an ☐ automobile; and/or ☐ other essential personal effects regardless of ownership, and direct the appropriate law enforcement officer to accompany the Plaintiff to the residence of the parties or to other specified locations as necessary to protect the Plaintiff or any children from abuse.
- ☐ (9) Prohibit the Defendant from ☐ transferring; ☐ concealing; ☐ encumbering; or ☐ otherwise disposing of specified property mutually owned or leased by the parties, _____. (Please describe property): _____.
- ☐ (10) Order other relief deemed necessary to provide for the safety and welfare of the ☐ Plaintiff; and/or ☐ any child(ren); and/or ☐ any designated person, to-wit: as follows: _____.

VIII. Additional relief requested for final hearing (permanent order):

In addition to the relief requested above in "VII. Ex Parte Relief Requested," I request the following relief for myself and/or the person(s) for whom I am applying:

- ☐ (11) Order the Defendant to comply with the following visitation arrangements of any child(ren):
☐ Visitation; ☐ Deny visitation; ☐ Require supervision by a third party
(Please specify visitation arrangements of any child(ren) below giving primary consideration to the safety of the Plaintiff or any child(ren) or both): _____.
- ☐ (12) Order the Defendant to pay attorney's fees and court costs.
- ☐ (13) Grant possession of the residence or household to the Plaintiff to the exclusion of the Defendant by ☐ evicting the Defendant; ☐ restoring possessions to the Plaintiff; or ☐ both; or ☐ agreeing to allow the Defendant to provide suitable alternate housing.
- ☐ (14) Order the Defendant to pay temporary reasonable child support for the Plaintiff and/or any child(ren) in the Plaintiff's custody, or both, in accordance with the Child Support Guidelines. (If this relief is sought, you must Attach COMPLETED copies of Form CS-41, Child Support Obligation Income Statement/Affidavit, Form CS-42, Child Support Guidelines, and Form CS-47, Child Support Information Sheet).

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(15) Order the Defendant to provide temporary possession of the vehicle (description): _____

_____ to the Plaintiff
because the Plaintiff has no other means of transportation of his or her own and the Defendant _____ has control of more than one vehicle;
or _____ has alternate means of transportation.

(16) Incorporate another _____ custody order (Case Number, County, State: _____); or _____ visitation
order (Case Number, County, State: _____); and/or _____ support order (Case Number, County,
State: _____) into this Order.

(17) Order the Defendant to surrender all firearms.

(18) Direct the appropriate law enforcement office to accompany the Plaintiff to _____ the residence of the parties; and/or
another location, _____ (description of location), as necessary to enforce
any of the terms of this Order.

(19) Order other relief not requested above
(describe): _____

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared the Plaintiff, who is known to me or presented an identification card to me,
and who being duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she has read the foregoing Petition for Protection from Abuse and that the facts herein
are true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed before this _____
(Date)

(Plaintiff (Please print))

(Plaintiff (Signature))

(Judge/Clerk of Court/Notary Public)

(Notary: My commission expires _____).

MARY B ROBERSON-CIRCUIT CLERK

2311 GATEWAY DR, OPELIKA, AL 36801

(334)737-3526

(Office Address and Telephone Number of Judge/Clerk
of Court/Notary Public)

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT

The Defendant is advised that (1) he or she has the right to counsel at his or her own expense at the final hearing on this Petition
but not counsel appointed by the court; and (2) he or she has a right to request a final hearing prior to 10 days of perfection of
Service of this Petition.

Original-Court Record

Copy- Law Enforcement

Copy-Plaintiff

Copy-Defendant

EX PARTE PROTECTION ORDER(Protection from Abuse Act)
§ 30-5-1, et seq., Ala. Code 1975☐ Amended Order

For Cases Filed on or After January 1, 2016

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Case No. _____

In the Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

PLAINTIFF (Victim)_____

_____First Middle Last
and any minor(s) on whose behalf the Petition
for Protection from Abuse was filed [List Name(s) and DOB(s)]:

_____**Date of Birth (DOB) of Plaintiff (Victim)**
Other Protected Persons(s) [List Name(s) and DOB(s)]:

_____**DEFENDANT**_____

First Middle Last

Relationship to Victim: Spouse Former-Spouse
Common-Law Marriage Former Common-Law Marriage
Child in Common
Current or Former Dating Relationship
Current or Former Household Member
Relative of Current or Former Household Member:
Parent Stepparent
Child Stepchild

SEX	RACE	DOB	HT	WT
EYES	HAIR	DISTINGUISHING FEATURES		
DRIVER'S LICENSE #			STATE	EXP. DATE
VEHICLE			TAG#	

Defendant's Home Address & Telephone #: _____

_____**CAUTION: WEAPONS INVOLVED:**Firearm ☐ Knife ☐ Hands, Feet, Fist ☐ Other: _____
Weapon Present on the Property**THE COURT HEREBY FINDS (Check all that apply):**

Pursuant to the sworn Affidavit/Petition and/or testimony of the Plaintiff seeking protection from abuse, the Court finds that it has jurisdiction over the parties and matter under the law of the State and the Defendant is being provided with sufficient notice, including notice of his right to request a hearing within 10 days of service, in order to protect his or her rights to due process.

- ☐ A temporary order is necessary to prevent abuse.
- ☐ The Defendant represents a credible threat to the physical safety of the: Plaintiff; and/or child(ren); and/or
☐ any designated person to wit: _____.

THE COURT HEREBY ORDERS (Check all that apply):

- ☐ That the above-named Defendant be enjoined from threatening to commit or committing acts of abuse as defined in the Protection from Abuse Act.
- ☐ That the above-named Defendant be restrained from any contact with the Plaintiff; and/or child(ren); and/or any designated person, to wit: _____
 _____ Additional terms of this order follow on succeeding pages.

The terms of this order shall be effective until _____, _____; or further order of the Court. **THIS ORDER IS VALID AND ENFORCEABLE IN ALL COUNTIES IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA. LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS MAY USE THEIR ARREST POWERS PURSUANT TO SECTION 15-10-3 TO ENFORCE THE TERMS OF THE INJUNCTION.**

NOTICE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT

This Order shall be enforced, even without registration, by courts and any law enforcement officer of any state, the District of Columbia, any U.S. territory, and may be enforced by Tribal lands (18 U.S.C.A. Section 2265).

WARNINGS TO DEFENDANT:

This Order shall be enforced, even without registration, by the courts and any law enforcement officer of any State, the District of Columbia, and any U. S. territory, and may be enforced by Tribal Lands (18 U.S.C.A. Section 2265). Crossing state, territorial or tribal boundaries to violate this Order may result in penalties, including federal imprisonment (18 U.S.C.A. Section 2262). Federal law provides penalties for possessing, transporting, shipping, or receiving any firearm or ammunition while subject to a qualified protection order or after being convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence [18 U.S.C.A. Sections 922(g)(8) and 922(g)(9)]. Section 13A-11-72(a) provides that it is a Class C felony for a person convicted in the State of Alabama or elsewhere of a misdemeanor offense of domestic violence or subject to a valid protection order for domestic abuse to own a firearm or have one in his or her possession or under his or her control. This Order is also enforceable on U.S. Department of Defense installations (10 U.S.C.A. Section 1561a). A violation of this ORDER is a Class A misdemeanor. Section 13A-6-142, Ala. Code 1975. The Defendant is notified the he or she has a right to request a final hearing prior to 10 days of perfection of service of the Petition for Protection from Abuse.

ONLY THE COURT CAN CHANGE THIS ORDER

Original-Court Record

Copy-Law Enforcement

Copy-Plaintiff

Copy-Defendant

Judge's Initials: _____

EX PARTE PROTECTION ORDER(Protection from Abuse Act)
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In the Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

THE COURT FURTHER ORDERS THAT (Check all that apply):

- (1) The Defendant is enjoined from threatening to commit, or committing acts of abuse, as defined in the Protection from Abuse Act, against the: Plaintiff, and/or child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or any designated person, to wit: _____.
- ☐ (2) The Defendant is restrained and enjoined from harassing, stalking, annoying, threatening or engaging in conduct that would place the following in reasonable fear of bodily injury, the: Plaintiff; and/or child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or any designated person, to-wit: _____ or from contacting the Plaintiff and/or children of the Plaintiff. .
- (3) The Defendant is restrained and enjoined from having physical or violent contact with: the Plaintiff or the Plaintiff's property; place of employment; school; and/or the child(ren)'s: residence; place of employment; school; and/or any designated person's, to-wit: _____; ☐ residence; ☐ place of employment; school.

The Defendant is ordered to stay away from any specified place, as designated below which the court determines the Defendant has no legitimate reason to frequent, frequented by the Plaintiff; child(ren); and/or any designated person.

Name(s) and location(s) of the other specified place(s): _____.

The Defendant is ordered to not go within _____ feet (minimum of 300 feet) of the Plaintiff's residence (even if the residence is shared with the Plaintiff); school; and/or place of employment; and/or the child(ren)'s school; and/or place of employment; any designated person's, to-wit: _____ school and/or place of employment.

- (4) Temporary custody of the child(ren) of the parties is hereby awarded to: _____.
- (5) The Defendant is enjoined from interfering with the Plaintiff's efforts to remove any of the Plaintiff's child(ren) or from removing any children from the jurisdiction of the court. I direct the appropriate law enforcement officer to accompany the Plaintiff during this effort.
- (6) The Defendant is enjoined from removing any child(ren) from the individual, to wit: _____, having legal custody of the child(ren), except as subsequently authorized by a custody or visitation order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- (7) The Defendant is removed and excluded from the residence of the Plaintiff, regardless of ownership of the residence.
- (8) The possession and use of the automobile, _____, is awarded to _____ (Description, year, make) and other essential personal effects, _____ (Please specify) are awarded to _____.
- The appropriate law enforcement officer shall accompany the Plaintiff to the residence of the parties and/or other specified locations, to-wit: _____ as necessary to protect the Plaintiff or any child(ren) from abuse.
- (9) The Defendant is prohibited from: transferring; concealing; encumbering; or otherwise disposing of specified property mutually owned or leased by the parties, as follows : _____.

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In The Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

- (10) The Defendant is ordered to obey the following grant of relief deemed necessary to provide for the safety and welfare of the: Plaintiff; and/or any child(ren); and/or any designated person, as follows:

- (11) Other (please specify) _____

This matter is set for a final hearing on _____ (date) at _____ (time) to be held at _____ (place).

The Defendant is advised that he or she has the right to counsel at this final hearing at his or her expense, but not counsel appointed by the court.

Date

Judge

RETURN ON SERVICE

Return receipt of certified mail received in this office on _____ (Date).

I certify that I personally delivered a copy of the Ex Parte Protection Order to _____
in _____ County, Alabama on _____ (Date).

Date

Server's Signature

Type of Process Server

Office Address of Server

Office Telephone Number of Server

PROTECTION ORDER(Protection from Abuse Act)
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Amended Order

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Case No. _____

In the Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

PLAINTIFF (Victim)First Middle Last
and any minor(s) on whose behalf the Petition
for Protection from Abuse was filed [List Name(s) and DOB(s)]:

_____Date of Birth (DOB) of Plaintiff (Victim)
Other Protected Persons(s) [List Name(s) and DOB(s)]:

V.

DEFENDANT

First Middle Last

- Relationship to Victim:** ☐ Spouse ☐ Former-Spouse
☐ Common-Law Marriage ☐ Former Common-Law Marriage
☐ Child in Common
☐ Current or Former Dating Relationship
☐ Current or Former Household Member
 Relative of Current or Former Household Member:
☐ Parent ☐ Stepparent
☐ Child ☐ Stepchild

SEX	RACE	DOB	HT	WT
EYES	HAIR	DISTINGUISHING FEATURES		
DRIVER'S LICENSE #			STATE	EXP. DATE
VEHICLE			TAG#	

Defendant's Home Address & Telephone #: _____

 _____**CAUTION: WEAPONS INVOLVED:**Firearm Knife Hands, Feet, Fist Other: _____
 Weapon Present on the Property**THE COURT HEREBY FINDS:**

That it has jurisdiction over the parties and matter under the laws of the state and that reasonable notice and opportunity to be heard was given to the person against whom the order is sought sufficient to protect the person's right to due process. Additional findings of this Court follow on succeeding pages.

THE COURT HEREBY ORDERS (Check all that apply):

That the above-named Defendant is enjoined from threatening to commit or committing acts of abuse as defined in the Protection from Abuse Act.

That the above-named Defendant is restrained from any contact with the Plaintiff, and/or child(ren).

Additional terms of this order follow on succeeding pages.

That the above-named Defendant is restrained from harassing, stalking, or threatening the Plaintiff, and/or child(ren); and/or any designated person to wit: _____ or engaging in other conduct that would place the person(s) in reasonable fear of bodily injury.

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Judge's Initials: _____

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Case No. _____

In the Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

FINDINGS OF THE COURT (Continued from Page One) (Check all that apply):

After a hearing was held in which the Defendant: appeared { pro se or with counsel } or did not appear, the Court finds that the Plaintiff proved the allegations of abuse by a preponderance of evidence and further finds that:

Service was perfected on the Defendant on _____ (date).

The Defendant represents a credible threat to the physical safety of the Plaintiff; and/or child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or any designated family or household member, to wit: _____.

THE COURT FURTHER ORDERS THAT (Check all that apply):

- (1) The Defendant is enjoined from threatening to commit, or committing acts of abuse, as defined in the Protection from Abuse Act, against the: ☐ Plaintiff, and/or ☐ Plaintiff's child(ren); and/or ☐ any designated person, to wit: _____.
- (2) The Defendant is restrained and enjoined from harassing, ☐ stalking, annoying, threatening or engaging in conduct that would place the following in reasonable fear of bodily injury, the: Plaintiff; and/or child(ren) of the Plaintiff; and/or any designated person, to-wit: _____, or from ☐ contacting ☐ the Plaintiff and/or children of the Plaintiff.
- ☐ (3) The Defendant is restrained and enjoined from having physical or violent contact with: ☐ the Plaintiff or the Plaintiff's ☐ property; place of employment; ☐ school; and/or ☐ the child(ren)'s: residence; place of employment; school; and/or any designated person's, to-wit: _____; residence; place of employment; ☐ school; and/or ordered to stay away from ☐ any specified place, as designated below which the court determines the Defendant has no legitimate reason to frequent, frequented by: ☐ the Plaintiff; and/or child(ren); and/or any designated person. Name(s) and location(s) of the other specified place(s): _____.
- The Defendant is ordered to not go within _____ feet (minimum of 300 feet) of the Plaintiff's residence even if the residence is shared with the Plaintiff. The Defendant is ordered to not go within _____ feet (minimum of 300 feet) of the Plaintiff's school; and/or place of employment; and/or the child(ren)'s school; and/or place of employment; and/or any designated person's, to-wit: _____ school and/or place of employment.
- (4) Temporary custody of the child(ren) of the parties is hereby awarded to: _____.
- (5) The Defendant is enjoined from interfering with the Plaintiff's efforts to remove any of the Plaintiff's child(ren) or from removing any children from the jurisdiction of the court. I direct _____.
- (6) The Defendant is enjoined from removing any child(ren) from the individual, to wit: _____, having legal custody of the child(ren), except as subsequently authorized by a custody or visitation order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- (7) The possession and use of the automobile, _____, is awarded to _____ and other essential personal effects, _____ (Description, year, make) _____ are awarded to _____ (Please specify) _____ (the appropriate law enforcement officer) is to accompany the Plaintiff to the residence of the parties or to _____ as necessary to protect the Plaintiff or any child(ren) from abuse.
- (8) The Defendant is removed and excluded from the residence of the Plaintiff, regardless of ownership of the residence.
- (9) The Defendant is prohibited from: transferring; concealing; encumbering; or otherwise disposing of specified property mutually owned or leased by the parties, as follows: _____.
- (10) The Defendant is ordered to obey the following grant of relief deemed necessary to provide for the safety and welfare of the: Plaintiff; and/or any child(ren); and/or any designated person, as follows:

PROTECTION ORDER(Protection from Abuse Act)
§ 30-5-1, et seq., Ala. Code 1975☐ Amended Order

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In the Circuit Court of _____ County, Alabama

- ☐ (11) The Defendant is ordered to comply with the following visitation arrangements of any child(ren) [These visitation arrangements should be given on a basis that gives primary consideration to the safety of the Plaintiff and/or child(ren), or both, and require supervision by a third party or denies visitation if necessary to protect the safety of the Plaintiff and/or child(ren)]: _____.
- ☐ (12) The Defendant is ordered to pay attorney's fees in the amount of \$ _____ and court costs.
- ☐ (13) The Defendant is ordered to support the Plaintiff and/or child(ren) living in the residence or household when the Defendant is the sole owner or lessee. The Plaintiff is granted possession of the residence or household to the exclusion of the Defendant by ☐ evicting the Defendant; ☐ restoring possession to the Plaintiff; or ☐ both; or ☐ by agreeing to allow the Defendant to provide suitable alternate housing.
- ☐ (14) The Defendant is ordered to pay temporary reasonable support in the amount of \$ _____ for the Plaintiff and/or any child(ren) in the Plaintiff's custody, or both, when the Defendant has a legal obligation to support these persons. ☐ The amount of temporary support awarded is in accordance with the Child Support Guidelines, Rule 32, Alabama Rules of Judicial Administration, as calculated on Form CS-42.
- ☐ (15) The Defendant is ordered to provide temporary possession of the vehicle (description) _____ to the Plaintiff, since the Plaintiff has no other means of transportation of his or her own and the Defendant either ☐ has control of more than one vehicle; or ☐ has alternate means of transportation.
- ☐ (16) The following previous court orders are incorporated (all or in-part) into this Order. Custody Order _____ (case#) Visitation Order _____ (case#) Support Order _____ (case#).
- ☐ (17) The Defendant is ordered to surrender all firearms to _____ (law enforcement agency) by _____ (date). Any law enforcement officer is hereby authorized to remove any weapons known to be possessed by the Defendant if not timely surrendered.
- ☐ (18) Any law enforcement officer is hereby directed to accompany the Plaintiff to the: ☐ residence of the parties; and/or ☐ another location, _____, as necessary to enforce any of the terms of this Order.
(Description of location)
- ☐ (19) Other (please specify): _____

Date

Judge

RETURN ON SERVICE

- ☐ Return receipt of certified mail received in this office on _____ (Date).
- ☐ I certify that I personally delivered a copy of the Protection Order to _____ in _____ County, Alabama on _____ (Date).

Date

Server's Signature

Type of Process Server

Office Address of Server

Office Telephone Number of Server

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF _____ COUNTY, **ALABAMA**

Plaintiff V. **Defendant** _____

Pursuant to § 30-5-6 (a), Ala. Code 1975, I request a hearing on the Petition for Protection from Abuse filed on

_____ (date).

 Defendant

 Defendant's Attorney

 City State Zip Code

 Attorney's Business Telephone Number

ORDER

I grant deny the above Request for Hearing.

 Judge

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:

A Protection Order that may be issued from a final hearing shall be enforced, even without registration, by the courts and any law enforcement officer of any State, the District of Columbia, and any U.S. territory, and may be enforced by Tribal Lands (18 U.S.C.A. Section 2265). Crossing state, territory or tribal boundaries to violate a protection order may result in penalties, including federal imprisonment (18 U.S.C.A. Section 2262). Federal law provides penalties for possessing, transporting, shipping, or receiving any firearm or ammunition while subject to qualified protection order or after being convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence[18 U.S.C.A. Sections 922 (g)(8) and 922 (g)(9)]. Section 13A-11-72(a) provides that it is a Class C felony for a person convicted in the State of Alabama or elsewhere of a misdemeanor offense of domestic violence or subject to a valid protection order for domestic abuse to own a firearm or have one in his or her possession or under his or her control. A protection order is also enforceable on U.S. Department of Defense installations (10 U.S.C.A. Section 1561a). A violation of a domestic violence ORDER is a Class A misdemeanor. Section 13A-6-142 (a), Ala. Code 1975. The Defendant is notified that he or she has a right to counsel at the final hearing on the Petition for Protection from Abuse but not counsel appointed by the court.

Original-Court Record

Copy-Plaintiff

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IN THE _____ **COURT OF** _____ **COUNTY, ALABAMA**
(Circuit, District, or Juvenile) *(Name of County)*

_____ **v.** _____
[Name(s) of Plaintiff(s)] *[Name(s) of Defendant(s)]*

NOTICE TO: _____
(Name and Address of Defendant)

THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THIS SUMMONS IS IMPORTANT, AND YOU MUST TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS. YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY ARE REQUIRED TO FILE THE ORIGINAL OF YOUR WRITTEN ANSWER, EITHER ADMITTING OR DENYING EACH ALLEGATION IN THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT, WITH THE CLERK OF THIS COURT. A COPY OF YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED BY YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY TO THE PLAINTIFF(S) OR ATTORNEY(S) OF THE PLAINTIFF(S), _____, WHOSE
[Name(s) of Attorney(s)]

ADDRESS(ES) IS/ARE: _____
[Address(es) of Plaintiff(s) or Attorney(s)]

THIS ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN _____ DAYS AFTER THIS SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WERE SERVED ON YOU OR A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE RENDERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT.

TO ANY SHERIFF OR ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY THE ALABAMA RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE TO SERVE PROCESS:

You are hereby commanded to serve this Summons and a copy of the Complaint or other document in this action upon the above-named Defendant.

Service by certified mail of this Summons is initiated upon the written request of _____
[Name(s)]

pursuant to the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure.

(Date) *(Signature of Clerk)* **By:** _____
(Name)

Certified Mail is hereby requested. _____
(Plaintiff's/Attorney's Signature)

RETURN ON SERVICE

Return receipt of certified mail received in this office on _____.
(Date)

I certify that I personally delivered a copy of this Summons and Complaint or other document to _____
(Name of Person Served) **in** _____ **County,**
(Name of County)

Alabama on _____.
(Date)

(Type of Process Server) *(Server's Signature)* *(Address of Server)*

(Server's Printed Name) *(Phone Number of Server)*