

STATE OF WYOMING)
) ss
COUNTY OF _____)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

_____ JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Petitioner: _____ ,) Case Number _____
Name of person filing for protection order)
)
vs.)
)
Respondent: _____ .)
Name of person you want to be protected from)

EX PARTE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER OF PROTECTION

PETITIONER NAME

First Middle Last

PETITIONER IDENTIFIERS

Date of Birth of Petitioner

Race

Sex

RESPONDENT NAME

First Middle Last

RESPONDENT IDENTIFIERS

Respondent's Physical Address:

Respondent's Mailing Address:

CAUTION:

Firearms Involved

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Firearms on
Property

☐

Additional Information (for example, other names used, tattoos, scars):

When Does This ORDER EXPIRE:**This Order shall be in effect until further Order of the Court.**

Based upon the verified Petition for Order of Protection on file herein and good cause appearing,
IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED:

The Respondent must follow every requirement below that has a mark next to its number.

1. ☒ Respondent is Ordered not to commit any of the following acts: (A) Physically abusing, threatening to physically abuse, attempting to cause or causing physical harm, or acts that unreasonably restrain the personal liberty of the Petitioner; (B) Placing the Petitioner in reasonable fear of imminent physical harm; or (C) Causing the Petitioner to engage involuntarily in sexual activity by force, threat of force, or duress.
2. ☒ Respondent is ordered not to initiate contact with Petitioner in any way, either directly or indirectly, including, but not limited to, communication verbally in person, communication by telephone or other electronic means, written communication in any form, communication through third persons, and nonverbal communication and gestures. Prohibited contact under this paragraph includes telephone calls, mail, e-mail, texting, fax, contacting through social media, contacting through the internet or similar technology, and any other form of communication.
3. ☒ Respondent is ordered not to be at Petitioner's place of employment or Petitioner's residence. Respondent is ordered to stay far enough away from those places to avoid upsetting the life of Petitioner.
4. ☒ Respondent is ordered not to surveil (spy on or watch) Petitioner. Respondent is ordered not to ask, direct, or hire anyone else to surveil (spy on or watch) Petitioner.
5. ☐ Petitioner is granted sole possession of the following residence during the period this order is in effect. Respondent is ordered to vacate the residence immediately. Respondent is prohibited from entering or being at Petitioner's residence at:

6. ☐ Respondent is prohibited from giving away, selling, hiding, encumbering (for example, pawning, taking a loan against), or otherwise getting rid of Petitioner's property or the joint property of the parties. This Order shall not affect title to any property, and this Order does not allow the Petitioner to give away, sell, hide, encumber (for example, pawn, take a loan against), or otherwise get rid of Respondent's property or the joint property of the parties.
7. ☐ Petitioner is awarded temporary custody of the following child(ren):

8. ☐ Respondent is prohibited from taking any of the children away, and Respondent is prohibited from hiding any of the children.

9. ☐ Respondent is prohibited from contacting the minor children at their school(s) and/or childcare(s), which are as follows:

10. ☐ Visitation and support issues will be determined at the hearing.

11. ☐ While this Order is in effect, the Petitioner is Granted sole possession of the following household pets (name and description):

(Household pet is defined in W.S. 6-3-1001(a)(ii). This does not include livestock as defined in W.S. 23-1-102(a)(xvi).)

The Respondent shall not kill, physically injure, or threaten to kill or injure a household pet that is:

- ☐ a. Owned or kept by Petitioner.
- ☐ b. Owned or kept by the Respondent.

12. ☐ Other relief this Court determines is appropriate:

13. ☐ Respondent shall not use or possess firearms or ammunition.

Pursuant to the UCCJEA, if this Order involves custody and/or support of a minor child, the Circuit Court may inform any court that has already issued a relevant custody and/or support determination of this Order.

The Court Orders the Parties to take Notice of the Following:

Certain provisions of the Federal Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 make it unlawful for persons subject to domestic violence protection orders to possess, ship, use or transfer any firearms or ammunition. Gun Control Act, 18 U.S.C. Section 922(g)(8) (W.S. § 35-21-109).

At the time this Order is entered, a certified copy will be provided to the Petitioner by the Court.

This Order shall be filed with the clerk of court. A copy shall be sent by the clerk to the county sheriff who shall, after service, notify the local law enforcement agency within the county in which the Petitioner resides of the existence of this Order. The Order shall be personally served upon the Respondent.

The Court shall set a hearing on this matter. Notice of the Hearing shall be personally served upon the Respondent. If the Respondent fails to appear at the hearing, this Court may award any or all of the relief requested by the Petitioner.

This Order is in place beginning when Respondent is served.

WARNING TO RESPONDENT: The Petitioner cannot give you legal permission to violate this Order. If you go near the Petitioner or other protected persons, even with their consent, you may be arrested. You act at your own risk if you disregard this warning. If you want to modify or dismiss the Order, you must ask the Court. Only the Court can change this Order.

Willful violation of any provision of this Ex Parte Order of Protection constitutes a crime, as defined by Wyo. Stat. Ann. § 6-4-404. Violation can result in immediate arrest, and may result in further punishment. A violation of this Ex Parte Order of Protection that constitutes the offense of stalking as defined by W.S. § 6-2-506(b) may subject the Respondent to enhanced penalties for felony stalking under 6-2-506(e).

DATED this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

BY THE COURT

JUDGE OR MAGISTRATE