

Final Order of Protection

Amended Order

Case No.

Circuit Court, Div.

County:

, Arkansas

Petitioner/Plaintiff

First

Middle

Last

Petitioner's Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Race

Sex

Minor Children Protected under this Order

	d.o.b.
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This Order is Effective Until:

Pursuant to Federal law, this Order shall be enforced by law enforcement officers in all states, territories, districts and tribal lands regardless of whether this Order of Protection is registered locally.

Versus

Respondent/Defendant

First

Middle

Last

Address:

Employer:

- CAUTION:** Respondent possesses a firearm
 Respondent has history of extreme violence

Respondent Identifiers

Sex	Race	DOB mm/dd/yyyy	Ht.	Wt.

Eyes	Hair	SS#
Phone #		DL # or other ID #

Distinguishing Characteristics: _____

Relationship Identifiers: Current or former spouses Parents of child(ren) in common

Live together Current or past dating relationship Other Relative (Explain) _____

THE COURT HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS:

That there is jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter, and the Respondent has been provided with proper notice and the opportunity to be heard. That the victim(s) is (are) in immediate and present danger of domestic abuse and therefore an Order of Protection is hereby granted pursuant to the terms herein.

A hearing on this matter was held on the _____ day of _____, 2____.

The Petitioner appeared pro se. _____

The Petitioner was represented by counsel. _____

The Respondent appeared pro se. _____

The Respondent was represented by counsel. _____

The Respondent failed to appear despite proper notice. _____

- The Respondent is restrained from committing any criminal act against the victim(s) including, but not limited to: acts of violence or Domestic Abuse, A.C.A. §9-15-103(3); Harassment A.C.A. §5-71-208; Harassing Communications A.C.A. §5-71-209; Stalking A.C.A. §5-71-229; or Terroristic Threatening A.C.A. §5-13-301.

The Respondent is prohibited from initiating any contact with the victim(s) including, but not limited to, physical presence, telephonic, electronic, oral, written, visual, or video. Respondent also shall not use a third party to contact the victim(s) except by legal counsel or as authorized by law or court order.

The Respondent is excluded from the Petitioner’s residence and the immediate vicinity thereof.

Petitioner’s Address:

(or) The Petitioner’s address is excluded from notice to the Respondent.

- The Respondent is also prohibited from the following places:

Petitioner’s Workplace:

Schools:

Other (Identify): _____

- _____ is awarded temporary custody of the minor child(ren) for the duration of order or until future orders shall be issued from a Court with jurisdiction over the parties:

(Children's Names) _____

- Visitation with regard to the minor child(ren) is established as follows:

- _____ is ordered to pay child support to _____ through the Circuit Clerk's Office in the amount of \$ _____ per _____, plus any Clerk fees as they come due with said payments to begin on _____. This amount is according to the Child Support Chart based upon the payor's income of _____ per _____.

This amount does/ does not (check one) deviate from the Child Support Chart.

(If the amount deviates from the Chart, the justification below in the "Other Order's" section.)

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- Respondent is hereby assessed an additional cost of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) to be paid through the Circuit Clerk's office. The Circuit Clerk shall remit said fee to the Administration of Justice Funds Section within the Department of Finance and Administration for deposit as special revenues into the Domestic Violence Shelter Fund.

 - Petitioner and/or the minor children in Petitioner's care are the primary users, but not the account holder, of the following wireless telephone numbers: _____

Respondent is prohibited from terminating these accounts. An order transferring the billing responsibility for and rights to the wireless telephone number(s) will be filed separately herein.

If the parties (or other persons named herein) are subject to the jurisdiction of another court (i.e. through a divorce or paternity action), upon proper notice and the opportunity to be heard, said court may amend the terms of this Order as appropriate.

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, IT IS SO ORDERED.

CIRCUIT JUDGE/DISTRICT JUDGE

WARNINGS TO RESPONDENT

-Pursuant to A.C.A. §9-15-207, a violation of an Order of Protection is a Class A misdemeanor carrying a maximum penalty of one year imprisonment in the county jail or a fine of up to \$2,500, or both. A violation of an Order of Protection under this section within five (5) years of a previous conviction for violation of an Order of Protection is a Class D felony punishable by up to six years in prison or up to a \$10,000 fine or both.

-It is a federal offense for an individual who is subject to a Final Order of Protection or convicted of a misdemeanor of domestic violence to ship, transport, or possess a firearm or ammunition pursuant to U.S.C. §922(g)(8) and (9).

-Crossing state, territorial, or tribal boundaries to violate this Order may result in federal imprisonment pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §2262.

NOTICE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT

-In the event that any law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe that the Respondent named in the above Order has violated this Order and has verification of this Order the officer, may, without a warrant arrest the violator whether the violation was in or outside the officer's presence. See A.C.A. §9-15-207(f).

-A law enforcement officer SHALL NOT arrest a Petitioner for the violation of an Order of Protection issued against a Respondent. See A.C.A. §9-15-207(e).

-This Order of Protection is enforceable in every county of this state by any court or law enforcement officer. See A.C.A. §9-15-207(g).

-This Order is entitled to full faith and credit in any jurisdiction of the United States. See 18 U.S.C. §2265.