

**Lifetime Order of Protection  
Pursuant to T.C.A. § 36-3-627**

Amended Order

Petitioner is under 18

Case # (the clerk fills this in):  
\_\_\_\_\_

In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court of \_\_\_\_\_ County, TN

**Petitioner** (person needing protection)

\_\_\_\_\_ *first* \_\_\_\_\_ *middle* \_\_\_\_\_ *last*

**Petitioner's Children Under 18 that Petitioner believes are in need of protection:**

Name	Age	Relationship to Respondent	Name	Age	Relationship to Respondent
1. _____			3. _____		
2. _____			4. _____		

**Respondent's Information** (person you want to be protected from):

\_\_\_\_\_ *first* \_\_\_\_\_ *middle* \_\_\_\_\_ *last* \_\_\_\_\_ *date of birth (MM/DD/YYYY)*

\_\_\_\_\_ *street address* \_\_\_\_\_ *city* \_\_\_\_\_ *state* \_\_\_\_\_ *zip*

Respondent's Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Employer's name* \_\_\_\_\_ *Employer's phone #*

**Describe Respondent:**

Sex	Race	Hair	Eyes	Height – Weight – SSN – Other			
<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Grey <input type="checkbox"/> Blond <input type="checkbox"/> Bald <input type="checkbox"/> Brown <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown <input type="checkbox"/> Hazel <input type="checkbox"/> Blue <input type="checkbox"/> Green <input type="checkbox"/> Grey <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Height		Weight	
				Social Sec. # (If known)	(Provided to Clerk's office if known) <b>Do not list it here. XXXXX</b>		
				Scars/Special Features			
				Phone Number			

**Petitioner's relationship to the Respondent** (Check all that apply):

- We are married or used to be married.
- We live together or used to live together.
- We have a child together.
- We are dating, used to date, or have had sex.
- We are relatives, related by adoption, or are/were in-laws. (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- We are the children of a person whose relationship is described above (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- The Respondent has stalked me.
- The Respondent has sexually assaulted me.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**This is a Court Order.**

**Warning!**  
 Weapon involved  
 Type (Firearm, Knife, etc): \_\_\_\_\_

**Findings About the Crime:**

1. The Court has jurisdiction over the parties and this case. The Respondent was given reasonable notice of the hearing and an opportunity to be heard.

2. Based on the information in the *Petition*, and the hearing held, the court finds that the Respondent:  
 Did the things listed in the Petition and the court adopts these as facts and incorporates them by reference, AND/OR  
 Did the following things:

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3. The Court finds that the Respondent has been convicted of the following felony(ies) against Petitioner:

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**The Court orders Respondent to:**

Obey all orders on this form.

**Other Orders to the Respondent:**

**No Contact**  
 You must not come about the Petitioner for any purpose and must not contact Petitioner, either directly or indirectly, by phone, email, messages, text messages, mail or any other type of communication or contact.

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**THIS ORDER TAKES EFFECT IMMEDIATELY UPON SIGNING.**

**This Order starts today, (date): \_\_\_\_\_ . This Order remains in effect until the death of the Petitioner or Respondent.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_  a.m.  p.m.    ▶ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Judge or Chancellor

**Certificate of Service – Respondent** (check one):

- Signed by Respondent: \_\_\_\_\_
- Signed by Respondent's counsel: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hand delivered to Respondent.
- Hand delivered to Respondent's counsel.
- U.S. mail, prepaid postage to Respondent's last known address
- U.S. mail, prepaid postage to Respondent's counsel's last known address
- Reasonable attempts to find the Respondent's address were made, but there is no known address at this time.

Signature of Server: \_\_\_\_\_

Server's title (check one):  Clerk  Deputy Clerk  
 Authorized Officer  Attorney

Service was made on:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_  a.m.  p.m.

**Certificate of Service – Petitioner** (check one):

- Signed by Petitioner: \_\_\_\_\_
- Signed by Petitioner's counsel: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hand delivered to Petitioner.
- Hand delivered to Petitioner's counsel.
- U.S. mail, prepaid postage to Petitioner's last known address.
- U.S. mail, prepaid postage to Petitioner's counsel's last known address.
- Reasonable attempts to find the Petitioner's address were made, but there is no known address at this time.

Signature of Server: \_\_\_\_\_

Server's title (check one):  Clerk  Deputy Clerk  
 Authorized Officer  Attorney

Service was made on:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_  a.m.  p.m.

**The Clerk certifies a copy of this Order was forwarded to 911, local law enforcement, and any court in which the respondent and petitioner are parties to an action.**

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## **Warnings to Respondent:**

**This Order is valid and enforceable in any county of the state of Tennessee.**

### **You will face separate charges if you disobey this Order**

You may face separate, criminal contempt charges and/or civil penalties if:

- You disobey this Order on purpose (TCA § 36-3-610).  
The penalty for each violation is **up to 10 days in jail and a \$10 or \$50 fine** (TCA § 29-9-103).
- You may also have to pay a civil penalty of up to \$50 for each violation (TCA § 36-3-610).

You may face separate, Class A misdemeanor charges if:

- You violate this Order (Public Chapter No. 60, effective July 1, 2021).  
A violation is punishable by **up to 11 months and 29 days in jail and a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$2500 for each violation.**

You may face separate, Class C felony charges if:

- You hurt or try to hurt anyone while this Order, probation, or diversion is in effect; you may face charges for aggravated assault (TCA §§ 36-3-610, 39-13-102(c)).  
The penalty for each violation is **not less than 3 years nor more than 15 years and a fine of up to \$10,000** (TCA § 40-35-111(b)(3)).

### **Only the Court can change this Order:**

Neither you nor the Petitioner can agree to change this Order. Even if the Petitioner attempts to contact you or agrees to have contact with you, you must obey this Order. If you do not, you can be jailed for **up to 11 months and 29 days and fined up to \$2,500.**

#### **To the Petitioner:**

You may ask any government agency or utility provider to keep private any information that could be used to locate you, such as addresses, phone numbers, and/or social security number. To do so, give a copy of this Protective Order to the Records Department of the agency or utility. (TCA § 10-7-504(a)(15-16))