

# SOUTH DAKOTA PROTECTION ORDER FROM ACTS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE, ACTS OF STALKING, OR ACTS OF PHYSICAL INJURY

*READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND REVIEW THE FORMS BEFORE BEGINNING TO FILL THEM OUT*

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE VICTIM OF DOMESTIC ABUSE, STALKING, OR PHYSICAL INJURY

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAW.** You may seek a protection order from “domestic abuse” or from “stalking.” If you do not qualify for a domestic abuse protection order, you may still qualify for a protection order for stalking. In order for the judge to grant a protection order, you must meet certain criteria.

**SHOULD BE A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY.** You should file in the county where one of you resides.

### IF YOU ARE SEEKING A PROTECTION ORDER FOR DOMESTIC ABUSE

**MUST BE A HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.** The one against whom you seek an order (the abuser) must be a “household member” which means he/she is (1) a spouse, (2) a former spouse, (3) a relative by adoption or blood, (4) a person living in the same household, (5) a person with whom you have lived, or (6) a person with whom you have had a child. If your relationship is not one of the above, you cannot seek a protection order for domestic abuse. You may, however, be able to receive a protection order for stalking as defined later in these instructions.

**MUST ALLEGE PHYSICAL HARM.** The person against whom you seek an order (1) **must have caused you physical injury or harm**, (2) **must have attempted to cause you physical injury or harm**, or (3) **you are afraid that the person is about to cause you physical injury or harm**. If the person has not done any of these things, you cannot seek a protection order for domestic abuse. You may, however, be able to receive a protection order for stalking as defined later in these instructions.

### IF YOU ARE SEEKING A PROTECTION ORDER FOR STALKING OR FROM PHYSICAL INJURY

**MUST ALLEGE STALKING.** The person's acts of harassment must **seriously alarm, annoy or harass** you. The person against whom you seek a stalking order must have: (1) **followed or harassed** you in a willful and malicious manner and have done so **more than once**; or (2) made believable **threats** against you **with the intent to make you fearful of great bodily injury**; or (3) **harassed** you in a willful and malicious manner by means of verbal, electronic, digital media, mechanical, telegraphic, or written communication and have done so **more than once**. The person must intend to carry out the threats and have the apparent ability to do so, or (4) **you, as the petitioner, have suffered physical injury** as a result of an assault or a crime of violence.

(5) **A crime of violence is** murder, manslaughter, rape, aggravated assault, riot, robbery, burglary in the first or second degree, arson, kidnapping, felony sexual contact or any other felony in the commission of which the perpetrator used force, or was armed with a dangerous weapon, or used any explosive or destructive device. It also includes an attempt or conspiracy to commit the above-described crimes.

**IF YOU MEET THE LEGAL CRITERIA STATED ABOVE, YOU MAY  
COMPLETE THE FORMS WITH THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS**

1. **FILL OUT THE PETITIONER AND RESPONDENT INFORMATION SHEETS AND THE PETITION AND AFFIDAVIT FOR A PROTECTION ORDER** (*please print names*). You are the PETITIONER; the person against whom you seek a protection order is the RESPONDENT.
2. **THE PETITION AND AFFIDAVIT MUST BE THE TRUTH.** *Do not sign your name at the end of the form.* You will need to sign it before a court clerk and swear to its truth or if you are unable to take it to the Clerk's Office yourself, you may sign it before a notary.
3. **REQUIREMENT FOR AN IMMEDIATE ORDER.** If you are requesting that the judge grant you an immediate temporary protection order without the Respondent having notice of your request or an opportunity to be heard, **YOU MUST BE ABLE TO CLAIM THAT IMMEDIATE AND GREAT INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGE WOULD OCCUR IF YOU HAD TO WAIT UNTIL A HEARING.**
4. **JUDGE MUST SIGN THE ORDER.** The judge will review your petition and affidavit. If the judge grants you a temporary protection order and/or a hearing, the clerk will prepare certified copies of the orders. *You will need to pick up the copies of the orders at the Clerk of Courts Office where you filed.*
5. **DELIVER FORMS TO THE SHERIFF.** Take two copies of the forms to the Sheriff Office, in the County where the petition is filed.
6. **KEEP ONE COPY OF THE SIGNED FORMS WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES.**
7. **YOU MUST ATTEND THE HEARING FOR THE PROTECTION ORDER.**
8. **THE HEARING IS THE TIME SET FOR YOU TO PROVE YOUR CASE.** You will need to bring with you to the hearing any witnesses that have 1<sup>st</sup> hand knowledge of the incidents that have occurred, any documentation such as pictures, phone logs, email messages, text messages, etc.

**IF THE RESPONDENT VIOLATES ANY PROTECTION ORDER,  
CALL THE POLICE IMMEDIATELY**

**TPO:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Petitioner Information** **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**Required Information**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Last Name**                      **First**                      **Middle**                      **Suffix**

**Birth Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ (MM/DD/YYYY)      **Sex:** \_\_\_\_\_ (M=Male, F=Female)

**Race:** \_\_ (A=Asian/Pacific Islander, B=Black, I=American Indian, W=White, O=Other, U=Unknown)

**Present Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

My mailing address is the same as my present address.

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Driver's License Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **License State:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SSN:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Eye Color:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Hair Color:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Weight:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Height:** \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number	Type
1 (_____) _____ - _____	<b>H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax</b>
2 (_____) _____ - _____	<b>H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax</b>
3 (_____) _____ - _____	<b>H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax</b>

**TPO:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Respondent Information** **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Required Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle  
Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (MM/DD/YYYY) Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ (M=Male, F=Female, U=Unknown)

Driver's License Number: \_\_\_\_\_ License State: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Race: \_\_\_\_ (A=Asian/Pacific Islander, B=Black, I=American Indian, O=Other, W=White, U=Unknown)

Eye Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Hair Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Distinguishing Features: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number 1 (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ (H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax)

2 (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ (H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax)

3 (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ (H=Home, W=Work, C=Cell, O=Other, F=Fax)

Misc. Indicator: \_\_ Martial Arts Expert \_\_ Explosives Expert \_\_ Known to Abuse Drugs

Medical Indicator: \_\_ Heart Condition \_\_ Alcoholic \_\_ Allergies  
\_\_ Epilepsy \_\_ Suicidal \_\_ Medication Required  
\_\_ Hemophiliac \_\_ Diabetic  
\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Interpreter needed  Language \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent Vehicles

License Plate Number	State	Year	Make	Model	Color
1. _____					
2. _____					
3. _____					

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Days: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Other persons at Respondent's residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Other addresses or locations (hangouts) where Respondent can be found:

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT

\_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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<p>_____ Petitioner</p> <p style="text-align: center;">-vs-</p> <p>_____ Respondent</p>	<p>TPO NO. _____</p> <p><b>PETITION AND AFFIDAVIT FOR A PROTECTION ORDER (DOMESTIC ABUSE)</b></p>
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I, \_\_\_\_\_, the above-named Petitioner, or the Parent/Guardian of the minor child Petitioner, being duly sworn upon oath, state and affirm the following:

- I am a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, South Dakota.
- The Respondent is a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, South Dakota.

The person I am asking the Court to restrain from committing acts of domestic abuse is  
(check all that apply):

- a spouse (married);
- a former spouse (divorced);
- a person related to me by blood or adoption (specify relationship \_\_\_\_\_);
- a person who lives with me in the same household (lease or own by petitioner, respondent or both) \_\_\_\_\_;
- a person with whom I have lived with in the past;
- a person with whom I have had a child.

**I AM ASKING THE COURT FOR A PROTECTION ORDER BASED UPON THE FACTS BELOW:**

On or about (month) \_\_\_\_\_ (day) \_\_\_\_\_, (year) \_\_\_\_\_, at approximately \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ (am/pm), the person against whom I seek this Protection Order committed the following act(s) of domestic abuse:

- The person caused me physical harm or bodily injury.
- The person attempted to cause me physical harm or bodily injury.
- The person's actions have made me fearful that he/she is about to cause me physical harm or bodily injury.
- The person violated a protection order.
- The person willfully, maliciously, and repeatedly followed me.
- The person harassed me by pursuing a knowing and willful course of conduct which seriously alarms, annoys, or harasses me, with no legitimate purpose. The pattern of conduct is a series of acts over a period of time, however short, showing a continuing pattern of harassment.
- The person made a credible threat with the intent to place me in a reasonable fear of death or great bodily injury.
- The person willfully, maliciously, and repeatedly harassed me by means of any verbal, electronic, digital media, mechanical, telegraphic, or written communication.
- I, as the Petitioner, have been the victim of a crime of violence.



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**REQUEST FOR HEARING AND PROTECTION ORDER**

Based upon this Petition and Affidavit in which I truthfully set forth the details of the domestic abuse, I respectfully ask the Court to set a date to hear this matter and after hearing the evidence, to grant me a Protection Order:

- 1) To Restrain the Respondent from acts of abuse and physical harm, making threats of abuse, stalking or harassment.
- 2) To Grant the Protection Order for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ time (*no longer than 5 years*).
- 3) To exclude the Respondent from the Petitioner's residence listed in 4C.
- 4) To Order that the Respondent shall not come within a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ from the following persons and places:

A. The Petitioner personally

B. The following minor children named as other protected persons:

Name	Date of birth	Relationship
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

C. The Petitioner's residence (street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_. (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

D. The Petitioner's place employment (street) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E. Other places (street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

5) To award me temporary custody of our minor child(ren), whose names are \_\_\_\_\_

6) To establish temporary visitation for the respondent with the minor child(ren) named above consisting of:

Existing order in File # \_\_\_\_\_  Supervised at \_\_\_\_\_  
Jurisdiction:  South Dakota  South Dakota tribe  Other State \_\_\_\_\_  Other  
 Other Visitation: \_\_\_\_\_

- 7) To Order that the Respondent shall pay temporary *(If you are requesting support, you must provide proof of the monthly income of both parties at the hearing.):*
- child support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court;  
*Child support shall be paid to: Office of Child Support Enforcement  
 Kneip Building  
 700 Governors Drive  
 Pierre, SD 57501*
- spousal support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court.  
*Spousal support shall be paid to the Clerk of Courts Office in the county this order was filed.*
- 8) To Order the Respondent receive parenting classes approved or provided by the Department of Social Services, SDCL 25-10-5.
- 9) To Order the Respondent to obtain counseling as follows: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) That the Respondent be restrained from contact with the Petitioner or other protected persons, by any direct or indirect means except as authorized by a court order.
- 11) To Order other relief which I believe is necessary for my protection or for the protection of a household member as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

*(If you are requesting an immediate temporary protection order without notice to the person you want restrained and without an opportunity for the person to appear, you must state why you believe you will suffer immediate and irreparable injury or damage if you have to wait until the hearing.)*

**REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE PROTECTION ORDER  
WITHOUT NOTICE TO THE OTHER PARTY**

- I am not requesting an immediate Temporary Protection Order.
- In addition to what I have requested in sections 1-10 above, I further request that the Court grant me an immediate Temporary Protection Order restraining the Respondent from committing acts of domestic abuse based upon the following sworn statements and beliefs:

The reasons I need this order immediately and cannot wait until the scheduled hearing are: \_\_\_\_\_

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- I believe that I will suffer immediate and irreparable injury, loss or damage if I am not granted an immediate Temporary Protection Order without notifying the Respondent and his/her attorney or giving the other party an opportunity to be heard.

The immediate and irreparable injury, loss or damage that I believe I will suffer is: \_\_\_\_\_  
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On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, I swear or affirm under oath that the information I have provided in this Petition and Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I believe I am entitled to the protection I have requested. I am asking for this protection for valid reasons and am not attempting to harass the person I am seeking protection against and am not attempting to abuse or delay the court process or any other legal action.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

Signed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Deputy Clerk of Courts  
Commission Expires:

(SEAL)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT

\_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

<p>_____, Petitioner,</p> <p>-vs-</p> <p>_____, Respondent</p>	<p>TPO NO. _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NOTICE OF HEARING AND SUMMONS TO APPEAR (DOMESTIC ABUSE)</b></p>
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**TO THE PARTIES:**

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that a Petition and Affidavit has been filed with this Court seeking a Protection Order against you according to the provisions of the South Dakota Protection from Domestic Abuse Act, SDCL ch. 25-10. A copy of the Petition and Affidavit together with a copy of an Ex Parte Temporary Order of Protection, if one has been issued, are attached to this summons and are served upon you.

Temporary Order of Protection denied. Hearing only.

There will be a hearing on the Petitioner’s Petition on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o’clock \_\_\_\_\_ (am/pm), in the \_\_\_\_\_ County Courthouse (Courtroom # \_\_\_\_\_) in \_\_\_\_\_, South Dakota.

**IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT THE HEARING AND ANSWER THE PETITION, AN ORDER OF PROTECTION MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AS REQUESTED.**

DATED \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

**Service of this notice is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Notice of Hearing.**

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**Petitioner**

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**Respondent**

**UNDER A PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDER: You may be subject to the following federal laws: (1) Effective immediately, you may not possess, carry, ship or transport any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce while this Protection Order is in effect. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(8). (2) If you violate this Protection Order and are convicted of an offense of domestic violence, you may be forbidden for life from possessing, carrying, shipping or transporting, any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(9). Violation of these federal laws carries a maximum penalty of ten years in prison, a \$250,000 fine, or both.**

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
)  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

DOMESTIC     STALKING  
 EX PARTE TEMPORARY     PERMANENT  
 MODIFICATION

## ORDER FOR PROTECTION

TPO NO. \_\_\_\_\_

### PETITIONER

\_\_\_\_\_

First                      Middle                      Last

By (name and DOB): \_\_\_\_\_

On behalf of a minor child by parent/guardian.

V.

### RESPONDENT

\_\_\_\_\_

First                      Middle                      Last

Relationship to Petitioner:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**CAUTION:**  Weapon Involved

### PETITIONER IDENTIFIERS:

\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth of Petitioner \_\_\_\_\_

Other Protected Persons (name and DOB): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(See also 1B Additional Orders.)

### RESPONDENT IDENTIFIERS:

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
EYES	HAIR	DATE OF BIRTH	
DRIVERS LICENSE #	STATE	EXPDATE	

Distinguishing Features:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### THE COURT FINDS:

That it has jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter, and the Respondent has been provided with reasonable notice and opportunity to be heard, and that in the case of an ex parte order, the Respondent will be provided with reasonable notice and opportunity to be heard sufficient to protect the Respondent's due process rights.

### THE COURT ORDERS:

**That the Respondent is restrained from acts of abuse and physical harm, making threats of abuse, stalking or harassment.**

**That the Respondent is restrained from contact with the Petitioner by any direct or indirect means except as authorized in this order.**

Additional findings and orders are on the following pages.

This order shall be effective \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Day                      Year                      Month/Day                      Year

Or if a permanent order is issued, until that order is served.

**Only this Court can change this order.**

**VIOLATION OF THIS PROTECTION ORDER IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.**

**WARNING TO RESPONDENT:** This order shall be enforced, even without registration, by courts of any state, the District of Columbia, any U.S. Territory, and may be enforced by Tribal Lands (18 U.S.C. §2265). Crossing state, territorial, or tribal boundaries to violate this order may result in federal imprisonment (18 U.S.C. §2262).

Having considered the Petition and Affidavit presented by the Petitioner, this **Court FINDS:**

- A. That jurisdiction and venue are properly before this Court;
- B. That the above-named Petitioner and Respondent are “family or household members” within the meaning of SDCL 25-10-1(2);
- C. That the Petitioner has alleged that the Respondent has committed one or more acts of domestic abuse as defined by law; and
- D. That the Petitioner alleges that he/she will suffer immediate and irreparable injury, loss, or damage before the Respondent or the Respondent’s attorney can be heard in opposition.

**ADDITIONAL ORDERS:**

- 1) That the Respondent is excluded from the Petitioner’s residence listed in 2C.
- 2) That the Respondent shall not come within a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ from the following persons and places:

A. The Petitioner personally

B. The following minor children named as other protected persons:

Name	Date of birth	Relationship
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

C. The Petitioner’s residence(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

D. The Petitioner’s place of employment (street) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E. Other places (street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

This distance restriction applies unless otherwise specified in this order.

- 3) The Petitioner shall have temporary custody of the minor child(ren), whose names are: \_\_\_\_\_

- 4) Temporary visitation for the respondent with the minor child(ren) named above shall consist of:

Existing order in File # \_\_\_\_\_  Supervised at or by \_\_\_\_\_  
Jurisdiction:  South Dakota  South Dakota tribe  Other State \_\_\_\_\_  Other  
 Other Visitation: \_\_\_\_\_

- 5) The Respondent shall pay temporary:

child support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court;

*Child support shall be paid to: Office of Child Support Enforcement  
Kneip Building  
700 Governors Drive  
Pierre, SD 57501*

spousal support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court.

*Spousal support shall be paid to the Clerk of Courts Office in the county this order was filed.*

- 6) Phone calls, emails, third party contact, including correspondence, direct or indirect, are not permitted, to a protected person, except as follows: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) Respondent is ordered to immediately turn over all weapons and ammunition to local sheriff.
- 8) Other relief as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERD THAT:** the Petitioner shall, immediately upon the granting of this modified Order, deliver two copies of this Order and two copies of the Motion to Modify to the sheriff of this county. One copy of each shall be personally served by the sheriff upon the Respondent.

DATED \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_.

**Service of this order is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER AND  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Temporary Order of Protection.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Petitioner**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Respondent**

**UNDER A PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDER:** You may be subject to the following federal laws: (1) Effective immediately, you may not possess, carry, ship or transport any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce while this Protection Order is in effect. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(8). (2) If you violate this Protection Order and are convicted of an offense of domestic violence, you may be forbidden for life from possessing, carrying, shipping or transporting, any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(9). Violation of these federal laws carries a maximum penalty of ten years in prison, a \$250,000 fine, or both.





Having considered the Motion to Modify presented to the Court, this **Court FINDS:**  
The original ex parte temporary order of protection will be **modified** as follows:

**ADDITIONAL ORDERS:**

- 1) The Respondent is excluded from the Petitioner's residence listed in 2C.  
 2) That the Respondent shall not come within a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ from the following persons and places:

A. The Petitioner personally

B. The following minor children named as other protected persons:

Name	Date of birth	Relationship
_____	_____	_____
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C. The Petitioner's residence(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

D. The Petitioner's place of employment (street) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E. Other places (street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
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This distance restriction applies unless otherwise specified in this order.

- 3) The Petitioner shall have temporary custody of the minor child(ren), whose names are: \_\_\_\_\_

- 4) Temporary visitation for the respondent with the minor child(ren) named above shall consist of:

Existing order in File # \_\_\_\_\_  Supervised at or by \_\_\_\_\_

Jurisdiction:  South Dakota  South Dakota tribe  Other State \_\_\_\_\_  Other

Other Visitation: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Child support shall be paid to: Office of Child Support Enforcement*

*Kneip Building*

*700 Governors Drive*

*Pierre, SD 57501*

spousal support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court.

*Spousal support shall be paid to the Clerk of Courts Office in the county this order was filed.*

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- 7) Respondent is ordered to immediately turn over all weapons and ammunition to local sheriff.

- 8) Other relief as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

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**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:** the Petitioner shall, immediately upon the granting of this modified Order, deliver two copies of this Order and two copies of the Motion to Modify to the sheriff of this county. One copy of each shall be personally served by the sheriff upon the Respondent.

DATED \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_.

**Service of this order is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER AND  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Order of Protection.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Petitioner**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Respondent**

**UNDER A PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDER: You may be subject to the following federal laws: (1) Effective immediately, you may not possess, carry, ship or transport any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce while this Protection Order is in effect. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(8). (2) If you violate this Protection Order and are convicted of an offense of domestic violence, you may be forbidden for life from possessing, carrying, shipping or transporting, any firearm or ammunition that has been transported in interstate or foreign commerce. Title 18 United States Code Section 922(g)(9). Violation of these federal laws carries a maximum penalty of ten years in prison, a \$250,000 fine, or both.**

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
)  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

DOMESTIC     STALKING  
 EX PARTE TEMPORARY     PERMANENT  
 MODIFICATION

# ORDER FOR PROTECTION

TPO NO. \_\_\_\_\_

### PETITIONER

\_\_\_\_\_

First                      Middle                      Last

By (name and DOB): \_\_\_\_\_

On behalf of a minor child by parent/guardian.

V.

### RESPONDENT

\_\_\_\_\_

First                      Middle                      Last

Relationship to Petitioner:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**CAUTION:**  Weapon Involved

### PETITIONER IDENTIFIERS:

\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth of Petitioner

Other Protected Persons (name and DOB): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(See also 2B Additional Orders.)

### RESPONDENT IDENTIFIERS:

SEX	RACE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
EYES	HAIR	DATE OF BIRTH	
DRIVERS LICENSE #	STATE	EXPDATE	

Distinguishing Features:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### THE COURT FINDS:

That it has jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter, and the Respondent has been provided with reasonable notice and opportunity to be heard, and that in the case of an ex parte order, the Respondent will be provided with reasonable notice and opportunity to be heard sufficient to protect the Respondent's due process rights.

### THE COURT ORDERS:

**That the Respondent is restrained from acts of abuse and physical harm, making threats of abuse, stalking or harassment.**

**That the Respondent is restrained from contact with the Petitioner by any direct or indirect means except as authorized in this order.**

Additional findings and orders are on the following pages.

This order shall be effective \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Day                      Year                      Month/Day                      Year

or if a permanent protection order is issued, until that order is served.

**Only this Court can change this order.**

**VIOLATION OF THIS PROTECTION ORDER IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.**

**WARNING TO RESPONDENT:** This order shall be enforced, even without registration, by courts of any state, the District of Columbia, any U.S. Territory, and may be enforced by Tribal Lands (18 U.S.C. §2265). Crossing state, territorial, or tribal boundaries to violate this order may result in federal imprisonment (18 U.S.C. §2262).

**ADDITIONAL FINDINGS:**

This matter came before this Court on this day and the following parties appeared personally:

- Petitioner  Petitioner's Attorney \_\_\_\_\_  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Respondent  Respondent's Attorney \_\_\_\_\_  Other \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) This **Court FINDS** that, without admitting to the allegations in the Petition, the Respondent waives further hearing, findings of fact, and conclusions of law, and stipulates to the entry of an Order of Protection on the terms specified below.
- 2) Having considered the evidence presented and any affidavits and pleadings on file, this **Court FINDS:**
  - A. That jurisdiction and venue are properly before this Court;
  - B. That the above-named Petitioner and Respondent are "family or household members" within the meaning of SDCL 25-10-1(2);
  - C. By a preponderance of the evidence that "domestic abuse" as defined by SDCL 25-10-1(1) has occurred; and
  - D. That the Respondent had actual notice of the hearing and an opportunity to participate.

**ADDITIONAL ORDERS:**

- 1) The Respondent is excluded from the Petitioner's residence listed in 2C.
- 2) That the Respondent shall not come within a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ from the following persons and places:

- A. The Petitioner personally
- B. The following minor children named as other protected persons:

Name	Date of birth	Relationship
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

- C. The Petitioner's residence(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- D. The Petitioner's place of employment (street) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Other places (street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(street/apt) \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

This distance restriction applies unless otherwise specified in this order.

- 3) The Petitioner shall have temporary custody of the minor child(ren), whose names are: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Temporary visitation for the respondent with the minor child(ren) named above shall consist of:
  - Existing order in File # \_\_\_\_\_  Supervised at \_\_\_\_\_
  - Jurisdiction:  South Dakota  South Dakota tribe  Other State \_\_\_\_\_  Other
  - Other Visitation: \_\_\_\_\_

5) The Respondent shall pay temporary:  
 child support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court;  
*Child support shall be paid to: Office of Child Support Enforcement  
Kneip Building  
700 Governors Drive  
Pierre, SD 57501*

spousal support in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ a month starting on \_\_\_\_\_ and continuing until further order of the Court.  
*Spousal support shall be paid to the Clerk of Courts Office in the county this order was filed.*

6) Phone calls, emails, third party contact, including correspondence direct or indirect, are not permitted, to a protected person, except as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_

7) Respondent is ordered to immediately turn over all weapons and ammunition to local sheriff.

8) Other relief as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:** the Petitioner shall, immediately upon the granting of this Order, deliver two copies of this Order to the sheriff of this county. One copy shall be personally served by the sheriff upon the Respondent, unless personal service has been acknowledged below.

DATED \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

**Service of this order is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER AND  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Order of Protection.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Petitioner**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Respondent**

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Notice of Hearing.**

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**Petitioner**

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**Respondent**

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**ADDITIONAL FINDINGS:**

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  - E. That the Motion to Modify is granted and modified terms incorporated herein.

**ADDITIONAL ORDERS:**

- 1) The Respondent is excluded from the Petitioner's residence listed in 2C.
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Pierre, SD 57501*
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- 6) Phone calls, emails, third party contact, including correspondence, direct or indirect, are not permitted, to a protected person, except as follows: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:** the Petitioner shall, immediately upon the granting of this Order, deliver two copies of this Order to the sheriff of this county. One copy shall be personally served by the sheriff upon the Respondent, unless personal service has been acknowledged below.

DATED \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

**Service of this order is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER AND  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

**I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Order of Protection.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Petitioner**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Respondent**

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_) JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

<p>_____, Petitioner,</p> <p>-vs-</p> <p>_____, Respondent</p>	<p>TPO NO. _____</p> <p>CONTINUANCE OF TEMPORARY PROTECTION ORDER AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE (DOMESTIC ABUSE)</p>
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The hearing scheduled for the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, has been rescheduled.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** the Respondent shall present him/her self before the above-captioned Court on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ (am/pm), in the \_\_\_\_\_ County Courthouse (Courtroom # \_\_\_\_\_) in \_\_\_\_\_, South Dakota before a judge of the Court to show cause, if any, why the Ex Parte Temporary Protection Order should not be made permanent within the provisions of SDCL 25-10-5.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** the Temporary Protection Order dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, on file herein, is continued through the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

DATED \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_.

**Service of this notice is authorized on any day including Sunday.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

I hereby acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Continuance of Temporary Protection Order

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_) JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

<p>_____, Petitioner,</p> <p>-vs-</p> <p>_____, Respondent</p>	<p>TPO NO. _____</p> <p><b>ORDER DISMISSING PROTECTION ORDER (DOMESTIC ABUSE)</b></p>
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**THIS CASE IS DISMISSED:**

- 1. Based upon the request of the Petitioner.
- 2. Based on the failure of the Petitioner to appear at the hearing that was set when the Petitioner applied for the Order of Protection.
- 3a. This Court FINDS the Petitioner failed to provide sufficient evidence to support, by a preponderance of the evidence, a finding that “domestic abuse” between “family or household members” has occurred as required by SDCL 25-10.
- 3b. This Court FINDS the Petitioner failed to provide sufficient evidence to support, by a preponderance of the evidence, a finding that “stalking” has occurred as required by SDCL 22-19A; and/or that physical injury has occurred as required by SDCL 22-1-2(9).
- 4. Other \_\_\_\_\_

DATED \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
 )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_) JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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\_\_\_\_\_) ) TPO NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Petitioner, ) ) DENIAL OF PETITION  
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-vs- ) ) FOR PROTECTION ORDER  
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\_\_\_\_\_) ) (DOMESTIC ABUSE)  
 ) )  
Respondent. ) )  
\_\_\_\_\_)

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Having examined the Petition for Protection Order it is found that sufficient grounds are not alleged for relief and the Petition is denied without hearing.

Dated \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Circuit Court Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
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COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
\_\_\_\_\_) JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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-vs- )  
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Respondent. )  
\_\_\_\_\_)

TPO NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
  
ORDER GRANTING REQUEST  
TO WITHDRAW PETITION FOR  
PROTECTION ORDER  
(DOMESTIC ABUSE)

The petitioners request to withdraw the Petition For Protection Order (Domestic Abuse) is hereby granted.

Dated \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Magistrate/Circuit Court Judge

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy