

**Form CC 377M**

**PETITION FOR  
PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER  
AGAINST A MINOR  
(NONDOMESTIC)**

**Use this form if you want an order to restrain a person under the age of 18 but at least 10 years of age and you do not have a domestic relationship to this person.**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING "PETITION FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER  
AGAINST A MINOR (NONDOMESTIC)"**

**Please print neatly. Press firmly because you are printing on five copies.**

By filling in this form, you are asking for a personal protection order that tells the respondent not to do certain things you don't want him or her to do. **If you are in immediate danger**, you should ask the judge for an "ex parte" order, which will be issued without waiting for a hearing.

Items A through G must be completed before your petition can be filed with the court. Please read the instructions for each item. Then fill in the correct information for that item on the form.

- A** Write **your** name, address, and telephone number in the "Petitioner" box. If you are under 18 years of age, write in your age. Write the name, address, and telephone number and age of the person you want restrained in the "Respondent" box. **If you want your address and telephone number to be kept from the respondent, do not write your address here. Put in the address of a relative or friend or a post office box where the court can contact you.**
- B** Check whether there is a pending action between you and the respondent. If there is, fill in the case number, the name of the court, the county, and the state or province where the action was filed, and the name of the judge.

Check whether there are any court orders or judgments between you and the respondent. If there are, fill in the case number, the name of the court, the county, and the state or province where the order or judgment was entered, and the name of the judge that signed the order.

- C** **Explain in** as much **detail** as possible why you are asking for a personal protection order. Describe what has happened or what has been threatened so the judge has enough facts to decide if a personal protection order should be signed. If you want to prohibit stalking, you must detail two or more separate instances of harassment (unconsented contact) that caused you to feel terrorized, frightened, intimidated, threatened, harassed, or molested. Include dates and places. Write on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this form. If you only want to prohibit the posting of a message through the use of any medium of communication, including the Internet or a computer or any electronic medium, you must detail what caused you to feel terrorized, frightened, intimidated, threatened, harassed, or molested.
- D** **Check only those boxes** you need because you must be able to convince the judge you need all the protection you are requesting. Check box a only if you provided details in item 3 that support an order against stalking.
- E** An "ex parte order" means you do not have to let the party know in advance that you are asking the court for an order and you do not have to wait for a court hearing to get the order. Check the box for an "ex parte order" if you believe the other party might hurt you or threaten you if he or she found out you were getting an ex parte personal protection order.
- If you do not check the box for an ex parte order, you must have a court hearing. Fill out form CC 381.
- F** If you are under 18 years old, you may need an adult (called a "next friend") to petition for you. Check this box if you have a next friend helping you file this form, and have the next friend sign the petition.
- G** Write in today's date and sign the form. Hand the form to the county clerk. The clerk will fill in the rest of the information and will give you your copies.

**NOTE:** You will need to make extra copies of this form for each parent, guardian, or custodian of the respondent.

**For more information about personal protection orders, [visit www.michiganlegalhelp.org](http://www.michiganlegalhelp.org).**

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| <b>STATE OF MICHIGAN</b><br>29th <b>JUDICIAL CIRCUIT</b><br>Gratiot <b>COUNTY</b> | <b>PETITION FOR PERSONAL<br/>         PROTECTION ORDER AGAINST<br/>         A MINOR (NONDOMESTIC)</b> | <b>CASE NO. and JUDGE</b> |
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**Court address** 214 E. Center., Ithaca, MI 48847 **Court telephone no.**  
(989)875-5215

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| <b>(A)</b> Petitioner's name <span style="float: right;">Age</span><br><hr/> Address and telephone no. where court can reach petitioner | v | Respondent's name, address, and telephone no. <span style="float: right;">Age</span> |
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1. The petitioner and respondent have never been husband and wife, resided in the same household together, had a child in common, or had a dating relationship with one another. The respondent is not the unemancipated minor child of the petitioner. The petitioner is not the unemancipated minor child of the respondent. The respondent is between 10 and 17 years of age.

**(B)** 2. a. There  are  are not other pending actions in this or any other court regarding the parties.

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b. There  are  are not orders/judgments entered by this or any other court regarding the parties.

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**(C)** 3. I need a personal protection order because: Explain what has happened (attach additional sheets).

**(D)** 4. I make this petition under the authority of MCL 600.2950a(1) and ask the court to grant a personal protection order prohibiting the respondent from

- a. stalking me as defined by MCL 750.411h and MCL 750.411i, which includes but is not limited to
  - following me or appearing within my sight.
  - appearing at my workplace or residence.
  - approaching or confronting me in a public place or on private property.
  - entering onto or remaining on property owned, leased, or occupied by me.
  - sending mail or other communications to me.
  - contacting me by telephone.
  - placing an object on or delivering an object to property owned, leased, or occupied by me.
- b. threatening to kill or physically injure me.
- c. purchasing or possessing a firearm.
- d. posting a message through the use of any medium of communication, including the Internet or a computer or any electronic medium, pursuant to MCL 750.411s.
- e. other: \_\_\_\_\_

5. I request an ex parte order because immediate and irreparable injury, loss, or damage will occur between now and a hearing or because notice itself will cause irreparable injury, loss, or damage before the order can be entered.

6. I have a next friend petitioning for me. I certify that the next friend is not disqualified by statute and is an adult.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner's/Next friend's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (type or print)

**Form CC 380M**

**PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER  
AGAINST A MINOR  
(NONDOMESTIC)**

**Use this form** if you filled out form CC 377M, Petition for Personal Protection Order Against a Minor.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING "PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER  
AGAINST A MINOR (NONDOMESTIC)"**

**Please print neatly.**

Items A through C must be completed before you give this form to the court clerk. Please read the instructions for each item. Then fill in the correct information for that item on the form.

- (A)** Fill in the "petitioner" and "respondent" the same way you did on form CC 377M. **If you want your address and telephone number to be kept from the respondent, do not write your address here. Put in the address of a relative or friend or a post office box where the court can contact you.**
  
- (B)** Write in the respondent's name and as much of the other information as you know. This information will help the police identify the respondent if he or she disobeys the restraining order. Be sure to identify the respondent accurately. **The race, sex, and date of birth are required for law enforcement to enter and order on the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN).**
  
- (C)** Write in the name(s) and address(es) of the respondent's parent(s), guardian(s), or custodian(s).

The court will complete the rest of this form.

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**IT IS ORDERED:**

7. \_\_\_\_\_ is prohibited from  
Name \_\_\_\_\_
- a. stalking as defined under MCL 750.411h and MCL 750.411i, which includes but is not limited to
    - following or appearing within sight of the petitioner.
    - appearing at the workplace or the residence of the petitioner.
    - approaching or confronting the petitioner in a public place or on private property.
    - entering onto or remaining on property owned, leased, or occupied by the petitioner.
    - sending mail or other communications to the petitioner.
    - contacting the petitioner by telephone.
    - placing an object on or delivering an object to property owned, leased, or occupied by the petitioner.
  - b. threatening to kill or physically injure \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. purchasing or possessing a firearm.
  - d. posting a message through the use of any medium of communication, including the Internet or a computer or any electronic medium, pursuant to MCL 750.411s.
  - e. other: \_\_\_\_\_

8. a. If the respondent is 17 years of age or more, violation of this order subjects the respondent to immediate arrest and to the civil and criminal contempt powers of the court. If found guilty of a violation, the respondent shall be imprisoned for not more than 93 days and may be fined not more than \$500.00.
- b. If the respondent is less than 17 years of age, violation of this order subjects the respondent to immediate apprehension or being taken into custody. If found guilty of a violation, the respondent shall be subject to the dispositional alternatives listed in MCL 712A.18.

9. **This order is effective when signed, enforceable immediately, and remains in effect until \_\_\_\_\_.**  
This order is enforceable anywhere in this state by any law enforcement agency when signed by a judge, and upon service, may also be enforced by another state, an Indian tribe, or a territory of the United States. If respondent violates this order in a jurisdiction other than this state, respondent is subject to enforcement and penalties of the state, Indian tribe, or United States territory under whose jurisdiction the violation occurred.

10. The court clerk shall file this order with \_\_\_\_\_,  
who will enter it into the LEIN. Name of law enforcement agency \_\_\_\_\_

11. The respondent may file a motion to modify or terminate this order. If this is an ex parte order, the motion to modify or terminate this order and request for a hearing must be made within 14 days after the respondent has been served or has received actual notice of this order. Forms and instructions are available from the clerk of the court.

12. A motion to extend the order must be filed 3 days before the expiration date in item 9, or a new petition must be filed.

13. Other:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge signature and date

Gratiot County Courthouse, 214 E. Center Street, Ithaca, Michigan 48847 (989) 875-5215

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| Petitioner's name: | V | Respondent's name: |
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1. Petitioner's request for an ex parte personal protection order is denied for the following reasons:
- a. The petition fails to clearly establish by specific facts and there is not reasonable cause to believe that the petitioner is entitled to a personal protection order, per MCL 600.2950.
  - b. The petition fails to clearly establish that the petitioner is being stalked as defined in MCL 600.2950a, MCL 750.441h and MCL 750.411i.
  - c. The petition fails to clearly establish by specific facts two or more acts that constitute stalking behavior.
  - d. The petition fails to clearly establish reasonable cause to believe that a serious or irreparable injury will occur if this petition is not granted immediately and without notice to the respondent.
  - e. Another PPO exists and a hearing with both parties present is necessary.
  - f. This problem appears to relate to custody and/or parenting time issue and both parties need to be present to determine if a PPO should issue and/or if the custody and/or parenting time order should be modified.
  - g. The petitioner is a prisoner as defined under MCL 600.2950a(32)(e).
  - h. A spousal injunction or mutual restraining order is already in place or should be filed in the divorce action.
  - i. A PPO is not a substitute for an order for exclusive use of the marital home.
  - j. A PPO is not a substitute for an eviction proceeding.
  - k. Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. You have the right to request a hearing as provided by MCR 3.705. You may notice your petition if denied for hearing before the Judge. If you do not request a hearing within 21 days of entry of the order denying your request for an ex parte PPO, then the court's denial of the PPO will become final, MCR 3.705(A)(5).
3. You must complete the Notice of Hearing form. The Notice of Hearing and Petition must be served upon the Respondent at least 24 hours in advance of the hearing. A proof of service must be immediately filed with the court or brought with you to hearing.

ORDER OF DENIAL

In accordance with MCR 3.705(A)(5) the PPO is denied.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Circuit Court Judge (Family Division)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

- I certify that on this date I personally served a copy of this order on the petitioner at 214 E. Center Street, Ithaca, Michigan at \_\_\_\_\_ .m:
- I certify that on this date I mailed a copy of this order to petitioner at his/her last known address.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Court clerk

# Gratiot County Circuit Court Family Division

## PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDER QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Do you have a pending domestic relations file, or matter to be filed within 30 days involving the opposing party? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
2. Does the other person have any ownership interest in your residence? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Have you or are you living together with the Respondent? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Have you filed for a Personal Protection Order (PPO) before? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
4. If yes, what was the date of the petition? \_\_\_\_\_  
Did you obtain the PPO? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Does this petition accurately state the home address and telephone number of the other person? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Is the other person at least eighteen (18) years of age? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Does the petition specifically state what the other person has done to you, along with specific dates of the trouble caused? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Do you work at the same business or location as the other person? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
9. Does the other party have a PPO against you? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
10. Are you, the petitioner, at least eighteen (18) years of age? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you and the respondent have any children together? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Have police reports been filed? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Does the respondent own guns? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Why do you believe that the respondent will cause you more problems? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby swear or affirm that the aforementioned answers are the truth to the best of my ability and belief.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

**TO PROCESS SERVER:** You must serve the petition for personal protection order against a minor and file proof of service with the court clerk. If you are unable to complete service, you must return this original and all copies to the court clerk.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE / NONSERVICE**

- I served  personally  by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, and delivery restricted to the respondent's parent/guardian/custodian (copy of return receipt attached) a copy of the petition for personal protection order against a minor, together with the attachments listed below, on:
- I have attempted to serve a copy of the petition for personal protection order against a minor, together with the attachments listed below, and have been unable to complete service on:

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| Respondent's parent/guardian/custodian name | Date and time of service |
| Place or address of service                 |                          |
| Attachments (if any)                        |                          |

- I am a sheriff, deputy sheriff, bailiff, appointed court officer or attorney for a party.
- I am a legally competent adult who is not a party or an officer of a corporate party. I declare under the penalties of perjury that this certificate of service has been examined by me and that its contents are true to the best of my information, knowledge, and belief.

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| Service fee<br>\$           | Miles traveled | Fee<br>\$ |                        |
| Incorrect address fee<br>\$ | Miles traveled | Fee<br>\$ | <b>TOTAL FEE</b><br>\$ |

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (type or print)

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SERVICE**

I acknowledge that I have received service of a copy of the petition for personal protection order against a minor, together with \_\_\_\_\_  
Attachments (if any)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date and time

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent's parent/guardian/custodian signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (type or print)