



STANISLAUS COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
CIVIL DIVISION
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CIVIL HARASSMENT RENEWAL

All documents must be typed or printed legibly per Rules of Court 2.104. One (1) original plus two (2) copies of the Request and Order are required for filing.

Renewal may be filed within (3) months prior to the expiration of the order.

In this packet you will find the following forms:

1. Request to Renew Restraining Order (CH-700)
 - A copy of your order *Civil Harassment Order After Hearing* (CH-130) must be attached to this request.
2. Notice of Hearing to Renew Restraining Order (CH-710)
3. What is "Proof of Personal Service?" (CH-200-INFO)
4. Proof of Personal Service (CH-200)
5. Response to Request to Renew Restraining Order (CH-720)
6. Proof of Service of Response by Mail (CH-250)

The following forms need to be served on the other party **BLANK**.

- Response to Request to Renew Restraining Order (CH-720)
- Proof of Service of Response by Mail (CH-250)

This is the paperwork the restrained person(s) needs to fill out and file with the Court to answer your request for renewal orders.

Clerk stamps date here when form is filed.

1 Protected Person

a. Your Full Name: _____

Your Lawyer (if you have one for this case):

Name: _____ State Bar No.: _____

Firm Name: _____

b. Your Address (If you have a lawyer, give your lawyer's information. If you do not have a lawyer and want to keep your home address private, you may give a different mailing address instead. You do not have to give telephone, fax, or e-mail.)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of

Court fills in case number when form is filed.

Case Number:

2 Restrained Person

Full Name: _____

Address (if known): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

3 Request to Renew Restraining Order

I ask the court to renew the *Civil Harassment Restraining Order After Hearing* (form CH-130). A copy of the order is attached.

a. The order ends on (date): _____

b. This is my first request to renew the order.

The order has been renewed _____ times.

c. I want the order to be renewed for five years other (specify): _____

d. I ask the court to renew the order because (explain below):

Check here if there is not enough space for your answer. Attach a sheet of paper and write "Attachment 3d—Reasons to Renew Order" for a title. You may use form MC-025, Attachment.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information above is true and correct.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

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Sign your name

This is not a Court Order.

CH-710

Notice of Hearing to Renew Restraining Order

Clerk stamps date here when form is filed.

1 Protected Person

a. Your Full Name: _____

Your Lawyer (if you have one for this case):

Name: _____ State Bar No.: _____

Firm Name: _____

b. Your Address (If you have a lawyer, give your lawyer's information. If you do not have a lawyer and want to keep your home address private, you may give a different mailing address instead. You do not have to give telephone, fax, or e-mail.):

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of _____

Court fills in case number when form is filed.

Case Number: _____

2 Restrained Person

Full Name: _____

Address (if known): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

To the Restrained Person

3 Court Hearing

The judge has set a court hearing date. Court will fill in box below.

The current restraining order stays in effect until the end of the hearing.

Name and address of court if different from above:

Hearing Date

Date: _____ Time: _____

Dept.: _____ Room: _____

At the hearing, the judge can renew the current restraining order for up to another five years. You must continue to obey the current restraining order until the hearing. At the hearing, you can tell the judge if you do not want the order against you renewed. If the restraining order is renewed, you must obey the order even if you do not attend the hearing.

If you wish to make a written response to the request to renew the restraining order, you may fill out form CH-720, Response to Request to Renew Restraining Order. File the original with the court before the hearing and have someone age 18 or older—not you—mail a copy of it to the protected person at the address in 1 at least _____ days before the hearing. Also file form CH-250, Proof of Service of Response by Mail, with the court before the hearing.

This is a Court Order.



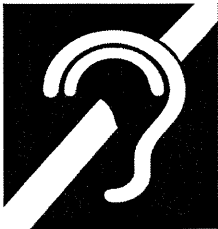
To the Protected Person:**4 Service and Response**

Someone age 18 or older—**not you or anyone else protected by the restraining order**—must personally serve (give) a copy of the following forms on the restrained person at least _____ days before the hearing.

- CH-700, *Request to Renew Restraining Order*;
- CH-710, *Notice of Hearing to Renew Restraining Order* (this form);
- CH-720, *Response to Request to Renew Restraining Order* (blank copy);
- CH-130, the current *Civil Harassment Restraining Order After Hearing* for which renewal is requested.

After the restrained person has been served, file form CH-200, *Proof of Personal Service*, with the court clerk. For help with service, read form CH-200-INFO, *What Is “Proof of Personal Service”?*

Date: _____

Judicial Officer**Request for Accommodations**

Assistive listening systems, computer-assisted real-time captioning, or sign language interpreter services are available if you ask at least five days before the hearing. Contact the clerk’s office or go to www.courts.ca.gov/forms for *Request for Accommodations by Persons with Disabilities and Response* (form MC-410). (Civ. Code, § 54.8.)

This is a Court Order.

What is “Service”?

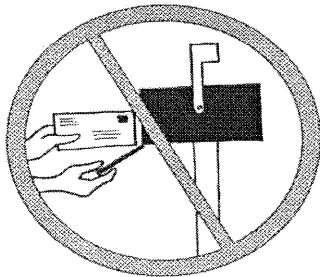
Service is the act of giving your legal papers to the other party. There are many kinds of service—in person, by mail, and others. This form is about personal or “in-person” service. The *Request for Civil Harassment Restraining Orders* (Form CH-100), the *Notice of Court Hearing* (Form CH-109), and the *Temporary Restraining Order* (Form CH-110) must be served “in person.” That means that someone must personally “serve” (give) a copy of the forms to the person to be restrained. These forms cannot be served by mail.

Service lets the other person know:

- What orders you are asking for
- The hearing date
- How to respond

Why do I have to get the orders served?

- The police cannot arrest anyone for violating an order unless that person knows about the order.
- The judge cannot make the orders permanent unless the restrained person was served.



Don't serve it by mail!

Who can serve?

Ask someone you know, a process server, or a law enforcement agency to personally serve (give) a copy of the forms to the person to be restrained. You **cannot** send the forms to that person by mail.

The server must:

- Be 18 years of age or older
- Not be you or anyone whom you are asking to be protected by the orders

The sheriff or marshal may be authorized to serve the court's orders **for free** if the orders are based on claims of stalking, unlawful violence, or a credible threat of violence, or if you are entitled to a fee waiver.

A “registered process server” is a business you pay to deliver court forms. Look for “Process Serving” in the Yellow Pages or on the Internet.

(If a law enforcement agency or the process server uses a different proof-of-service form, make sure it lists the forms served.)

How to serve

Ask the server to:

- Walk up to the person to be served.
- Make sure it is the right person. Ask the person's name.
- Give the person copies of all papers checked on Form CH-200, *Proof of Personal Service*.
- Fill out and sign the *Proof of Personal Service* form.
- Give the signed *Proof of Personal Service* to you.

What if the person won't take the papers or tears them up?

- If the person won't take the papers, just leave them near him or her.
- It doesn't matter if the person tears them up. Service is still complete.

When do the orders have to be served?

It depends. To know the exact date, you have to look at two things on Form CH-109, *Notice of Court Hearing*:

First, look at the hearing date on page 1 of Form CH-109.

③ Notice of Hearing

Hearing Date → Date: _____
Dept.: _____

Next, look at the number of days in item ⑤ on page 2 of Form CH-109.

⑤ Service of Documents By the Person in ①

At least five _____ days before the hearing,

Look at a calendar. Subtract the number of days in ⑤ from the hearing date. That is the final date to have the orders served. It is always OK to serve earlier than that date.

If nothing is checked or written in ⑤, you must serve the orders at least five days before the hearing.

Who signs the *Proof of Personal Service*?

Only the person who serves the forms can sign Form CH-200, *Proof of Personal Service*. You do not sign it; the restrained person does not need to sign it.

What do I do with the completed *Proof of Personal Service*?

If someone other than the sheriff serves the papers, you should:

- Make several copies.
- File the original with the court before your hearing.
- Ask the clerk to enter it into the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS), a special computer system that lets police all over the state find out about the orders protecting you.
- If the clerk tells you that the court cannot enter it into the computer, take a copy of the *Temporary Restraining Order* (Form CH-110) and *Proof of Personal Service* (Form CH-200) to your local police. They will put the information into the state computer system. That way, police all over the state will know that your restraining order has been served.
- Bring a copy of the completed *Proof of Personal Service* to your hearing.
- Always keep an extra copy of the restraining orders with you for your safety.

If the sheriff serves the papers, he or she will send the proof of service to the court and CLETS for you.

What happens if I can't get the orders served before the hearing date?

Before your hearing, fill out and file Form CH-115, *Request to Continue Court Hearing and to Reissue Temporary Restraining Order*. This form asks the court for a new hearing date and makes your orders last until then. Ask the clerk for the form. After the court has reissued the orders, attach a copy of Form CH-116, *Notice of New Hearing Date and Order on Reissuance*, to a copy of your original orders. Ask the clerk to enter Form CH-116 into CLETS, or the clerk may ask you or your attorney to deliver a copy to the police. That way, the police will know your orders are still in effect.

CH-200

Proof of Personal Service

1 Person Seeking Protection

Name: _____

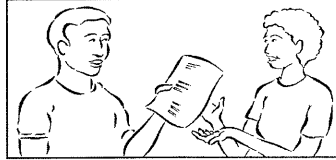
2 Person From Whom Protection Is Sought

Name: _____

3 Notice to Server

The server must:

- Be 18 years of age or older.
- Not be listed in items ① or ③ of Form CH-100.
- Give a copy of all documents checked in ④ to the person in ②. (You cannot send them by mail.) Then complete and sign this form and give or mail it to the person in ①.



Clerk stamps date here when form is filed.

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of _____

Court fills in case number when form is filed.

Case Number: _____

PROOF OF PERSONAL SERVICE

4 I gave the person in ② a copy of the forms checked below:

- a. CH-109, *Notice of Court Hearing*
- b. CH-110, *Temporary Restraining Order*
- c. CH-100, *Request for Civil Harassment Restraining Orders*
- d. CH-120, *Response to Request for Civil Harassment Restraining Orders* (blank form)
- e. CH-120-INFO, *How Can I Respond to a Request for Civil Harassment Restraining Orders?*
- f. CH-130, *Civil Harassment Restraining Order After Hearing*
- g. CH-800, *Proof of Firearms Turned In, Sold, or Stored* (blank form)
- h. Other (*specify*): _____

5 I personally gave copies of the documents checked above to the person in ②:

- a. On (*date*): _____ b. At (*time*): _____ a.m. p.m.
- c. At this address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

6 Server's Information

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Telephone: _____

(If you are a registered process server):

County of registration: _____ Registration number: _____

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information above is true and correct.

Date: _____

Type or print server's name

Server to sign here