

Proposed Amendment to Gen Rule 28 (proposed language appears in red font)

GEN RULE 28 - CIVIL STALKING PROTECTION ORDERS

Forms and instruction packets for use in civil stalking protection order proceedings brought under [R.C. 2903.214](#) shall be obtained from the Clerk of Court or their [website](#).

An action for a Civil Stalking Protection Order pursuant to [R.C. 2903.214](#) shall be commenced by the filing of a fully completed petition, typed or legibly printed. [A petition for a Civil Stalking Protection Order](#) is not fully complete unless it includes a [Form 10-A](#). Protection Order Notice to NCIC (National Crime Information Center) with all identifying information included therein.

Petitioner may move the Court on [Form 10-B](#) to seal the Domestic Violence Petitioner's Confidential Information Sheet and [Form 10-A](#) upon completion of processing by the Clerk of Courts.

Pursuant to Ohio Civil Rule 4.4(A)(2), when the Clerk of Courts causes notice to be made by posting, said notice shall be posted in a conspicuous place Stark County Courthouse, 115 Central Plaza, North, Canton, Ohio 44702, the Stark County Office Building, 110 Central Plaza, South, Canton, Ohio 44702, the Stark County Board of Elections, 3525 Regent Avenue Northeast, Canton, OH 44705, and the Canton City Hall, 218 Cleveland Avenue, South, Canton, Ohio 44702.