

Court of Washington, County of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

vs.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent

\_\_\_\_\_  
DOB

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Petition for an Extreme Risk  
Protection Order – Respondent  
Under 18 years  
(PTXR18)**

## **Petition for an Extreme Risk Protection Order Respondent Under 18 years**

### **Information about appointment of a guardian ad litem for respondent:**

- If the Respondent is 16 or 17 years of age, appointment of a guardian ad litem is not required. However, the court may still appoint one in certain circumstances.
- If the Respondent is 15 years of age or younger and is not an emancipated minor, a guardian ad litem must be appointed to represent him or her in this action under RCW 4.08.050.
- The court will not order the Petitioner to pay guardian ad litem fees.

### **1. Who is filing this petition?**

I am filing on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ law enforcement agency.

I have already notified the respondent's intimate partner, family or household members, and any known 3rd parties who may be at risk of violence; OR

My agency will make a good faith effort to provide notice to them by  
 telephone  email  in-person  other \_\_\_\_\_ within a reasonable period of time.

I am an intimate partner or family or household member of the respondent. My relationship with the respondent is (*check all that apply*):

#### **Intimate Partners**

current or former spouses or domestic partners

parents of a child-in-common (*unless child was conceived through sexual assault*)

current or former dating relationship (age 13 or older) who  
 never lived together  live or have lived together

**Family or household members**

- parent and child  stepparent and stepchild
- grandparent and grandchild  parent’s intimate partner and child
- current or former cohabitants as roommates
- person who is or has been a legal guardian
- related by blood or marriage (*specify how*) \_\_\_\_\_

**2. How old is the Respondent?**

16 or 17 years of age  15 or under  under 18, but I do not know the exact age.

**3. What is your connection to this county?**

- I reside in this county.
- I am filing on behalf of a law enforcement agency that is located in this county.
- The Respondent resides in this county.

**4. Based on your knowledge, what firearms does the respondent currently own, possess, has custody of, has access to or controls? Please describe.**

Type of firearm	How many firearms?	Where is the firearm kept?	Date/time/place you last saw the firearm
<input type="checkbox"/> Handgun			
<input type="checkbox"/> Shotgun / Rifle			
<input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Automatic Assault Rifle			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other			

**Check all the boxes that apply and describe below:**

- Respondent has access to someone else’s firearm.
- Respondent expressed an intent to obtain a firearm.
- Respondent has unlawfully or recklessly used, displayed, or brandished a firearm.
- Respondent recently acquired a firearm.

Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. **Between the respondent and me:** List any criminal or civil protection, restraining or no-contact orders, pending lawsuits, or other legal action: *If you have more than three matters, list details on additional sheet.*

	Case #1	Case #2	Case #3
Case Name			
Case Number			
Court/County/ State			
Type of Case			
Protected Person			
Was there any order violation?			

6. **Between the respondent and any other person:** List any criminal or civil protection, restraining or no-contact orders: *If you have more than 3 matters, list details on additional sheet.*

	Case #1	Case #2	Case #3
Protected Person			
Case Number			
Court/County/ State			
Was there any order violation?			

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### Request for Extreme Risk Protection Order - Respondent Under 18 Years

7. **[ ] Immediate Protection:** I want a temporary Extreme Risk Protection Order to start immediately, without prior notice to Respondent, that lasts up to 14 days, or until the court hearing:

These are the specific facts known to me that cause me to believe the respondent poses a **significant danger in the near future** of causing personal injury to self or others by having custody or control of, purchasing, possessing, accessing, receiving, or attempting to purchase or receive firearms. More detailed information is provided in the Statement in section 8.

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**8.  After a hearing, where the respondent has a right to be present, I want the court to issue an Extreme Risk Protection Order that lasts for one year.**

After the hearing, I want the court to issue an Extreme Risk Protection Order that lasts for 1 year because the respondent poses a significant danger of causing personal injury to self or others by having custody or control of, purchasing, possessing, accessing, receiving, or attempting to purchase or receive firearms.

My statement below includes the respondent’s specific words, actions, or other facts that cause me to have a reasonable fear of **future** dangerous acts by respondent.

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**Statement**

To enter an Extreme Risk Protection Order, the court must find it more likely than not that the Respondent poses a significant danger of causing personal injury to self or others by having custody or control of, purchasing, possessing, accessing, receiving or attempting to purchase or receive a firearm.

**Complete all of the following sections that apply.** Attach additional pages, as needed.

**9. Convictions or Arrests.** Check all the boxes that apply and describe below:

Respondent has been arrested or convicted of a:

- domestic violence crime.
- felony or violent crime.
- hate crime offense or malicious harassment (threats, physical injury, or property damage based on the victim’s race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, or mental, physical, or sensory disability).

Describe. Include location, court name, and case number, if known.

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**10. Violence and Threats:** Check each box that applies and explain below.

- Respondent has recently committed or threatened violence against self or others, whether or not respondent had a firearm.
- Respondent has shown, within the past 12 months, a pattern of acts or threats of violence, which can include violent acts against self or others.
- Respondent has a history of use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force against another person.
- Respondent has a history of stalking another person.



**14. You must provide an address where you can be served with legal documents.**  
What is your address for receiving legal documents? You have the right to keep your residential address private. You may use a different mailing address. Law Enforcement petitioners, list your department address.

Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Washington

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name and if Law Enforcement      Badge No.