

**IN THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA  
STANDING NO CONTACT ORDER**

As a condition of pretrial release, whether such release is by surety bail bond or recognizance bond or in some other form, **all defendants in criminal cases must refrain from contact of any type with the victim, whether a person or business, or any other named person, business, or property, except through pretrial discovery pursuant to the Florida Rules of Criminal Procedure. This order of no contact is effective immediately and enforceable for the duration of the pretrial release or until it is modified by the court.** "No contact" includes the following prohibited acts while in custody or during pretrial release:

1. Communicating orally or in any written form, either in person, telephonically, electronically, or in any other manner, either directly or indirectly through a third person, with the victim or any other person, business, or property named in the order of the court. If the victim and defendant have children in common, at the request of the defendant, the court may designate an appropriate third person to contact the victim for the sole purpose of facilitating the defendant's contact with the children. This does not prohibit an attorney for the defendant, consistent with rules regulating The Florida Bar, from communicating with any person protected by the no contact order for lawful purposes.
2. Having physical or violent contact with the victim, or other named person on his or her property.
3. Being within 500 feet of the victim's or other named person's residence or place of business, even if the defendant and the victim or other named person share the residence or place of employment.
4. Being within 500 feet of the victim's or other named person's vehicle, place of employment, or a specified place frequented regularly by such person.

The prohibitions contained herein are subject to modification by court order and may be supplemented by court order to include additional prohibitions.

**ORDERED ON** this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.