

# WALLER COUNTY COURT AT LAW STANDING RESTRAINING ORDER

## STANDING ORDER REGARDING CHILDREN, PROPERTY AND CONDUCT OF THE PARTIES

No party to this lawsuit has requested this order. Rather, this order is a standing order of the Waller County Court at Law that applies in every divorce suit and every suit affecting the parent-child relationship filed in Waller County. The County Court at Law has adopted this order because the parties and their children should be protected and their property preserved while the lawsuit is pending before the court.

Therefore, it is **ORDERED**:

1. **NO DISRUPTION OF CHILDREN.** Both parties are **ORDERED** to refrain from doing the following acts concerning any children who are subjects of this case:
  - 1.1. Removing the children from the State of Texas, acting directly or in concert with others, without the written agreement of both parties or an order of this Court.
  - 1.2. Disrupting or withdrawing the children from the school or day-care facility where the children are presently enrolled, without the written agreement of both parents or an order of this Court.
  - 1.3. Hiding or secreting the children from the other parent or changing the children's current place of abode, without the written agreement of both parents or an order of this Court.
2. **CONDUCT OF THE PARTIES DURING THE CASE.** Both parties are **ORDERED** to refrain from doing the following acts:
  - 2.1. Using vulgar, profane, obscene, or indecent language, or a coarse or offensive language, or a coarse or offensive manner, to communicate with the other party, whether in person, by telephone, or in writing.
  - 2.2. Threatening the other party in person, by telephone, or in writing to take unlawful action against any person.
  - 2.3. Placing one or more telephone calls, at an unreasonable hour, in an offensive or repetitious manner without a legitimate purpose of communication, or anonymously.
  - 2.4. Opening or diverting mail addressed to the other party.
3. **PRESERVATION OF PROPERTY AND USE OF FUNDS DURING DIVORCE CASE.** If this is a divorce case, both parties to the marriage are **ORDERED** to refrain from doing the following acts:
  - 3.1. Destroying, removing, concealing, encumbering, transferring, or otherwise harming or reducing the value of the property of one or both of the parties.
  - 3.2. Misrepresenting or refusing to disclose to the other party or to the Court, on proper request, the existence, amount, or location of any property of one or both of the parties.
  - 3.3. Damaging or destroying the tangible property of one or both of the parties, including any document that represents or embodies anything of value.