

**VIRGINIA: IN THE GENERAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH  
IN RE: SEALED DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS**

**ORDER**

It is hereby ordered that in all preliminary protective order and protective order proceedings, all documents filed by or on behalf any person who is seeking protection shall be sealed except for the petition for a protective order and any orders issued by the court. It is further ordered that any documents related to an emergency protective order that are forwarded to the court per Code Section 19.2-152.8(E) shall also be sealed. Any person may petition the court for leave of court to review any documents placed under seal.

All prior orders of this Court pertaining to matters covered by this order are hereby rescinded.

Entered this 1st day of June 2020

  
Daniel R. Lahne, Chief Judge