

THE STATE OF TEXAS
vs.
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT

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§ JUVENILE COURT
§ ATASCOSA COUNTY, TEXAS

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STANDING PROTECTIVE ORDER REGARDING DFPS RECORDS

IT IS ORDERED that the State shall attach a copy of this Standing Protective Order as the first page of any confidential documents released to counsel for the Defendant or Respondent pursuant to this Order, so that all persons reviewing such documents are placed on notice of the restrictions governing their use and disclosure.

IT IS ORDERED that the State may release an redacted copy of the Department of Family and Protective Services Records in the State's possession that are relevant to any case that is filed in the County or County Court at Law or Juvenile Courts of Atascosa County directly to the attorney for the Defendant or Respondent in such adult or juvenile cases.

IT IS ORDERED that the attorney for the Defendant or Respondent in said cases shall maintain confidentiality and prevent disclosure of the information to persons who are not authorized to receive the information.

IT IS ORDERED that any records obtained from the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services and produced in the cause are confidential and shall be used solely for purposes of preparation and trial of the case. Defense counsel, defense staff, investigators, and retained experts may review such records only as reasonably necessary for the defense and shall not disclose them except as authorized by Article 39.14. The defendant may be permitted to view such materials only to the extent allowed by Article 39.14(f), and the defendant shall not be provided copies,

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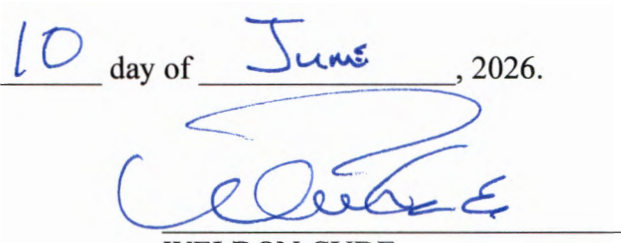
the defendant or any witness, defense counsel shall redact all information required by Article 39.14(f) and shall also redact any information identifying the DFPS reporter or any other information protected from disclosure by Family Code § 261.201. These materials shall not be publicly filed except under seal.

IT IS ORDERED that, at the conclusion of the case, including any direct appeal, defense counsel shall either securely destroy all such medical records and copies thereof, or return them to the Atascosa County Attorney's Office for secure disposal.

IT IS ORDERED that any violation of this STANDING PROTECTIVE ORDER may subject the violator to sanctions authorized by law, including contempt, evidentiary sanctions, referral for appropriate disciplinary proceedings, or any other relief the Court deems proper.

SIGNED, ORDERED, and ENTERED on the 10 day of June, 2026.


BOB BRENDEL
JUDGE
COUNTY COURT AT LAW


WELDON CUDE
JUDGE
COUNTY COURT