CH-720

Response to Request to Renew Restraining Order

Use this form to respond to the *Request to Renew Restraining Order* (Form CH-700)

- Fill out this form and then take it to the court clerk.
- Have someone age 18 or older—**not the restrained person**—serve the protected person by mail with a copy of this form and any attached pages. *(Use form CH-250,* Proof of Service of Response by Mail*.)*

① **Protected Person** *(Form CH-700, item 1)*

Name: _____

② **Restrained Person**

a. Your Name: _____

Your Lawyer *(if you have one for this case):*
Name: _____ State Bar No.: _____

Firm Name: _____

b. Your Address *(If you have a lawyer, give your lawyer's information. If you do not have a lawyer and want to keep your home address private, you may give a different mailing address instead. You do not have to give telephone, fax, or e-mail.):*

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of
_____

Court fills in case number when form is filed.

Case Number:
_____

The court will consider your *Response* at the hearing. Write your hearing date, time, and place from Form CH-710 item **③** here.

Hearing Date ⮌ Date: _____
Time: _____

Dept.: _____ Room: _____

You must continue to obey the current restraining order until the hearing. At the hearing, the court can extend the order against you for up to another five years.

③ **Response**

a. ☐ I agree to extend the order.

b. ☐ I do not agree to extend the order.

c. ☐ I agree to the following order instead *(specify below):*

☐ *Check here if there is not enough space for your answer. Attach a sheet of paper and write "Attachment 3c—Order Requested" for a title. You may use form MC-025,* Attachment.

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d. ☐ I ask the court not to renew the order for the following reasons *(specify below):*

☐ *Check here if there is not enough space for your answer. Put your complete answer on the attached sheet of paper or form MC-025 and write "Attachment 3d—Reasons Not to Renew" for a title.*

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Date: _____

_____   ▶ _____
Lawyer's name, if you have one   *Lawyer's signature*

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information above is true and correct.

Date: _____

_____   ▶ _____
Type or print your name   *Sign your name*

For your protection and privacy, please press the Clear This Form button after you have printed the form.