

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE Seventh JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
IN AND FOR Volusia COUNTY, FLORIDA

IN RE: PETITION FOR RISK PROTECTION ORDER
AGAINST *{Name of Respondent}* ██████████

VSO Case Number
21-16407

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF Volusia

I, *{full legal name}* Tyler King, in my position as *{job title}* Deputy with the *{name of law enforcement officer/agency}* Volusia Sheriff's Office, swear and affirm that the following facts are true and correct.

1. *{Name of Respondent}* ██████████ poses a significant danger of causing personal injury to himself/herself or others by having a firearm or any ammunition in his/her custody or control or by purchasing, possessing or receiving a firearm or any ammunition. The following specific statements, actions, or facts give rise to a reasonable fear of significant dangerous acts by the respondent:

On September 1, 2021, at approximately 2028 hours, Deputy Medina was dispatched to the Amscot located at 2177 Howland Boulevard, Deltona, in reference to a suicidal person. Upon arrival, Deputy Medina made contact with an employee, ██████████ (R1), who advised the following.

1 Additional pages are attached.

2. *{Name of Witness}* ██████████ provided the following information based on his/her personal knowledge:

██████████ stated that she was recently a victim of a scam and did not have the funds to make a payment on her account. ██████████ advised ██████████ continued to become extremely emotional and began crying. ██████████ told ██████████ she "had nothing to live for anymore" and "was tired of everything." ██████████ advised ██████████ stated she "had a pistol and was ready to use it" before hanging up the phone.

 Additional pages are attached.

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On September 1, 2021, at approximately 2028 hours, Deputy Medina was dispatched to the Amscot at 2177 Howland Boulevard, Deltona, in reference to a suicidal person. Upon arrival Deputy Medina made contact with an employee, ██████████ (R1), who advised the following:

She received a call from a regular customer, ██████████ (V1), who was upset. ██████████ stated she was recently a victim of a scam and did not have the funds to make a payment on her account. ██████████ advised ██████████ continued to become extremely emotional and began crying. ██████████ told ██████████ she "had nothing to live for anymore" and "was tired of everything." ██████████ advised ██████████ stated she "had a pistol and was ready to use it" before hanging up the phone. ██████████ provided a sworn written statement.

Deputy Medina and additional deputies responded to ██████████'s residence in an effort to make contact with her. Deputy Medina made contact with ██████████ via phone who advised she was home with her family. ██████████ agreed to meet with Deputies in front of her residence. Deputy Medina made contact with ██████████ who advised she was fine. ██████████ stated the comments she made to ██████████ were out of anger and frustration. ██████████ admitted to telling ██████████ she felt as if she had nothing to live for and was tired of it. ██████████ admitted to saying she had a firearm but claimed it was false. ██████████ stated she did not own or have any firearms within the residence.

Based on ██████████'s statements, she was taken into protective custody under the Baker Act to prevent her from harming herself. ██████████ was later transported to Stewart Marchman Act for further evaluation.

Deputy King made contact with ██████████'s husband who stated that there is a gun safe in the residence containing multiple firearms. He advised only he has access and keeps the key to the lock on him at all times. With that being said, ██████████ still threatened to use a handgun for self harm. So it is unknown as to how she had access to said firearm.

3. Affiant ___ is X is not aware of any existing protection order governing the respondent under any applicable statute.

_____ Known protection orders are attached

4. The quantities, types, and locations of all firearms and ammunition the petitioner believes to be in the respondent's current ownership, possession, custody or control are as follows:

Quantity	<u>Unknown</u>	Type	<u>Rifle</u>	Location	<u>[REDACTED]</u>	<u>DLT</u>
Quantity	<u>Unknown</u>	Type	<u>Shotgun</u>	Location	<u>[REDACTED]</u>	<u>DLT</u>
Quantity	<u>Unknown</u>	Type	<u>Handgun</u>	Location	<u>[REDACTED]</u>	<u>DLT</u>
Quantity	<u>Unknown</u>	Type	<u>Ammunition</u>	Location	<u>[REDACTED]</u>	<u>DLT</u>
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____	_____
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____	_____

_____ Additional pages are attached.

AFFIANT HEREBY CERTIFIES UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE STATEMENTS AND FACTS IN THIS AFFIDAVIT AND IN ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Dated: 09/02/2021 Signature of Affiant: *T. King*

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of physical presence or online notarization, this 2nd day of September, 2021, by Deputy T. King
Affiant's name

[Signature]
Signature of Attesting LEO Witness

Deputy C. Eckberg
Print name of Attesting LEO Witness

OR

Signature of Notary Public

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

Personally known or Produced Identification

(Type of Identification Produced)