Keary D. Hayes

Plaintiff

Plaintiff: Parent/Guardian

vs.

Russ Semeran

Defendant

Superior Court of New Jersey
Chancery Division - Family Part
MERCER County
Docket Number: **FV –** 11-001746-26

New Jersey
Victim's Assistance and Survivor

☒ **Temporary Protective Order (TPO)**

☐ **Amended Temporary Protective Order (AFPO)**

Defendant Information		Defendant's Sex	Date of Birth
Last Name Semeran		[redacted]	
First Name Russ	Initial	[redacted]	
Aliases (AKA)		[redacted]	
Defendant's Social Security Number		[redacted]	
		Eye Color	Hair Color
[redacted]		[redacted]	
		Distinguishing Features	
		[redacted]	
Home Phone		Driver's License: Number	
[redacted]		State	Expiration Date
[redacted]			
Employer Address: Street			
[redacted]			
[redacted]			

Is Plaintiff represented by counsel? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, Name of Attorney: Russel Hodges, [redacted]

Pla is an identified victim / witness and protected party in state v. Russ Semeran, Mercer County Prosecutor File No. 25001499, [redacted] Court release-condition records state that the defendant shall avoid all contact with an alleged victim of the offense.

5/20/2026 – Pla alleges that despite pending criminal proceedings and no-contact conditions, def also known as Rostislav Semeran and associated online aliases/accounts, has persistently continued online harassment, intimidation, impersonation, and publication activity directed at or concerning pla, including activity occurring as recently as this week.

Pla alleges that def has repeatedly published or amplified accusations accusing pla of criminal, fraudulent, or dishonest conduct through linkedIn activity, online posts, third party amplification, and communications directed to pla's professional and business network, including outreach to the pla's colleagues, investors, clients, and business associates.

Pla further alleges impersonation or unauthorized online activity involving Q01. Ai and related business entities, as well as threatening or intimidation-oriented posts referencing enemies, retaliation, weapons, and law-enforcement affiliations, including posts containing references or imagery concerning pla personally.

Pla alleges that the conduct caused substantial emotional distress, fear, reputational harm, disruption or business relationships and operations, and interference with pla's ability to earn a living including verbal death threats to pla and ex-governor of NJ. The defendant told the plaintiff he was going to kill plaintiff and the governor.

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☒ Final Protective Order Hearing Date: 6/4/2026

☒**TPO recommended** by Hearing Officer

☐**TPO not recommended** by Hearing Officer

☐**De Novo Hearing** Requested

☐**De Novo Hearing** Waived

☒**TPO Granted** by Superior Court Judge

☐**TPO Denied.** Complaint dismissed by Superior Court Judge

Notice to Defendant: A violation of any of the provisions listed in this order may constitute either civil or criminal contempt pursuant to *N.J.S.A.* 2C:29-9 and may result in your arrest, prosecution, and possible incarceration, as well as an imposition of a fine or jail sentence. **Only a Court can modify any of the terms or conditions of this Court Order.**

Findings:

The Plaintiff having filed a complaint for a Victim's Assistance and Survivor Protection Order and good cause found to issue such order, and after conducting an ex parte hearing,

The Court finds upon consideration of the applicant's affidavit, complaint, or testimony in an ex parte hearing, that the defendant may have committed or attempted to commit one or more of the following acts pursuant to N.J.S.A 2C:14-13:

☐ Sexual Penetration ☐ Criminal Sexual Contact ☐ Lewdness
☒ Cyber Harassment ☒ Stalking

☒ **Reason(s) on the Record**

☐ **Reason(s) for Finding:**

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AND

Therefore, it is **Ordered** on this 28 day of MAY, 2026, that:

☒ 1. Defendant is prohibited from committing or attempting to commit any future acts of ☐ Sexual Penetration, ☐ Criminal Sexual Contact, ☐ Lewdness, ☒ Stalking, or ☒ Cyber Harassment against the Plaintiff.

☒ 2. Defendant is prohibited from the following:

- Having any contact with the Plaintiff.
- Forbidden from personally or through an agent initiating any communication likely to cause annoyance or alarm including but not limited to personal, written, or telephone contact or contact by electronic device.
- Following or threatening to harm, stalk or follow Plaintiff.
- Committing or attempting to commit an act of harassment against the Plaintiff.

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☒ 3. Defendant is prohibited from entering the following locations:

☒ a. Plaintiff's residence/property
☐ b. Plaintiff's school
☒ c. Plaintiff's place(s) of employment
☐ d. Other (Only list addresses known to the Defendant):

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☒ 4. Defendant is prohibited from entering the following locations of Plaintiff's family or household members (list names and relationship to Plaintiff):

Name: _____
Relationship: _____

☒ Residence/property
☐ School
☒ Place(s) of employment
☐ Other (Only list addresses known to the Defendant):

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☐ 5. Defendant is prohibited from having any contact or making or causing anyone else to make harassing communications, including any oral, written, personal, electronic, or other form of contact or communication with ***others*** (list names and relationship to Plaintiff):

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☐ 6. Other Relief:

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5/28/26 12:08 pm
Date/Time ☐ Via Telecommunications

s/DANNETTA WHITE
Hearing Officer

05/28/26 12:20 PM
Date/Time ☐ Via Telecommunications

s/DANIEL KELLY
Honorable

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☐ spoken language interpreter required language: _____

Notice to Plaintiff and Defendant

1. Both the Plaintiff and Defendant are **ordered to appear** for a Final Hearing on (date) 6/4/2026 at the Chancery Division, Family Part @ 08:30 AM JUDGE DiPippo, COURTROOM 4C, 175 S. BROAD ST, TRENTON, NJ .
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2. **This Order Shall Remain in Effect** Until Further Order of the Court and Service of Said Order on the Defendant. Only a court can modify any of the terms or conditions of this order.

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