

PROBATE COURT OF PORTAGE COUNTY, OHIO
PATRICIA J. SMITH, JUDGE

IN THE MATTER OF _____, AN ADULT
CASE NO. _____

**PETITION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER
TO PREVENT OBSTRUCTION OR INTERFERENCE
WITH PROTECTIVE SERVICES INVESTIGATION**
[R.C. §5101.651]

1. The Petitioner, Portage County Department of Job and Family Services, is an authorized provider of adult protective services under R.C. §5101.60, *et seq.*
2. Petitioner alleges the Adult identified above is impaired to the extent that the Adult lacks sufficient understand or capacity to make and carry out reasonable decisions concerning the Adult's self or resources due to: (check all that apply)

☐ Infirmities of Aging☐ Physical Impairment☐ Mental Impairment
3. Petitioner alleges that there is reasonable cause to believe the Adult is in need of protective services for the prevention, correction or discontinuance of an act or conditions resulting from: (check all that apply)

☐ Abuse☐ Neglect☐ Exploitation
4. The Petitioner, in the course of an investigation under R.C. 5101.65, has encountered interference or obstruction that is prohibiting access to the Adult or the residence of the Adult.
5. The Petitioner alleges that immediate and irreparable injury, loss or damage will result if the interference or obstruction with Petitioner's investigation continues.
6. Exhibit A attached to this Petition is the affidavit of _____, describing the specific facts supporting the allegations of the Adult's incapacity, the nature of the circumstances that are creating interference or obstruction that are the subject of this Petition, and the facts supporting the allegations of abuse, neglect or exploitation.

Petitioner moves this Court to issue a Temporary Restraining Order to prevent the interference or obstruction with Petitioner's investigation and that an Order remain in effect for a period of time necessary to carry out the investigation to secure protection from future injury, loss or damage to the Adult or the Adult's property.

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