

(II) A COPY OF THE PROTECTIVE ORDER SHALL ALSO BE SENT TO THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE RESPONDENT BY FIRST CLASS MAIL.

~~(2)~~ (3) [Return] IF THE RESPONDENT ~~IS~~-SERVED BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, CONSTABLE, OR SHERIFF, A RETURN of service shall be filed with the court.

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(b) (1) If the District Court grants or denies relief under a petition filed under this subtitle, a respondent, any person eligible for relief, or a petitioner may appeal to [or file a petition for modification in] the circuit court [of] FOR the county where the District Court is located.

(2) An appeal [or a petition for modification] taken under this subsection to the circuit court shall be heard de novo in the circuit court.

(3) If an appeal [or a petition for modification] is filed under this [subsection] SUBSECTION, the District Court [is deprived of jurisdiction] JUDGMENT SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL SUPERSEDED BY A JUDGMENT OF THE CIRCUIT COURT. UNLESS THE CIRCUIT COURT ORDERS OTHERWISE, MODIFICATION OR ENFORCEMENT OF THE DISTRICT COURT ORDER SHALL BE BY THE DISTRICT COURT.

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[(a)] The temporary ex parte order and protective order issued under this subtitle shall state that [violations] A VIOLATION of the order may result in:

- (1) a finding of contempt;
- (2) criminal prosecution; and
- (3) imprisonment or fine or both.

[(b) No additional filing fee may be charged a petitioner who seeks enforcement in a circuit court of an order entered by the District Court.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1994.

May 26, 1994

The Honorable Casper R. Taylor, Jr.
Speaker of the House
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Speaker Taylor:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 362.