

NOTICE REGARDING NONCOMPLIANCE WITH FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION RELINQUISHMENT ORDERS

The judge has ordered you to turn in (“relinquish”) your firearms and ammunition. Please read the enclosed information on how to turn in your firearms and ammunition very carefully. The proof of relinquishment form (DV-800) is also included for your convenience.

WHAT HAPPENS IF I DO NOT TURN IN MY FIREARMS OR AMMUNITIONS?

- Pursuant to Family Code §6389(c)(4), the court will notify the **District Attorney’s office** and **law enforcement** of your noncompliance with the firearms and ammunition relinquishment orders.
- Additionally, your noncompliance with this relinquishment order may be considered by the court as a factor under Family Code §3044 and Family Code §6323(e) in any determinations regarding custody and visitation of minor children.

TIMELINE REMINDER:

- You have **24 hours** to turn in, store, or sell your firearms and ammunition.
- You then have **48 hours** to file your proof (DV-800) with the court to show that you have turned in your firearms and ammunition.
- A court date has been set to check if you comply with this order and file your proof of relinquishment.
 - Note: If you file your proof (DV-800) within 48 hours of relinquishing your firearms and/or ammunition, the hearing will be canceled.

HOW DO I TURN IN MY PROOF OF RELINQUISHMENT (DV-800)?

- Have the local law enforcement agency or the federally licensed gun dealer complete your DV-800.
 - If the law enforcement agency provides you with their own documentation instead of signing the DV-800, attach it to the DV-800 so that it may be filed with the court.
- File the DV-800 with the Restraining Order Window at the Family Law building located at 751 Pine Street, Martinez, CA. The window is available Mondays to Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- Do not place this document into the court’s drop box for filing as this may cause delays in filing.