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| **The Family Law Act 1996** | | |
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| **The Relationship of GEORGIA CHAPMAN and EDWARD DISCOMBE** | | |
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| After hearing Paralegal for the Applicant | | |
| After reading the signed statement of the Applicant dated | | |
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| **NON-MOLESTATION ORDER MADE BY GEORGIA CHAPMAN ON 2025 SITTING IN**  **PRIVATE** | | |

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| **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE RESPONDENT, EDWARD DISCOMBE OF**  **OAK COTTAGE, MANSERS LANE, HAILSHAM, BN27 4BE.**  **YOU MUST OBEY THIS ORDER. You should read it carefully. If you do not**  **understand anything in this order you should go to a solicitor, Legal Advice Centre or**  **Citizens Advice Bureau. You have a right to apply to the court to change or cancel the**  **order.**  **WARNING: IF, WITHOUT REASONABLE EXCUSE, YOU DO ANYTHING**  **WHICH YOU ARE FORBIDDEN FROM DOING BY THIS ORDER, YOU WILL BE**  **COMMITTING A CRIMINAL OFFENCE AND LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A**  **TERM OF IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING FIVE YEARS OR TO A FINE OR**  **BOTH.**  **ALTERNATIVELY, IF YOU DO NOT OBEY THIS ORDER, YOU WILL BE**  **GUILTY OF CONTEMPT OF COURT AND YOU MAY BE SENT TO PRISON, BE**  **FINED, OR HAVE YOUR ASSETS SEIZED.** |

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| **The Parties** | | |
| 1. The applicant is GEORGIA CHAPMAN | | |
| 1. The respondent is EDWARD DISCOMBE | | |
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| **Definitions** | | |
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| 1. The Propertyis the property at 381 BEXHILL ROAD, ST. LEONARDS-ON-SEA, TN38 8AR and its surrounding gardens, land and outbuildings | | |
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| **Recitals** |  |  |
| 1. This is a non-molestation order made against the respondent EDWARD DISCOMBE | | |
| on DATE by [*name of judge*] on the application of the applicant GEORGIA CHAPMAN. | | |
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| 1. Order was made at a hearing without notice to the respondent. The reason why the order was made without notice to the respondent was. | | |

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| **IT IS ORDERED:** |
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| **Non-Molestation Order – Applicant** |
| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not use or threaten violence against the applicant, GEORGIA CHAPMAN, and must not instruct, encourage or in any way suggest that any other person should do so. |
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| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not intimidate, harass or pester the applicant, GEORGIA CHAPMAN, and must not instruct, encourage or in any way suggest that any other person should do so. |
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| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not telephone, text, email or otherwise contact or attempt to contact the applicant, GEORGIA CHAPMAN, (including via social networking websites or other forms of electronic messaging) |
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| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not damage, attempt to damage or threaten to damage any property owned by or in the possession or control of the applicant, GEORGIA CHAPMAN, and must not instruct, encourage or in any way suggest that any other should do so. |
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| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not damage, attempt to damage or threaten to damage the property or contents of the family home at 381 BEXHILL ROAD, ST. LEONARDS-ON-SEA, TN38 8AR and must not instruct, encourage or in any way suggest that any other person should do so. |
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| **Non-Molestation Order - Zonal** |
| 1. The respondent, EDWARD DISCOMBE, must not go to, enter or attempt to enter the family home at 381 BEXHILL ROAD, ST. LEONARDS-ON-SEA, TN38 8AR or any property where he knows or believes the applicant, GEORGIA CHAPMAN, to be living, and must not go within 100 metres of it. |
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| **Duration of Non-Molestation Order** |
| 1. Paragraph[s] 1-14 of this order shall be effective against the respondent EDWARD DISCOMBE once it is personally served on him once he is made aware of the terms of this order whether by personal service or otherwise. |
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| 1. Paragraph[s] 1-14 of this order shall last until [*date and time*] unless it is set aside or varied before then by an order of the court. |
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| 1. The respondent has the right to apply to the court at any time, and without waiting until the return date, to set aside, vary or revoke this order. If the respondent intends to rely on any evidence in support of his application to set aside, or vary this order, or intends to rely on any evidence to oppose the continuation of the order at the return date, the substance of it must be provided in writing to the applicant’s solicitors in advance. |
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| **Hearings** |
| 1. The application[s] [is] / [are] listed for a further [directions] hearing in the Family   Court sitting at [*court name*] / on [*date*] (‘the return date’). At the hearing on the return |
| date the court will reconsider the application and decide whether [the order should continue] / [the application should be granted, and the order should be made] (time estimate: [*days/hours*]). If the respondent does not attend on the date and at the time shown the court may make an order in [his] / [her] absence. |
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| 1. [The application[s] [is] / [are] listed for a final hearing in the Family Court sitting at [*court name*] / on [*date*]. At the hearing, the court will reconsider the application and decide whether [the order should continue] / [the application should be granted, and the order should be made] (time estimate: [*days*]). If the respondent does not attend on the date and at the time shown the court may make an order in [his] / [her] absence.] |
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| **Costs** |
| 1. The costs of this application are [reserved to the judge hearing the application on the return date] / [in the application] / [*specify*]. |
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| Dated [*date*] |

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| **Note to Arresting Officer:**  Under section 42A of the Family Law Act 1996, breach of a non-molestation order is a  criminal offence punishable by up to five years’ imprisonment. It is an arrestable offence, and it is not necessary to obtain a warrant.  “A person who without reasonable excuse does anything that he is prohibited from doing by a non-molestation order is guilty of an offence”.  Family Law Act 1996, section 42A(1). |

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| **(Where undertakings have been given)** |
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| **Statement pursuant to PD 37A para 2.2(2)**  I understand the undertakings that I have given, and that if I break any of my promises to the court I may be sent to prison for contempt of court.  \_\_GEORGIA CHAPMAN\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  APPLICANT NAME  I understand the undertakings that I have given, and that if I break any of my promises to the court I may be sent to prison for contempt of court.  \_EDWARD DISCOMBE\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  RESPONDENT NAME |

**Communication with the Court**

All communications to the court about this order should be sent to:

**Family Court** **sitting at HASTINGS**

BOHEMIA ROAD

HASTINGS

TN34 1QX

TEL: 443001235577

**Name and address of applicant’s legal representatives**

The applicant’s legal representatives are –

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