

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, SEVENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR
VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA

VS.

COLTON PHILLIPS

CASE NO.: 18-304481 CFDB

DIVISION: CRAIG **FILED**
IN OPEN COURT

SEP 02 2020

Clerk of the Circuit Court
Volusia County, Florida

**Order Extending and Clarifying Prior Order Determining Records to be Confidential,
Exempt and Sealed from Public Disclosure and Prohibiting Parties from Disclosing such
Records**

This Court has previously entered an Order on this matter and adopts and incorporates the findings in support of the prior Order. Pursuant to Fla. R. Jud. Admin. 2.420(f)(3) and the authorities cited to therein, this Court finds there continues to be a compelling need to prevent disclosure of the records in this case. Therefore, the Court, on the *ore tenus* stipulation of the parties seeking extension of the prior Order and clarification that the State and Defense may not disclose the records in their possession, and the Court being fully advised on the premises and making the necessary findings of fact and credibility consistent with entry of this Order,

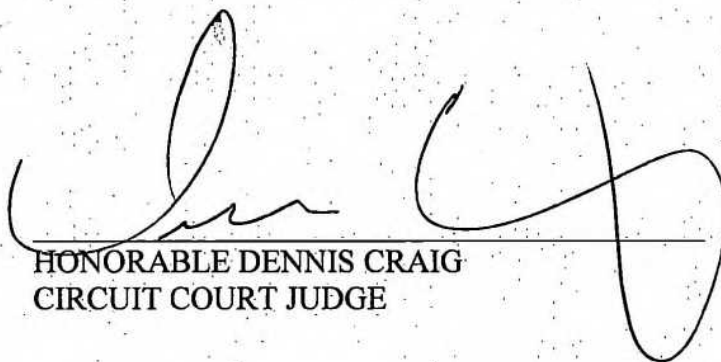
it is **HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED**:

- (1) Disclosure of records would expose the defendant to serious personal risk, as well as jeopardize, reveal, and compromise undercover assets and ongoing investigations at both the State and Federal level, disclose investigative tools and otherwise create irreversible harm. The Government and the defendant both have a compelling interest in preventing disclosure of the Records and no countervailing need exists sufficient to justify public disclosure of the Records.
- (2) All records, wherever located and however stored, concerning the arrest and subsequent resolution of Colton Phillips' case, are declared to be **CONFIDENTIAL** and **EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE** as defined in Fla. R. Jud. Admin. 2.420(f)(3). It is further stated:
 - a. No person or party shall disclose any record in this case without this Court's Order.
 - b. These records are sealed. **This Order and the prior Order shall also be deemed CONFIDENTIAL and EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE and sealed.**
 - c. Whenever the term "records" is used, it means all documents including the contents of the court file, including the progress docket and other similar records generated to document activity in a case, transcripts filed with the clerk,

documentary exhibits in the custody of the clerk, and electronic records, videotapes, or stenographic tapes of depositions or other proceedings filed with the clerk, and electronic records, videotapes, or stenographic tapes of court proceedings;

- (3) Any prior ruling not expressly modified by this Order remains and must be construed consistent with the Court's intent to prohibit disclosure of records in this case.
- (4) The Court reserves jurisdiction to enforce this Order.

DONE AND ORDERED in Daytona, Volusia County, Florida on this 2^d day of September, 2020.



HONORABLE DENNIS CRAIG
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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