

# Workplace Violence Restraining Orders

Who Can Ask for it?	Elements/ Definitions	Burden of proof	Duration	Authorizing Statutes	How to Obtain in Contra Costa County
Only an employer	An employer can get an RO against a person who has been violent, threatened violence, or stalked 1 or more employees	Clear and convincing evidence	Up to 3 years; may be renewed for up to 3 additional years.	CCP § 527.8	Wakefield Taylor Courthouse, Dept. 57, Room 102 725 Court St., Martinez  Mon – Fri between 9 am and 10:30 am