STATE OF MAINE PENOBSCOT, ss.		UNIFIED CRIMINAL DOCKET PENCD-CR-23-2138
STATE OF MAINE	)	
ν.	)	PROTECTIVE ORDER
GERALD MERRILL	)	

Pursuant to the Court's authority under Maine Rule of Unified Criminal Procedure 16(b)(6), it is hereby **ORDERED**:

As part of the State's discovery obligation the State shall disclose to the Defendant certain records in discovery which contain i) personal identifiable information (PII) protected by Section 119.0712(2)(b), Florida Statutes (2023); ii) PII concerning financial records information regarding third parties; and iii) a Suspicious Activity Report (SAR).

The above referenced materials may be used by defense counsel (and defense counsel's staff) in a manner, which in his professional judgement, will assist in the preparation of Defendant's case. Defense counsel and defense counsel's staff may show and discuss the materials to and with the Defendant, and may provide a copy of the materials to the Defendant for his review. The Defendant will destroy this single extant copy at the conclusion of the matter.

Defense counsel, defense counsel's staff, and Defendant, however, shall not otherwise copy said materials or disclose them, or the information in them, to any person other than expert(s) or investigator(s) retained by Defendant to work on this case. No further disclosure shall be allowed except by further order of the Court.

DATED: 9/25/2023

Judge / Justice, Unified Criminal Docket