

5.0-600 Human Biological Evidence

5.0-610 Order for Storage, Preservation and Retention

Pursuant to the provisions of Virginia Code § 19.2-270.4:1\*[and on motion of the \*(defendant) \*(defendant=s counsel)], the Court ORDERS that the following human biological evidence, or representative samples of that evidence as determined by the Division of Forensic Science, be stored, preserved and retained \*[\*(for \* years) \*(until execution of sentence)] by the Division of Forensic Science:

1. \*[insert the Division of Forensic Science Laboratory number (FS number), if available, and a description of the evidence, indicate whether the evidence is in the custody of the clerk of court or the law enforcement agency]

\*[include a complete list of the evidence to be stored with the information detailed above in number 1]

\*[The clerk of this court is ordered to determine the items and condition of the evidence and to conduct an inventory of the evidence in his or her custody, in accordance with the standards and guidelines established by the Division of Forensic Science. The clerk should then transfer such evidence to the \*[name of law enforcement agency] to be transferred to the Division of Forensic Science.]

The \*[name of law enforcement agency] is ordered to \*(complete the inventory of the evidence transferred from the custody of this court,) \*(inventory the evidence indicated above that is in its possession) and \*(package and seal all such the evidence in accordance with the standards and guidelines established by the Division of Forensic Science.) The \*[name of law enforcement agency] is ordered to transmit such evidence to the Division of Forensic Science in accordance with the standards and guidelines established by the Division of Forensic Science.

\* [Date Order Entered]

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Signature of Judge