

## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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) Civil Action No. JFM-94-2541
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## TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

Pending before the Court is plaintiffs' motion, pursuant to Rule 65(b), for a temporary restraining order. Having reviewed the motion, the supporting declarations, the memorandum in support, and having heard the arguments of counsel for plaintiffs and defendants, the Court FINDS that, in the absence of a temporary restraining order, plaintiffs will suffer irreparable harm. The specific risk of irreparable harm is literally the risk of imminent serious injury, if not death, for persons in the Women's Detention Center of the Baltimore City Detention Center who take medications and/or who have medical conditions that put them at risk of serious injury, if not death, from excessive heat. Accordingly, the Court ORDERS and DIRECTS as follows:

- 1. All women currently detained in the Women's Detention Center of the Baltimore City Detention Center shall receive immediately, meaning no later than 24 hours after the entry of this Order, a health care screening to determine which, if any, of them are at heightened risk from heat-related injury.
- 2. Defendants shall relocate immediately any and all women identified at heightened risk pursuant to the screening required by ¶1 and

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place them in safe housing. "Immediately" in this paragraph shall mean within six hours of defendants' identifying any woman at heightened risk from heat-related injury.

- 3. By the close of business each business day while this Order is pending, defendants shall report to the Court in writing, with copies to plaintiffs' counsel, regarding defendants' compliance with the requirements in ¶¶1 and 2 and on defendants' daily findings related to the heat and humidity in the Women's Detention Center of the Baltimore City Detention Center.
- 4. Plaintiffs are relieved of the requirement of posting any bond or security, see Rule 65(c), the Court finding that no security is required to protect defendants and further finding that plaintiffs are indigent and unable to afford to post any security.
- 5. This Order shall expire ten days from the date of its entry unless extended.

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preliminary injunction	non Chrisist 20, 201	02, at <u>Πος Α Μ</u> .
SO ORDI	ERED this <u>day</u> of August	, 2002, at
2:10 p.m.		

United States District Court Judge