

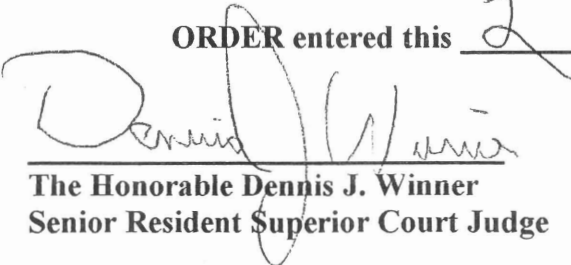
**REVISED ORDER OF THE COURT**

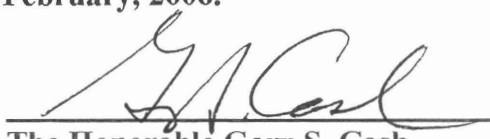
**WHEREAS**, the safety of court, county, and other personnel as well as that of citizens who must use the courthouse has been compromised on more than one occasion by persons who violate *North Carolina General Statute* § 14-269.4,

**IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED:**

1. Persons other than Law Enforcement Officers present anywhere in the courthouse shall not possess any gun, knife, or other deadly weapon at any time. This **ORDER** applies to courtrooms, offices and hallways and is in effect whether or not the court is in session.
2. Bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers are directed to insure the compliance with this **ORDER**. Persons on any floor may be asked to submit on demand to investigatory searches of their persons and effects either electronically or actually or both.
3. Courtroom bailiffs shall admit no one into a courtroom unless and until the officer is satisfied that the person seeking entrance is in compliance with this **ORDER**.
4. Violation of this **ORDER** shall subject an offender to immediate arrest for a violation of *North Carolina General Statute* § 14-269.4, or punishment for direct contempt of court or both.
5. Persons who violate this **ORDER** or who refuse to submit to a search may be detained for a reasonable time to enable the officer to take the person before a judge to determine whether or not that person shall be held in contempt of court.

**ORDER** entered this 2 day of February, 2006.

  
The Honorable Dennis J. Winner  
Senior Resident Superior Court Judge

  
The Honorable Gary S. Cash  
Chief District Court Judge