# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE 2

**Credits:**

Director, Producer, Editor, Sound Frederick Wiseman

Photography John Davey

Camera Assistant Lawrence Dodds

Assistant Editor Victoria Garvin Davis

Production Coordinator Karen Konicek

Sound Mix Alexander Markowski

**Running Time:** 160 minutes

**Length:** 5760 feet

Color / Sound / 16 mm / Optical track / Normal screen / 4 reels / English

**Copyright:** 2002

**PBS broadcast date:**  March 19, 2003

**Filming location:** Tampa, FL

**Festival screenings:**

8th International Documentary Film Festival, Jihlava, Czech Republic, October 2004

HOT DOCS Canadian Documentary Film Festival, April 2004

It’s All True Documentary Film Festival, Sao Paulo, Brazil, March 2004

Cinéma du Réel, Paris, France, March 2004

Human Rights Watch Film Festival, Boston, January 2004

International Documentary Festival Amsterdam, November 2003

Torino International Film Festival, November 2003

London Film Festival, November 2003

Viennale, October 2003

Yamagata International Documentary Film Festival, October 2003

Buenos Aires International Film Festival, April 2003

Melbourne International Film Festival, July 2003

Sydney Film Festival, June 2003

Full Frame Documentary Film Festival, April 2003

**Summary:**

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE 2 takes place in the arraignment, misdemeanor, and injunction courts in Hillsborough County, Tampa, Florida. The courts deal with issues such as bail bonds, release pending trial, the specific context of injunctions regulating time and place of parental visits, restraining orders, contact with children, support payments, and the court's decision about fault and punishment. The judges and lawyers ask questions which elicit the stories of couples' relationships and the specific form of violence between them.

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