

CHAPTER 595

WITNESSES

595.024 Exception and procedure.
595.025 Defamation.

595.024 EXCEPTION AND PROCEDURE.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M.S.1982]

Subd. 3. **Determination; appeal.** The district court shall consider the nature of the proceedings, the merits of the claims and defenses, the adequacies of alternative remedies, the relevancy of the information sought, and the possibility of establishing by other means that which the source is expected or may tend to prove. The court shall make its appropriate order after making findings of fact. The order may be appealed directly to the court of appeals according to the rules of appellate procedure. The order is stayed and nondisclosure shall remain in full force and effect during the pendency of the appeal.

History: 1983 c 247 s 204

595.025 DEFAMATION.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M.S.1982]

Subd. 3. **Determination; appeal.** The court shall make its order on the issue of disclosure after making findings of fact, which order may be appealed to the court of appeals according to the rules of appellate procedure. During the appeal the order is stayed and nondisclosure shall remain in full force and effect.

History: 1983 c 247 s 205