

IN THE MATTER OF the Nova Scotia Criminal Code Review Board

AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, John Alan Gellatly

AND IN THE MATTER OF a hearing held pursuant to s. 672.82(1) (Discretionary Hearing) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

### **DISPOSITION ORDER**

WHEREAS on the 22nd day of October 2019, the accused was found Not Criminally Responsible on account of a mental disorder on charges of Assault, contrary to Section 266 and Uttering Threats, contrary to Section 264.1(1)(a) of the Criminal Code of Canada;

AND WHEREAS the accused is presently residing in the community.

AND WHEREAS a hearing was held via Zoom at the East Coast Forensic Psychiatric Hospital on the 21st day of May 2024 to make a Disposition Order pursuant to s.672.54 of the Criminal Code of Canada.

AND WHEREAS the East Coast Forensic Psychiatric Hospital is designated for the custody, treatment, or assessment of the accused, in respect of whom an assessment order, disposition or placement decision is made

IT IS ORDERED that the accused be discharged absolutely.

**THIS IS THEREFORE TO COMMAND YOU**, the Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority, in His Majesty's name, to execute the terms of this Order.

DATED at Halifax, this <sup>19</sup> day of May, 2024



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Raffi Balmanoukian, Chairperson  
NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

TO: the accused, John Alan Gellately  
AND TO: Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority  
AND TO: Public Prosecution Service  
AND TO: Kelly Ryan, counsel for the accused