

IN THE MATTER OF the NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, ANDREW NOEL

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

DISPOSITION ORDER

WHEREAS on the 18th day of March 2022, the accused was found *Not Criminally Responsible on account of a mental disorder* on charges of: Robbery contrary to Section 344; Uttering Threats contrary to Section 264.1(1)(a) x2; Breach of Undertaking contrary to Section 145(4)(a); and on a charge of Assault contrary to Section 266 of the *Criminal Code of Canada*.

AND WHEREAS the accused is presently residing at Simpson Landing on an L6 continuous overnight community access level.

AND WHEREAS a hearing was held on the 4th of April, 2023 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 17th day of April 2023.



Judith A. McPhee, KC, Alternate Chairperson
Nova Scotia Criminal Code Review Board

TO: the accused, Andrew Noel

AND TO: Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority

AND TO: Public Prosecution Service

AND TO: Kelly Ryan, counsel for Mr. Noel