

IN THE MATTER OF the Nova Scotia Criminal Code Review Board AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, Justin Shewchuk

AND IN THE MATTER OF a hearing held pursuant to s. 672.81(1) (Annual Hearing) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

DISPOSITION ORDER

WHEREAS on the December 12, 2018, the accused was found Not Criminally Responsible on account of a mental disorder on charges of Trespassing at Night, contrary to Section 177, Fail to Comply with Recognizance or Undertaking, contrary to Section 145(3) (x's 3) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

AND WHEREAS the accused is presently detained at the East Coast Forensic Hospital, with overnight placement at Community Transition Housing.

AND WHEREAS a hearing was held at the East Coast Forensic Psychiatric Hospital on the ~~15th~~ day of January 2026, 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 ~~14~~ day of January, 2026.



Raffi Balmanoukian, Chairperson

NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

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