

**IN THE MATTER OF the NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD**

**AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, JOHN THOMAS ANDREWS**

**AND IN THE MATTER OF a hearing held pursuant to section 672.81(2.1) of the Criminal Code**

**DISPOSITION ORDER**

**WHEREAS** on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006, the accused was found not criminally responsible on account of mental disorder on two charges of attempted murder, contrary to section 239 of the Criminal Code, one charge of assault with a weapon, contrary to section 267(a) of the Criminal Code, and one charge of uttering threats, contrary to section 264.1 of the Criminal Code;

**AND WHEREAS** the accused is currently residing in hospital;

**AND WHEREAS** a hearing was held at the East Coast Forensic Hospital on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015, to make a Disposition Order pursuant to section 672.81(2.1) of the Criminal Code;

**AND WHEREAS** the East Coast Forensic 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 conditional discharge previously granted to the accused be continued, on the following terms:

1. Keep the peace and be of good behaviour;
2. Maintain good mental health;
3. Adhere to the recommendations of the community mental health team;
4. Comply with follow up by the forensic community program;
5. Comply with conditions recommended by the forensic community program;
6. Abstain from the use of alcohol and illicit drugs and comply with random urine drug screening;
7. Reside in premises approved the East Coast Forensic Hospital and abide by the rules and

- regulations of the residence;
8. Notify the Review Board and the East Coast Forensic Hospital of any change of address;
  9. Appear before the Board when requested;
  10. Remain within the province of Nova Scotia unless authorization in writing has been obtained from the Board.

The Board finds that the hospital was justified in restricting the liberties of the accused.

**THIS IS THEREFORE TO COMMAND YOU**, the Administrator of the East Coast Forensic Hospital, in Her Majesty's name, to execute the terms of this Order. The Board delegates to him the authority to increase or decrease the liberties of the accused pursuant to section 672.56(1).

**DATED** at Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015.



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Peter Lederman, Q.C., Chairperson  
NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

TO: the accused, John Thomas Andrews  
AND TO: Director, Mental Health Services, Capital District Health Authority  
AND TO: John Scott, Public Prosecution Service  
AND TO: Connie MacIsaac, counsel for Mr. Andrews