

**IN THE MATTER OF the NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD**  
**AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, AIDAN PONEE**  
**AND IN THE MATTER OF** a hearing held pursuant to section 672.81(1) of the  
Criminal Code

### **DISPOSITION ORDER**

**WHEREAS** on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022, the accused was found not criminally responsible on account of a mental disorder on a charge of assault with a weapon, contrary to section 267(a) of the Criminal Code, a charge of possession of a weapon contrary to section 88(1) of the Criminal Code, and a charge of resists/obstructs peace officer contrary to section 129(a) of the Criminal Code of Canada;

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

**AND WHEREAS** a hearing was held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December 2023 to make a Disposition Order pursuant to section 672.54 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 accused continue to be conditionally discharged, 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 cannabis, and/or illicit drugs and comply with random urine drug

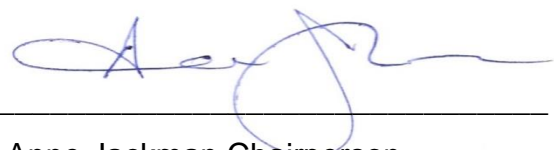
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7. Reside in the premises approved by the East Coast Forensic Hospital and abide by the rules and regulations of the residence;
8. Notify the Review Board and the East Coast Forensic Hospital of any change of address;
9. Appear before the Board when requested;
10. Remain within the Province of Nova Scotia unless authorization in writing has been received from the Board;
11. No contact with Alex Graves; and
12. No weapons as defined by the Criminal Code.

**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that if the accused is arrested pursuant to section 672.91 of the Criminal Code for a breach or anticipated breach of the terms of this disposition, they may, under section 672.92(1)(b) of the Criminal Code, be delivered to the East Coast Forensic Hospital, 88 Gloria McCluskey Avenue, Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

**THIS IS THEREFORE TO COMMAND YOU**, the Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority, in Her Majesty's name, to execute the terms of this Order. The Board delegates to them the authority to increase or decrease the liberties of the accused pursuant to section 672.56(1).

**DATED** at Halifax, this 27th day of December 2023.



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Anne Jackman Chairperson  
NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

TO: the accused, Aidan Ponee  
AND TO: Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority  
AND TO: Public Prosecution Service  
AND TO: Bruce Muir, counsel for Mr. Ponee