

# NOTICE TO PARENT

(Section 26 YCJA, Section 14 YJA)

In the matter of \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, Nova Scotia.  
*(name of young person)* *(address)*

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, *(the parent or other adult to whom notice may be given):*

The young person has been charged with the following offence(s):

Case No(s). and Brief Description of Offence(s)	Section	Date	Place
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This is to notify you that:

- 9 The young person has been arrested and is being detained at \_\_\_\_\_;
- 9 A ticket, summons or appearance notice has been issued to the young person;
- 9 The young person has been released upon giving a promise to appear;
- 9 The young person has entered into a recognizance or undertaking;

and that the young person is to appear before the Youth Justice Court at \_\_\_\_\_, Nova Scotia on \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ m. to answer to the charges and to be dealt with according to law.

**This is to notify you that** the young person has the right to be represented by counsel (a lawyer), including the right to apply for legal aid.

**This is also to notify you that** you or any other person who is a parent of, is under a legal duty to provide for or has the custody or control of the young person, may attend with the young person at the time and place mentioned.

**You should attend with the young person. If you do not attend and the court believes your presence is necessary or in the best interests of the young person, the court may order you to attend.**

DATED at \_\_\_\_\_, Nova Scotia, on \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Peace Officer, Officer in Charge*

*Distribution: Court, Young Person, Parent, Prosecutor, Police*

### AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, a peace officer, make oath and say that I did, on \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_,

- 9 personally serve a copy of this Notice to Parent upon \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_;
- 9 send a true copy of this Notice to Parent to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, by confirmed delivery service. *(Confirmation attached.)*
- 9 *(In the case of a provincial offence)* send a copy of this Notice to Parent to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ *(the parent's last known address)* by ordinary mail.

**SWORN TO OR SOLEMNLY AFFIRMED** before me at

\_\_\_\_\_, Nova Scotia,

on \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge/Justice of the Peace/Commissioner of Oaths

\_\_\_\_\_  
Peace Officer