Canada

Province of Nova Scotia

**Information**

**to Obtain an Investigative Warrant**

**(Section 2B(1A))**

***SUMMARY PROCEEDINGS ACT***

NS Form 204

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This is the information of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*(the informant)*

of , Nova Scotia.

The informant says that he/she has reasonable grounds to believe and does believe that offence(s) against an enactment named in Schedule B of the *Summary Proceedings Act* of the Province of Nova Scotia is/are being or will be committed as follows:

The informant’s grounds for believing that the offence(s) against the Laws of the Province of Nova Scotia against the provision of a Statute Named in Schedule B to the *Summary Proceedings Act* is/are being or will be committed are as follows:

The informant says that information concerning the offence(s) will be obtained through the use of a certain device, investigative technique, procedure or doing of anything that would, if not authorized, constitute an unreasonable search or seizure in respect of a person or person’s property \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

at

*(location or description of property)*

to (specify manner of search):

*(check if applicable)*

1. search for and examine and copy any drawings, specifications, licence, document, record or

report as follows:

1. search for and examine any equipment, machine, device, article, thing, material or biological,

chemical or physical agent as follows:

1. require (a person) to produce any

item described in clause (a) or (b) as follows:

1. conduct or take tests of any equipment, machine, device, article, thing, material or biological,

chemical or physical agent, and take and carry away samples from the testing as follows:

1. take measurements of and record by any means the physical circumstances of the place as

follows:

(f)

The Informant states that the bodily integrity of any person shall not be interfered with by the use of the investigative technique, procedure or device or the doing of the thing described in this Information, samples will not be taken of bodily substances for the purpose of forensic DNA analysis, and that no device will be used to intercept private communications in a manner prohibited by Part VI of the *Criminal Code.*

The informant’s grounds for believing that information concerning the offence(s) will be obtained through the use of the certain device, investigative technique, procedure or doing of anything that would, if not authorized, constitute an unreasonable search or seizure in respect of a person or person’s property and that these will not interfere with the bodily integrity of any person, samples will not be taken of bodily substances for the purpose of forensic DNA analysis and that no device will be used to intercept private communications in a manner prohibited by Part VI of the *Criminal Code* are as follows:

□ The Informant believes that there is no other provision in a Nova Scotia Provincial Statute that would provide for a warrant, authorization or order permitting the technique, procedure or device to be used or the thing to be done.

□ The informant believes the following terms and conditions are desirable to ensure the search and seizure is reasonable in the circumstances as follows:

□ The informant believes the following terms and conditions would ensure the privacy of the person or of any other person is respected as much as possible where an investigative warrant is sought to authorize a peace officer to observe, by means of a television (video) camera or other similar electronic device, any person who is engaged in activity in circumstances in which the person has a reasonable expectation of privacy:

The Informant asks that a warrant be granted for the following period (up to 30 days which may include provisions for re-entry):

*(Check if Applicable)*

**by day** (between 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. of the same day)

□ between m. and m.

□ on , 20 .

**by day or night**

□ between m. and m.

□ on , 20 .

□ between , 20 and 20 . For the following period(s): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Re-entry (more than one execution of this warrant) is sought on the following terms and

conditions for the following purposes:

**as justified under Sections 2B(1H) and 2C and *Summary Proceedings Act* on the following grounds:**

The informant asks that the warrant be executed by peace officers in the province of Nova Scotia as follows:

To all peace officers in the Province of Nova Scotia

To the following named peace officer(s) in the Province of Nova Scotia: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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The informant asks that the warrant authorize persons who have special, expert or professional knowledge to accompany and assist a peace officer in the execution of the warrant pursuant to section 2B(3A) of the *Summary Proceedings Act* as follows:

The informant believes the issuance of a warrant will be in the best interests of the administration of justice for the following reasons:

The informant believes the above to be true, except where otherwise stated.

**SWORN OR SOLEMNLY AFFIRMED** before me

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

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

*Provincial Court Judge, Justice of the Peace Informant*