



## **CHANGES TO THE MEDIA ROOM AT PROVINCIAL COURT IN HALIFAX**

July 10, 2019 (Halifax, NS) – Members of the media are advised that the Media Room at Halifax Provincial Court is moving to another location within the Spring Garden Road courthouse.

Media will continue to have a secure space to store their belongings, make phone calls, conduct interviews, and file their stories. Those using the space will no longer require a security swipe card. Instead, the room will have keypad access and the sheriffs on site can provide the code, upon request.

The new Media Room is located on the main floor, past the staircase and down the hall from the interview rooms (please see the attached floor plan).

The changeover goes into effect today (July 10). Once renovations are complete, the old Media Room will become the new waiting area for Youth Court, and the old Youth Court waiting room will serve as a staff boardroom.

**Journalists with security cards for the old Media Room are asked to return those to the Spring Garden Road courthouse by July 31, 2019.**

For more information on physical access to courthouses, access to court documents, and other material for journalists, please consult the [Guidelines for Media & Public Access to the Courts](#), developed by the Nova Scotia Courts' Media Liaison Committee.

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