

Investigative Warrant
(Section 2B(1A))
SUMMARY PROCEEDINGS ACT

TO: The Peace Officers in Nova Scotia

OR

(Peace Officer(s))

IT APPEARS ON THE OATH OF _____ of _____ that there are reasonable grounds for believing 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:

AND 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.

AND that there is no other provision in a Nova Scotia 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.

AND UPON BEING SATISFIED THAT it would be in the best interests of the administration of justice to issue the warrant and that the search will not interfere with the bodily integrity of any person, take samples of bodily substances for the purpose of forensic DNA analysis or use any device to intercept private communications as prohibited in Part VI of the *Criminal Code*.

You are authorized to enter _____

(location or description of property)

and seek information concerning the offence(s) 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 as follows:

(check if applicable)

(a) search for and examine and copy any drawings, specifications, licence, document, record or report as follows:

(b) search for and examine any equipment, machine, device, article, thing, material or biological, chemical or physical agent as follows:

(c) require _____ (a person) to produce any item described in clause (a) or (b) as follows:

(d) 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:

(e) take measurements of and record by any means the physical circumstances of the place as follows:

(f)

the following terms and conditions are ordered to ensure the search and seizure is reasonable in the circumstances:

the following terms and conditions are ordered to 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:

This warrant may be executed for the following period pursuant to sections 2B(1H) and 2C of the *Summary Proceedings Act* (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

not authorized

authorized on the following terms and conditions for the following purposes:

It is ordered 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:

DATED at _____, Nova Scotia, on _____, 20 ____.

Provincial Court Judge, Justice of the Peace