



## PROVINCIAL COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA TO RECOGNIZE NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

**Updated: Tuesday, Sept. 7, 2021**

In the spirit of reconciliation, and to honour Mi'kmaq and Indigenous communities across Canada, the Provincial Court of Nova Scotia will not sit on Thursday, Sept. 30, 2021, the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

Earlier this year, the federal government passed legislation to make Sept. 30 a federal statutory holiday, called the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. This day provides an opportunity for Canadians to recognize and commemorate the legacy of residential schools.

Further to this, the Province of Nova Scotia [announced](#) on Friday that it will annually recognize Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Provincial government offices will be closed on Sept. 30, including courthouses across Nova Scotia.

Any Provincial Court, Youth Court or Night Court matters that were previously scheduled for Sept. 30 are in the process of being adjourned and rescheduled.

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