

Her Majesty the Queen

v.

Approved:

(Name of Accused/Young Person)

Judge

D/M/Y

RECOGNIZANCE

(Sections 515, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 679, 680 C.C.)

BEFORE: _____
(name)

BE IT REMEMBERED that on this day the persons named in the following schedule personally came before me and severally acknowledged themselves to owe Her Majesty the Queen the several amounts set opposite their respective names, namely,

NAME	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	AMOUNT
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to be made and levied on their goods and chattels, lands and tenements, respectively, to the use of Her Majesty the Queen, if _____ fails in any of the conditions hereunder written. The accused/young person has been charged with the following offence(s):

Case No(s). and Brief Description of Offence(s)	Section	Date of Offence(s)	Place
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The condition of this recognizance is that if the accused/young person attends court on _____ day, _____, 20 ____, at _____ m., at the _____ Courthouse at _____, Nova Scotia, Courtroom # _____ and attends thereafter as required by the court in order to be dealt with according to law (or, where date and place of appearance before court are not known at the time recognizance is entered into if the accused attends at the time and place fixed by the court and attends thereafter as required by the court in order to be dealt with according to law);

and if the accused/young person complies with the following conditions: *(attach schedule of conditions)*

the recognizance is void, otherwise it stands in full force and effect.

The accused/young person has the right to be represented by counsel (a lawyer), including the right to apply for legal aid.

TAKEN and acknowledged before me at _____, Nova Scotia on _____, 20 _____.

(accused/young person)

(surety)

(surety)

Judge,
Justice of the Peace

THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS ARE FROM THE CRIMINAL CODE OF CANADA.

763. Where a person is bound by recognizance to appear before a court, justice or provincial court judge for any purpose and the session or sittings of that court or the proceedings are adjourned or an order is made changing the place of trial, that person and his sureties continue to be bound by the recognizance in like manner as if it had been entered into with relation to the resumed proceedings or the trial at the time and place at which the proceedings are ordered to be resumed or the trial is ordered to be held.

- 764. (1) Where an accused is bound by recognizance to appear for trial, his arraignment or conviction does not discharge the recognizance, but it continues to bind him and his sureties, if any, for his appearance until he is discharged or sentenced, as the case may be.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the court, justice, or provincial court judge may commit an accused to prison or may require him to furnish additional sureties for his appearance until he is discharged or sentenced, as the case may be.
- (3) The sureties of an accused who is bound by recognizance to appear for trial are discharged if he is committed to prison pursuant to subsection (2).

I have read and explained this Recognizance to the accused and that the accused has been given a copy of this Recognizance and informed of the provisions of sections 763, 764(1), (2), (3) of the **Criminal Code of Canada**.

Judge, Justice of the Peace