SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA

Citation: Cormier v. Nova Scotia, 2015 NSSC 352

Date: 2015-12-04

Docket: Port Hawkesbury, SPH No. 444422

Registry: Halifax

Between:

Adam Joseph Roger Cormier

Plaintiff

v.

Her Majesty the Queen in the Right of the Province of Nova Scotia as Represented by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, The Crown, Legal Aid, Probation officers and Honourable Provincial Court Judges

Defendants

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Judge: The Honourable Justice James L. Chipman

Heard: December 4, 2015, in Port Hawkesbury, Nova Scotia

Subject: Civil Procedure Rules 13.03 and 13.04, "Anti-suit" injunction

and judicial immunity

Summary: The Defendants, Honourable Provincial Court Judges made a

motion to strike the Plaintiff's action against them and for an "anti-suit" injunction to prevent any further lawsuit by the

Plaintiff without leave of the Court.

Issues: 1. Judicial immunity;

2. summary judgement; and

3. abuse of process.

Result: The Court found the Honourable Provincial Court Judges

were acting in their judicial capacity and therefore had judicial immunity. Summary judgment granted. The Court also found there was an abuse of process such that the anti-

suit injunction was granted.

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