

Appendix B - Crown Synopsis for extradition proceedings

No. _____

_____ Registry

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Between:

The Attorney General of Canada, on behalf of (Extradition Partner)

And

[Person Sought]

CROWN SYNOPSIS FOR EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS

(as of [date filed] and subject to variation)

[Please include the following six categories of information, enlarging the form as necessary]

1. Case Overview

[very brief summary of allegations; not a detailed narrative; the corresponding Canadian offences as set out in the Authority to Proceed – this could be a separate category as set out below]

2. The Corresponding Canadian Offences

[as set out in the Authority to Proceed – this does not need to be a separate category but could be included in the Case Overview above]

3. The Types of Evidence the Crown Expects to Call

[e.g., record of the case or treaty authenticated documents; Canadian-gathered evidence of a search or intercepted communications; testimony of the arresting officer; other viva voce testimony, etc.]

4. List of Issues Requiring a Ruling of the Court

[e.g., admissibility of the record of the case; admissibility of Canadian-gathered evidence; applications to stay the proceedings for abuse of process; known or likely Charter challenges]

5. Matters on Which Crown is Seeking Admissions

[e.g., identification of the person sought; business records under the Canada Evidence Act]

6. Tentative List of Witnesses

[briefly indicate topic for each, and provide time estimate for direct examination]

Date: _____

Counsel for the Attorney General of Canada

IMPORTANT NOTICE: *The Crown Synopsis is a case management tool to assist the court and counsel. It does not constitute particulars of the evidence in support of committal.*