

NOTICE OF CITATION

BEFORE THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANTS LICENSING BOARD

To: **Ryan COOPER**

TAKE NOTICE that the Emergency Medical Assistants Licensing Board (the "Board") has directed me, as the Director, to issue this Notice of Citation in accordance with the *Emergency Health Services Act* (the "Act") and the *Emergency Medical Assistants Regulation*, BC Reg 210/2010 (the "Regulation"). The Board will conduct a hearing to inquire into your conduct, circumstances of which are set out in the attached schedule, to determine whether you have acted incompetently and breached a term and condition of your licence.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the hearing will be held as follows:

PLACE: TBA

DATE: TBA

TIME: TBA

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that your rights relating to the hearing can be found in the Act, the Regulation, and the Board's Rules for Complaints, Investigations and Discipline Hearings.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the hearing, discipline counsel will make submissions with respect to the appropriate action to be taken regarding your licence, in the event the allegations are proven.

Non-Appearance by Respondent: If you fail to appear at the date, time and place set for the hearing, the Board is entitled to proceed with the hearing in your absence upon proof of receipt of the Notice of Citation by you and may take any action, without further notice to you, that it is authorized to take under the Act.

Emergency Medical Assistants Licensing Board's contact information:

The mailing address of the Board for delivery is:

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Attention: Director, Emergency Medical Assistants Licensing Board

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 28 day of January 2022.



Director

SCHEDULE

1. On or about August 2, 2020, at or near Blind Bay, BC, you acted incompetently and breached a term and condition of your license by:
 - (a) Failing to properly document the call.
 - (b) Failing to appreciate the extent of the patient's injuries.
 - (c) Failing to immobilize the patient's spine.