

# Canadian Laws

Things you should  
know

## Section 15: Canadian Charter of Rights

- All persons enjoy equal recognition at law as human beings or as members of Canadian society, equally capable and equally deserving of concern, respect and consideration.
- Rights under section 15 include
  - Racial equality
  - Gender equality
  - Mental disability
  - Physical disability

# Alcohol Consumption

- You must be over 19 years old to drink alcohol in Nova Scotia
  - Fine from the RCMP (\$500)
- You must not be intoxicated in a public place
  - Fine from the RCMP (\$125) and/or arrest
- You cannot carry an open alcohol bottle or can
  - Fine from the RCMP (\$500)

# Wolfville Noise Bylaw

- You may not make any noise which disturbs the peace and tranquility of Wolfville, NS.
- You may not operate any device which makes a noise which can be heard on another's property (ex. stereo, TV, computer, etc).
- You may be fined for violating the bylaw.

# Physical Assault

- You cannot physically assault anyone
- This includes any force applied to another person (pushing, shoving, hitting, punching, fighting, etc.)
- Domestic disputes



# Verbal Threats

- You cannot threaten to hurt someone or someone's property
- Threats can happen in person, over the telephone, through text message, on facebook, etc.



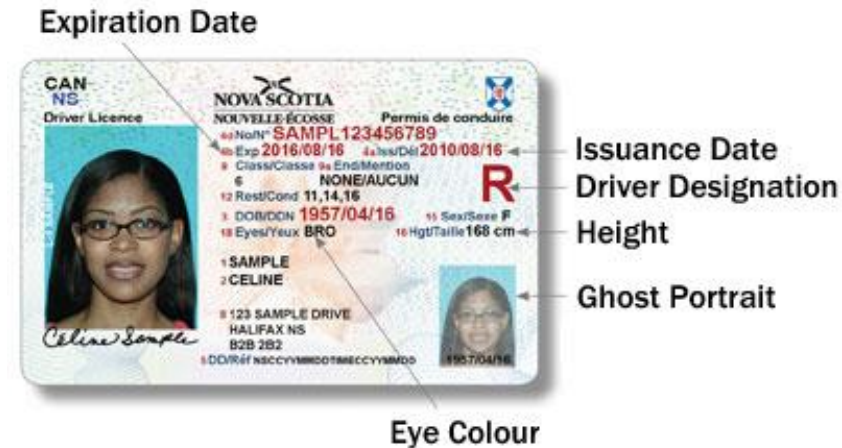
# Sexual Assault

- Someone **must** consent for you to touch them at any time, regardless of your relationship
- “No means no” even if it was agreed to before



# Driving in Nova Scotia

- You **must** have a Canadian Driver's License
  - International Driving License only valid for 90 days when you arrive
- You **must** register your car and have car insurance
- You **must** follow the rules of the road and parking rules
- You **must not** drive while drinking





# Criminal Records

- Lifelong impact for people over 18 years old
- May affect future immigration applications
  - Study Permit
  - Temporary Resident Visa



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**WORK PERMIT**  
 CASE TYPE : 24

TRAVEL DOC : PASSPORT  
 BONDED : NO  
 EMPLOYER : OPEN EA  
 OCCUPATION : UNKNOWN  
 EMP LOC : E02  
 FEE STATUS : E02  
 CONDITIONS:  
 1. NOT AUTHORIZED TO WORK FOR ANY EMPLOYER OTHER THAN STATED.  
 2. MUST LEAVE CANADA BY 31 DEC 2007

SURNAME, GIVEN NAMES - NOM DE FAMILLE, PRÉNOMS  
 YOUNG, LUTHER

BIRTH DATE - DATE DE NAISSANCE 09 NOV 1983	SEX - SEXE MALE
COUNTRY OF BIRTH - PAYS DE NAISSANCE KORE REP	COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP - CITOYEN DE KORE REP
OFF. FILE NO. - N° DE RÉF. DU BUREAU	CLIENT ID. - ID DU CLIENT 5622 - 1001
DATE ISSUED - DATE DE DÉLIVRANCE 25 OCT 2006	VALID UNTIL - DATE D'EXPIRATION 31 DEC 2007
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