

FEDERAL COURT

BETWEEN:

NEIL ALLARD
TANYA BEEMISH
DAVID HEBERT
SHAWN DAVEY

Plaintiffs

and

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF CANADA

Defendant

WRITTEN EXAMINATION

TO: **DAVID HEBERT**

The Defendant has chosen to examine the Plaintiff David Hebert for discovery.

You are required to answer the questions in the schedule by affidavit in Form 99B prescribed by the *Federal Courts Rules*.

The affidavit containing the answers is to be served on all other parties by August 15, 2014 pursuant to the Court's Order of May 2, 2014.



DATE: July 22, 2014

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SCHEDULE

I. Background

1. Please provide answers to the following questions regarding your background information:
 - (a) What is your level of education?
 - (b) What is your occupation? If you are currently retired or a disability pensioner, please provide your previous occupation.

II. Financial (Income, Expenses, Assets, and Liabilities)

2. What is your yearly household income from all sources for the past five years (i.e., from January 2009 to the present)? Please outline the income by source (including employment, business, investments, rentals, gifts, government assistance [i.e., disability payments, social assistance], etc.) and provide all supporting documentation, including copies of all income tax filings and notices of assessment/reassessment.
3. Please list and value all of your current assets (e.g., real estate, automobiles, investments, etc.) and liabilities (e.g., mortgages, loans, etc.) and the assets and liabilities of your spouse/partner (if applicable).
4. Please provide particulars of your principal residence (e.g., single family detached house, duplex, apartment, mobile home, etc.), including its size and number of occupants.
5. Please provide an itemized statement of your average monthly expenses, including:
 - (a) housing (e.g., rent, mortgage payments, maintenance, home insurance, property taxes, etc.);
 - (b) utilities (e.g., electricity, natural gas, cable, internet, phone, cellular, water, etc.);

- (c) food and beverages (e.g., groceries, restaurant meals);
- (d) alcohol, tobacco and recreational drugs (both legal and illegal);
- (e) clothing;
- (f) transportation (e.g., car loan/lease payments, gasoline, car insurance, car maintenance, public transit fares, etc.);
- (g) discretionary spending (e.g., entertainment, hobbies, books, vacation travel, sports, recreation, etc.);
- (h) marijuana (to purchase);
- (i) marijuana (to grow); and
- (j) other medications.

6. Have you ever applied for and/or received any source of funding – insurance or otherwise – to cover the costs of producing or purchasing your marijuana? If so, please provide full particulars and relevant documentation.

III. Financial (Marijuana)

7. What equipment did you (or your designated producer) buy (or receive for free) in order to grow your marijuana plants? Please list and value all such equipment (e.g. lamps, de-humidifiers, CO2 tanks, timers, hydroponic equipment, filters, water drums, tubes, boxes, tubs, pots, etc.) and provide all supporting invoices, receipts and other documentation.
8. What structural work did you (or your designated producer) do or cause to have done in order to build the infrastructure in which to grow your marijuana plants (e.g., renovations, retrofitting, construction of particular indoor or outdoor structures, etc.)? Please list all work and provide all supporting invoices, receipts, permits and other documentation.
9. Please itemize any tax credits and/or deductions you (or your designated producer) have claimed and/or received for any of the work you did or caused to be done relating to establishing and operating your marijuana home grow operation. Please provide all

supporting documentation and explain how you calculated any tax credits and/or deductions.

10. How much have you (or your designated producer) spent purchasing marijuana plants and seeds for your marijuana grow operation? Please provide all supporting documentation.
11. If you (or your designated producer) have not spent any amounts to purchase marijuana plants and/or seeds, how and from where were they acquired?
12. How much have you (or your designated producer) spent on growing supplies to grow your marijuana plants? Please list all items (e.g. soil, fertilizer, pesticides, nutrients, etc.) along with an explanation of the annual cost of each, with supporting documentation.
13. If you (or your designated producer) have not spent any amounts on growing supplies, how and from where were they acquired?
14. Do you (or your designated producer) have any other marijuana growing/cultivation-related expenses that have not been covered by the questions posed or the answers that you have given? Please provide full particulars and all supporting documentation.
15. Did you (or your designated producer) disclose the fact that you were growing your own marijuana to your home insurer?
 - (a) If so, were you able to obtain home and/or property insurance to cover your marijuana growing operation?
 - (b) If so, please explain your policy/ies, how much it/they cost(s), the risks it/they cover(s) (e.g., theft, fire, water damage, third party liability, etc.) and how it/they cover(s) activities related to your marijuana grow operation (e.g., limits, conditions, deductibles, etc.). Please provide copies of the policy/ies and all other relevant documentation.

- (c) If you were growing marijuana in premises that were rented, was your landlord aware of this? Please provide any supporting documentation.
16. How much do you (or your designated producer) pay for power/electricity every month to grow your marijuana? Please provide all supporting documentation (e.g., hydro bills for the periods before and after you set up your marijuana grow operation) and explain how you calculated the total spent.
17. How much do you (or your designated producer) pay for water every month to grow your marijuana? Please provide all supporting documentation (e.g., water bills for the periods before and after you set up your marijuana grow operation) and explain how you calculated the total spent.
18. Do you (or your designated producer) have, or have you ever had, a security system in place to protect your marijuana? If so, describe it, including:
- (a) all security-related structures (e.g., fences, blinds, barbed wiring, etc.);
 - (b) all security-related equipment (e.g., motion detectors, safes/storage facilities, alarms on all entrances and entry points including doors and windows, locks on all entrances and entry points including doors and windows, traps, guard dogs/animals [including number of dogs/animals and breed/type of each], cameras including numbers and where they are, vents that mask/capture the smell of the marijuana so that neighbours are not aware of the existence of a grow operation, etc);
 - (c) what each security structure and piece of equipment does;
 - (d) what the security equipment monitors, (e.g., the area that the camera or motion detector captures);
 - (e) records kept by the equipment, (e.g., if recordings are kept of camera footage and if so for how long); and
 - (f) how much you have spent (and how much you continue to spend) on it, including any system monitoring fees.

Please provide all supporting documentation, including alarm certificate(s) and drawing(s) showing all of the above-described security features, and explain how you calculated the total amount spent on your security system.

19. Do you (or your designated producer) keep, or have you ever kept, firearms or other weapons (e.g., batons, tasers, pepper spray, etc.) in your home? If so, have you ever had occasion to use any of these weapons to protect yourself at home? If so, provide details.
20. Describe how you (or your designated producer) have ensured that neighbours and the general public do not discover that you grow marijuana in your home. In particular, how do you prevent the smell of marijuana from escaping your growing operation and what equipment or structures you have built to conceal the marijuana you grow? How you dispose of any marijuana by-products so as not to reveal the presence of a marijuana growing operation in your home?
21. Have you moved since you started to grow your own marijuana?
 - (a) If so, why, when, and from where?
 - (b) Did you disclose the fact that you were growing marijuana before you sold/vacated your home (e.g., disclose this fact to your property manager or landlord, realtor/real estate agent, Multiple Listing Service (MLS,) the purchasers, mortgage broker, anyone else involved in the purchase or potential purchase of the home, etc.)? Please provide all supporting documentation detailing this disclosure.
 - (c) If you did disclose that your home was used to grow marijuana, did you have to sell your home at a discount? If so, what was that discount? Please provide all supporting documentation and explain how the discount was calculated.
 - (d) Did you have your home inspected by a qualified professional (e.g., industrial hygienist, electrician, plumber, contractor, home inspector, etc.) before selling your home to ensure that there was no contamination from your marijuana growing operation? Please provide all supporting documentation, including the costs of any inspection(s) and any inspection report(s).

- (e) Did you have to renovate or remediate the home in which you grew marijuana in any way before selling/vacating it? If so, what work was done and how much did it cost? Please provide all documentation.

IV. Cultivation

- 22. Who cultivates the marijuana that you grow (e.g., you, a designated producer, family member, etc.), and who has done so in the past? Please provide full particulars.
- 23. If you have changed producers or grow sites in the past, please fully explain why.
- 24. How many hours per month does each cultivator spend to cultivate the marijuana?
- 25. Please provide details regarding the remuneration (money or otherwise) each cultivator receives for his or her cultivation work.
- 26. In order to value their labour, please provide, for each cultivator:
 - (a) Profession and/or job title(s); and
 - (b) The salary/remuneration that they receive from their jobs per hour of work (i.e., hourly salary; or, if remuneration is received over some other period [weekly, monthly, annually, etc.], salary divided by number of hours worked).
- 27. Describe the totality of your marijuana growing activities both currently and in the past, including:
 - (a) the number of plants grown;
 - (b) where the plants have been grown and a general description of the location (i.e. in your current home, any previous homes, a warehouse, an apartment/townhouse, etc.), including the lot size;
 - (c) the equipment used (kind/type and quantity);
 - (d) the fertilizer used (kind/type and quantity);
 - (e) the pesticides used (kind/type and quantity);

- (f) how the plants are irrigated (e.g., describe the watering cycles used, etc.);
 - (g) how the plants are provided with sufficient light (e.g., describe the lighting cycles used, etc.);
 - (h) how the marijuana is dried;
 - (i) how the plants are accounted for (i.e., how do you keep track of the number of plants grown);
 - (j) how cross-contamination is prevented;
 - (k) measures taken to ensure that no contaminants are spread outside of the growing area;
 - (l) what is done with extra plants and plant parts that are not consumed;
 - (m) how any excess water runoff is drained from the production site and, if outdoors, where the drainage leads; and
 - (n) how the production site is maintained/cleaned, by whom, how often, and with what chemicals.
28. Please provide any photographs or records (including logs, journals, spreadsheets, computer files, etc.) you have of your marijuana grow operation, including any photos of damage caused by it (e.g., water damage, mould, insects, fire damage, structural damages, etc.).
29. As far as you know, has there ever been any mould in your home while marijuana was being grown there? If so, provide details including the extent to which such mould was related to the growing of marijuana in your home.
30. How many marijuana plants have you grown each year since you started cultivating? In particular, please provide details of the accounting system you employ to keep track of the number of plants grown, lost to disease, or otherwise disposed of.
31. Explain how much dried marijuana (in grams) you have produced each year since you started cultivating.

32. Have you ever stored, possessed, or cultivated more marijuana than authorized by Health Canada? If so, how much more and when?
33. Have you ever grown marijuana, or had someone grow marijuana for you, at a production site other than that approved by Health Canada?
34. As far as you know, have your marijuana plants, including the soil, ever been affected by, or infested with, any kind of disease, insect, toxic mould or substance, or any other kind of sickness or infection? If so, please provide details including:
 - (a) the nature of the issue;
 - (b) when it occurred;
 - (c) how many plants were lost;
 - (d) how you disposed of the 'lost' plants; and
 - (e) what steps (if any) you took to prevent a recurrence.
35. Have you ever given away, sold, or otherwise traded any of the marijuana that you (or someone on your behalf) had cultivated? If so, please fully explain and describe the compensation you received, if any.
36. Have you ever been approached by anyone to grow marijuana illegally? If so, please fully explain.
37. Has anyone ever stolen or attempted to steal your marijuana? If so, please fully explain.
38. How do you dispose the parts of your marijuana plants that you do not use (for example, leaves or stalks)?
39. How do you dispose of the materials you use to cultivate your marijuana (e.g., fertilizer, used water, used containers, used soil, used pesticide boxes/container, etc.)?

40. Have you ever had your marijuana tested for parasites or insect infestation, mould, toxins or other contaminants? If so, please provide full particulars (e.g., who performed the tests, when, for what purposes, cost of testing, what the results were, etc.) and all supporting documentation.
41. Have you ever had your marijuana growing operation inspected by a qualified electrician? If so, please provide full particulars (e.g., who performed the inspection, when, for what purposes, cost of inspection, what the results were, etc.) and all supporting documentation.
42. Have you ever had your marijuana growing operation inspected by a fire safety inspector? If so, please provide full particulars (e.g., who performed the inspection, when, for what purposes, cost of inspection, what the results were, etc.) and all supporting documentation.
43. Has there ever been a fire at the location of your marijuana production site? If so, please fully describe the circumstances, including when it occurred, the cause of the fire, any damage caused by the fire, and provide any supporting documentation.
44. Has any other individual ever inspected your residence? If so, please fully provide full particulars (e.g., who performed the inspection, when, for what purposes, cost of inspection, what the results were, etc.) and all supporting documentation.
45. Have any children lived or been in your home since you began possessing marijuana for medical purposes? If so, please provide the following information along with the corresponding dates (month(s), year(s)):
 - (a) the number of children present and their ages;
 - (b) with respect to children not living in your home, the frequency and duration of their visits; and

- (c) the measures, if any, that you took to ensure that the children did not have access to any of your marijuana or marijuana extracts/products, and the costs associated with these measures if any.
46. How did you learn to cultivate marijuana? In particular, have you ever taken any courses in subject matters that have assisted you in cultivating marijuana (e.g., agriculture, horticulture, botany, gardening, electrical training, etc.)? If so, please provide details (course name, institution attended, dates, cost, etc.) and any supporting documentation.
47. Have you ever had complaints from neighbours or anyone else about your marijuana growing operation? If so, please provide full particulars (e.g., who complained, what they said, how you addressed the complaints, etc.) and any supporting documentation.
48. Have you or anyone else ever been injured (e.g., cuts, abrasions, burns, muscle/tissue damage, fractures, etc.), as a result of marijuana growing activities, whether conducted yourself or on your behalf? If so, please provide details.