Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Hearing Tuesday 3 December 2024

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Adam Michael Fitton
NMC PIN	15G0651E
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse – Sub part 1 Adult Nursing (Level 1) – 18 December 2015
Relevant Location:	Stevenage
Panel members:	Mahjabeen Agha (Chair, Lay member) Naomi Smith (Registrant member) John Anderon (Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Atrracta Wilson
Hearings Coordinator:	Sophie Cubillo-Barsi
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Nawazish Choudhury, Case Presenter
Mr Fitton:	Not present and unrepresented at the hearing
Interim order to be reviewed:	Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)
Outcome of review:	Interim conditions of practice order replaced with an interim suspension order

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to replace the current interim conditions of practice order with an interim suspension order.

The interim suspension order will replace the current interim conditions of practice order with immediate effect.

Unless there has been a material change of circumstances, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at an administrative meeting within the next six months. A reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mr Fitton will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Alternatively, Mr Fitton is entitled to have the interim suspension order reviewed at a hearing. This means that Mr Fitton will be able to attend and make representations, send a representative on Mr Fitton's behalf or submit written representations about whether the interim order continues to be necessary. Mr Fitton must inform his case officer if he would like the interim suspension order to be reviewed at a hearing.

Even if Mr Fitton does not request a hearing, where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the interim suspension order should be revoked or replaced, a reviewing panel will review the interim suspension order at a hearing which Mr Fitton and his representative will be invited to attend.

Mr Fitton should notify the NMC immediately of any material change of circumstances that may affect the interim order.

At any time, Mr Fitton or the NMC may ask for the interim order to be reviewed by a panel if any relevant new information becomes available.

The NMC Case Examiners are yet to decide whether there is a case to answer in relation to the allegations made against Mr Fitton. The NMC will write to Mr Fitton when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mr Fitton in writing.

That concludes this determination.