Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Meeting Monday, 20 May 2024

Virtual Meeting

Name of Registrant: Lois Masara

NMC PIN 05G0286E

Part(s) of the register: Registered Midwife

Midwifery – 19 April 2013

Relevant Location: Essex

Panel members: Rama Krishnan (Chair, Lay member)

Jane Hughes (Registrant member)

Louise Geldart (Lay member)

Hearings Coordinator: Samantha Aguilar

Interim order to be reviewed: Interim suspension order (18 months)

Outcome of review: Interim suspension order confirmed

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to confirm the current interim suspension order.

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

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

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

This decision will be confirmed to Miss Masara in writing.

That concludes this determination.