Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

New Interim Order Hearing Thursday 30 May 2024

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Remya Arakkattu Varghese

NMC PIN 22H1252O

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Adult Nursing (August

2022)

Relevant Location: Basildon

Panel members: Mahjabeen Agha (Chair, Lay member)

Sally Glen(Registrant member)
Amy Barron (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: Andrew Reid

Hearings Coordinator: Sophie Cubillo-Barsi

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by James Wilson, Case

Presenter

Ms Varghese: Not present and unrepresented at the hearing

Interim order directed: Interim suspension order (18 months)

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to make an interim suspension order.

Unless Ms Varghese case has already been concluded or there has been a material change of circumstances, a panel will review the interim suspension order at a review meeting within the next six months and every six months thereafter. The reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Ms Varghese will be notified of the panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

Where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the order should be revoked or replaced, or there has been a request for an early review, a panel will review the interim order at a hearing which Ms Varghese will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on her behalf or submit written representations for the panel to consider. At any such review hearing the reviewing panel may revoke the interim order, it may confirm the interim suspension order or it may replace it with an interim conditions of practice order.

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

This will be confirmed to Ms Varghese in writing.

That concludes this determination.