Nursing and Midwifery Council Fitness to Practise Committee

Interim Order Review Hearing Tuesday, 9 April 2024

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: Anca Podgoreanu

NMC PIN 14E0468C

Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Sub Part 1

Adult Nursing - RN1 - 23 May 2014

Relevant Location: Manchester

Panel members: Louise Fox (Chair, Lay member)

Allwin Jay Mercer (Registrant member)

Susan Laycock (Lay member)

Legal Assessor: John Bromley-Davenport KC

Hearings Coordinator: Elizabeth Fagbo

Nursing and Midwifery Council: Represented by Mohsin Malik, Case

Presenter

Ms Podgoreanu: Present and represented by Catherine

Collins, instructed by the Royal College of

Nursing (RCN)

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 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 you will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

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

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

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

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

A panel of the Fitness to Practise Committee has still to deal with the allegations made against you. The NMC will keep you informed of developments in relation to that issue. The substantive hearing is scheduled to start on 15 July 2024.

This will be confirmed to you in writing.

That concludes this determination.