Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

New Interim Order Hearing Tuesday, 5 December 2023

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Roy Nhipura
	19C0107E
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse Mental Health Nursing – 14 July 2020
Relevant Location:	Derbyshire
Panel members:	Jill Wells(Chair, Lay member)Jane Hughes(Registrant member)Neil Calvert(Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Andrew Granville–Stafford
Hearings Coordinator:	Samantha Aguilar
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Debbie Churaman, Case Presenter
Mr Nhipura:	Not present and not represented 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 for a period of 18 months.

Unless Mr Nhipura's 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 Mr Nhipura 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 Mr Nhipura will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on his 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 allegation made against Mr Nhipura. The NMC will write to Mr Nhipura when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mr Nhipura in writing.

That concludes this determination.