

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Hearing
Monday, 20 November 2023**

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Rahima Begum Hoque
NMC PIN	92Y1134E
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse – Sub Part 1 Adult Nursing (Level 1) – 15 December 1995
Relevant Location:	Leicester
Panel members:	Godfried Attafua (Chair, registrant member) Jane Hughes (Registrant member) Louise Geldart (Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	George Alliot
Hearings Coordinator:	Dilay Bekteshi
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by James Edenborough, Case Presenter
Mrs Hoque:	Not present and not represented at the hearing
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. A reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mrs Hoque will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

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

Even if Mrs Hoque does 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 Mrs Hoque will be invited to attend.

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

At any time, Mrs Hoque 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 Mrs Hoque. The NMC will write to Mrs Hoque when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Hoque in writing.

That concludes this determination.