Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Meeting Thursday, 26 October 2023

Virtual Meeting

Name of Registrant: Karen Elizabeth May Frew

NMC PIN 80G0240N

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

Learning disabilities nursing (Level 1) 20

November 1998

Registered Nurse – Sub Part 2 General Nursing (Level 2) 06 October 1982

Relevant Location: Belfast

Panel members: Mahjabeen Agha (Chair, lay member)

Debbie Holroyd (Registrant member)

Simon Shevlin (Lay member)

Hearings Coordinator: Eyram Anka

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 Mrs Frew'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. A panel will be invited by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mrs Frew 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 Mrs Frew will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mrs Frew's behalf or submit written representations for the panel to consider. At any such review hearing the 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.

This will be confirmed to Mrs Frew in writing.

That concludes this determination.