Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

Interim Order Review Hearing Friday, 13 June 2025

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant: **Amy Agnes McWilliams** NMC PIN: 12I2125S Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse – Sub Part 1 Adult Nursing (Level 1) 08 September 2016 Relevant Location: South Lanarkshire Panel members: Jill Robinson (Chair, Registrant member) Sally Glen (Registrant member) Simon Shevlin (Lay member) Legal Assessor: Graeme Dalgleish **Hearings Coordinator:** Petra Bernard **Nursing and Midwifery Council:** Represented by Beverley Da Costa (Counsel), Case Presenter Miss McWilliams: Not present and not represented at the hearing Interim order to be reviewed: Interim conditions of practice order (18 months)

confirmed

Interim conditions of practice order

Outcome of review:

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to confirm the current interim conditions of practice order.

The panel has determined that the following conditions are proportionate and appropriate:

'For the purposes of these conditions, 'employment' and 'work' mean any paid or unpaid post in a nursing, midwifery or nursing associate role.

Also, 'course of study' and 'course' mean any course of educational study connected to nursing, midwifery or nursing associates.

- You must limit your nursing practice to a single substantive employer. This can be found through an agency, but any placement must be at a single place of employment for a period of no less than three months.
- You must not be the nurse in charge while practising as a registered nurse.
- 3. You must ensure that you are supervised by another registered nurse any time you are working. Your supervision must consist of working at all times on the same shifts as, but not always directly observed by another registered nurse.
- 4. [PRIVATE].
- [PRIVATE].
- 6. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are working by:
 - Telling your case officer within seven days of accepting or leaving any employment.
 - b) Giving your case officer your employer's contact details.

- 7. You must keep the NMC informed about anywhere you are studying by:
 - Telling your case officer within seven days of accepting any course of study.
 - b) Giving your case officer the name and contact details of the organisation offering that course of study.
- 8. You must immediately give a copy of these conditions to:
 - a) Any organisation or person you work for.
 - Any agency you apply to or are registered with for work.
 - c) Any employers you apply to for work (at the time of application).
 - d) Any establishment you apply to (at the time of application), or with which you are already enrolled, for a course of study.
- 9. You must tell your NMC case officer, within seven days of your becoming aware of:
 - a) Any clinical incident you are involved in.
 - b) Any investigation started against you.
 - c) Any disciplinary proceedings taken against you.
- 10. You must allow your NMC case officer to share, as necessary, details about your performance, your compliance with and / or progress under these conditions with:
 - a) Any current or future employer.
 - b) Any educational establishment.
 - c) Any other person(s) involved in your retraining and/or supervision required by these conditions'.

The panel decided to confirm and continue the interim conditions of practice order, and it will run for the remainder of the current interim order.

Unless Miss McWilliams' case has already been concluded, this interim order must be reviewed before the end of the next six months and every six months thereafter.

Additionally, Miss McWilliams or the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) may ask for the interim order to be reviewed if any new evidence becomes available that may be relevant to the interim order.

At any review a panel may revoke the interim order or any condition of it, it may confirm the interim order, or vary any condition of it, or it may replace the interim conditions of practice order with an interim suspension order.

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

This will be confirmed to Miss McWilliams in writing.

That concludes this determination.