Nursing and Midwifery Council Investigating Committee

New Interim Order Hearing Monday, 22 September 2025

Virtual Hearing

Mr Ian Sorzano

Interim suspension order (18 months)

Name of Registrant: NMC PIN: 99C1728E Part(s) of the register: Registered Nurse - Sub Part 1 Mental Health Nursing (Level 1) - April 2002 **Relevant Location:** Brent Panel members: Dr Gary Tanner (Chair, lay member) Marianne Scott (Registrant member) Niall McDermott (Lay member) Graeme Henderson Legal Assessor: **Hearings Coordinator:** Ekaette Uwa **Nursing and Midwifery Council:** Represented by Leesha Whawell, Case Presenter Mr Sorzano: Not present and unrepresented

Interim order directed:

Decision and reasons on interim order

The panel decided to make an interim suspension order for a period of 18 months.

Unless Mr Sorzano'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 NMC to confirm the interim suspension order at this meeting and Mr Sorzano 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 Sorzano will be invited to attend in person, send a representative on Mr Sorzano'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.

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

This will be confirmed to Mr Sorzano in writing.

That concludes this determination.