

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**New Interim Order Hearing
Thursday 23 April 2026**

Virtual Hearing

Name of Registrant:	Eric Ninying Kecha
NMC PIN:	23G3082E
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse Mental Health Nursing – 9 August 2024
Relevant Location:	Kent and Medway
Panel members:	Kiran Gill (Chair, Lay member) Yvonne Thomson (Registrant member) Simon Shevlin (Lay member)
Legal Assessor:	Gillian Hawken
Hearings Coordinator:	Jumu Ahmed
Nursing and Midwifery Council:	Represented by Raj Joshi, Case Presenter
Mr Kecha:	Not present and not represented
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 Kecha'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 Kecha 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 Kecha 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 allegations made against Mr Kecha. The NMC will write to Mr Kecha when the case is ready for the next stage of the fitness to practise process.

This will be confirmed to Mr Kecha in writing.

That concludes this determination.