

**Nursing and Midwifery Council
Investigating Committee**

**Interim Order Review Meeting
Wednesday 5 August 2026**

Virtual Meeting

Name of Registrant:	Benjamin Rettie Cooper
NMC PIN:	05I0326S
Part(s) of the register:	Registered Nurse Adult – RNA – September 2008 Nurse Independent / Supplementary Prescriber V300 – November 2023
Relevant Location:	Aberdeenshire
Panel members:	Mahjabeen Agha (Chair, lay member) Naomi Smith (Registrant member) Leon Jacobs (Lay member)
Hearings Coordinator:	Shela Begum
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. The reviewing panel will be invited by the NMC to confirm the order at this meeting and Mr Cooper will be notified of that panel's decision in writing following that meeting.

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

Even if Mr Cooper does not request a hearing, where there has been a material change of circumstances that might mean that the order should be revoked or replaced, a panel will review the order at a hearing to which Mr Cooper and his representative will be invited to attend.

This decision will be confirmed to Mr Cooper in writing.

That concludes this determination.