



**Report of the Fitness to Practise Committee
following an Inquiry held pursuant to Part 8
of the Medical Practitioners Act 2007**

Registered Medical Practitioner:	Dr Wan Wan Ahmad
Registration Number:	060382
Registered Address:	28 Laverna Dale Castleknock Dublin 15
Date of Inquiry:	14th and 21st September 2015
Members of Inquiry Committee:	Ms Cornelia Stuart Chair Ms Annette Durkan Dr Abdul Bulbulia
Legal Assessor:	Ms Patricia Dillon SC
Appearances - For the Chief Executive:	Mr. JP McDowell of Mc Dowell Purcell Solicitors.
For the Practitioner:	Terence Moran of Hayes Solicitors

Findings of the Committee:

Allegation 1:

That Following selection for participation in an audit by the Medical Council on or around 24 October 2013, failed to comply with Section 94(1) and/or 94(2) of the Act and/or one or more of the rules set out in the Rules for the Maintenance of Professional Competence (No. 1) (SI No. 171/2011)

Having regard to the evidence adduced, the Committee found that :

Allegation 1 was proven as to fact.

Reason: Admitted by Dr Ahmad and by the evidence of Mr Simon King and the documentary evidence provided to the Committee.

Allegation 1 did amount to Contravention of the Act and the Rules the Maintenance of Professional Competence (No. 1) (SI No. 171/2011)

Reason: The Committee is satisfied that the admitted conduct amounts to non-compliance with 23 section 94(2) of the Medical Practitioners Act and with rules 5 and 6 of the Rules.

Allegation 2:

That During the period on or around 01 November 2013 to on or around 01 August 2014, on one or more occasion(s) failed to respond adequately or at all to correspondence from the Professional Competence Department of the Medical Council

Allegation 2 was proven as to fact.

Reason: Admitted by Dr Ahmad and also on the evidence given by Mr Simon King.

Allegation 2 did amount to professional misconduct.

Reason: The Committee is satisfied beyond a reasonable doubt that the failure to respond at all to the Professional Competence Department between the 1st November 2013 and 1st August 2014 amounts to disgraceful conduct within the meaning of the definition.

The Committee rejects the explanation provided today by Dr Ahmad that he did not open his post or if he did open his post he did not read this correspondence, which he accepts was clearly identified as emanating from the Medical Council. The Committee did not find the explanation provided by Dr Ahmad credible at all.

The Committee had regard to the facts that Dr Ahmad was previously dealt with leniently on a similar issue and that he corresponded with the audit department on that issue at that time in 2013.

Allegation 3:

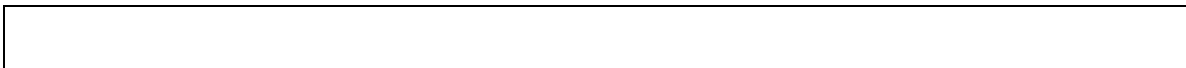
That Dr Ahmad failed to comply adequately or at all with a notice in writing to you dated 3 February 2015 from the Preliminary Proceedings Committee requiring you to supply the Preliminary Proceedings Committee with information in relation to the complaint and as such breached Section 59(8) of the Medical Practitioners Act, 2007

Allegation 3 was proven as to fact.

Reason: Admitted by Dr Ahmad, the evidence given by Mr Conor Doyle and the documentary evidence provided to the Committee.

Allegation 3 did amount to a breach of the Medical Practitioners Act 2007

Reason: The Committee were satisfied that the admitted conduct amounts to a breach of sections of the Medical Practitioners Act 2007 by reason of non-compliance with the notice and wording of correspondence dated the 3rd of February 2015 from the PPC



C Stuart

Chairperson

21st September 2015