

HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL

Registration under the Professions Supplementary To Medicine Act 1960

Until such time as the register maintained under the Health Professions Order 2001 opens, the Council has an obligation to deal with applications for registration and restoration to the register made under the Professions Supplementary To Medicine Act 1960 (“the 1960 Act”).

Section 2(1) of the 1960 provides that

“it shall be the duty of each board to prepare and maintain a register...”

and rules made under the 1960 Act, the Professions Supplementary to Medicine (Registration Rules) Order in Council 1962 (as amended), provide (at Rule 130 that:

“where a name has been removed from the register otherwise than in pursuance of a direction by a disciplinary committee the appropriate board may restore it ...”

As Council members will be aware, the 2001 Order provides (at) that the 1960 Act and instruments made under it are now to be read as if references to the boards and CPSM were reference to the Council.. Consequently, Council is asked to approve following:

RESOLVED;

- 1. That applications for registration or restoration to the register under the Professions Supplementary To Medicine Act 1960 be determined by Council;**
- 2. That consideration of such applications be delegated to a committee comprised of the Chairman of the Registration Committee and two other members of Council, one of whom shall be a registrant from the same part of the 1960 Act register as the applicant;**
- 3. That the Committee shall report any decision to refuse registration or restoration to the next meeting of Council.**