

HEARING AID COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

**Meeting of the  
DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE**

Held at:  
Inglewood Manor  
Badgers Rake Lane  
Ledsham, South Wirral  
Cheshire, CH66 8PF  
On

Monday, 7 September 2009

PRESENT:

**(THE CHAIR)**  
CHRIS HUGHES

**Panel Members:**  
PETER ORMEROD  
MICHAEL BISHOP  
TONY COCORAN

MS JULIE NORRIS appeared on behalf of the Hearing Aid Council.

**In the matter of:**  
MR HARRISON

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1 MISS NORRIS: This is an unopposed application for restoration. You should have a  
2 small bundle of papers, Mr Harrison, and I hope has a bundle as well. You will see from  
3 the statement of Mr O'Leary the chronology of this matter. I will cut it down. In short, it is  
4 this. As of 1st April 2007, Mr Harrison had not paid his fees nor submitted his form. As is  
5 required under the procedural rules, two warning letters were sent, one by Recorded  
6 Delivery, and by 20th August no fees and no retention had been received and therefore  
7 Mr O'Leary removed Mr Harrison from the register. Moving forward to July 14th of this  
8 year, the Council received a letter from Mr Harrison setting out the circumstances of his  
9 not wishing to be on the register for a period of time and wishing to come back on, and  
10 asking for restoration. You will see that at page 8 and also page 11. The Council do not  
11 oppose this application. We accept the reasons put forward by Mr Harrison but would  
12 ask, should you accede to the application, to consider costs and also back-dating the  
13 retention fee.

14 *(The Panel withdrew)*

15 THE CHAIRMAN: We are directing restoration to the register. We are directing you to  
16 fulfil, within the next three months, so it is before you go back on the road, one  
17 week of full time CPD to ensure you are up to date with the audiology and in  
18 particular with the evolution of technology over the last three years and report to the  
19 Registrar on what you have done and demonstrate you have done it. That is it.

20 *(An application in relation to costs was made by the Council and the Committee withdrew*  
21 *to consider this matter.)*

1 THE CHAIRMAN: The committee direct you pay the pro rata retention fee within 14 days  
2 and the costs of £691 within two months.

3 *(Adjourned)*

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