#### **GENERAL DENTAL COUNCIL**

#### AND

#### **BUJTAR**, Peter

[Registration number: 188964]

#### **NOTICE OF INQUIRY**

#### SUBSTANTIVE HEARING

Notice that an inquiry will be conducted by a Practice Committee of the General Dental Council commencing at **10:00am** on **13 January 2025** to be held at

The General Dental Council 37 Wimpole Street London W1G 8DQ

Please note that some days of this hearing will take place in person at the Wimpole Street address listed above and some days will take place by remote video conference. Which days will be held in person or by remote video conference may be decided by the Committee during the hearing

The heads of charge contained within this sheet are current at the date of publication. They are subject to amendments at any time before or during the hearing. For the final charge, findings of fact and determination against the registrant, please visit the Recent Decisions page at <a href="https://www.dentalhearings.org/hearings-and-decisions/decisions">https://www.dentalhearings.org/hearings-and-decisions/decisions</a> after this hearing has finished.

Committee members: Sue Stevens Dentist Chair

Kam Sandhu Lay

Sharon Allen DCP

**Legal Adviser:** Keneth Hammer

#### **CHARGE**

BUJTAR, Peter, a dentist, DMD Semmelweis University 2009 is summoned to appear before the Professional Conduct Committee on 1 January 2025 for an inquiry into the following charge:

#### The Charge

"The hearing will be held to consider the following charge against you:

That, being registered as a dentist:

- 1. You failed to maintain an adequate standard of care between July 2018 and June 2020, in that you:
  - (a) failed to carry out sufficient treatment planning in relation to the patients and dates in Schedule 1:
  - (b) failed to provide the patient with all the risks and benefits of treatment in relation to the patients and dates in Schedule 2:
  - (c) failed to provide an adequate standard of treatment in relation to the patients, dates and treatment in Schedule 3.
- 2. You failed to obtain informed consent between January 2019 and September 2019, in relation to the patients, dates and treatment in Schedule 4.
- 3. You failed to maintain an adequate standard of radiographic practice between January 2019 and March 2020, in that you failed to justify and/or adequately report on radiographs taken in relation to the patients and dates in Schedule 5.
- 4. You failed to maintain an adequate standard of record keeping between January 2019 and March 2020 in relation to the patients and dates in Schedule 6.
- 5. You failed to inform Patient A that you had, in error, inserted a filling into the LR3 on 11 April 2019 instead of the LR2, on, or shortly after:
  - (a) 11 July 2019;
  - (b) 19 November 2019;
  - (c) 27 November 2019;
  - (d) 18 December 2019;
  - (e) 4 February 2020;
  - (f) 11 February 2020.
- 6. You recorded an entry in Patient A's clinical notes on 11 July 2019 stating "periodontal injury of the LR3 has been suspected" when the root of the LR3 had been damaged as a consequence of the surgery.
- 7. You failed to inform Patient A's General Dental Practitioner ("GDP") of the surgical

injury to Patient A's LR3 in letters dated:

- (a) 18 July 2019;
- (b) 27 November 2019.
- 8. You failed to inform Patient A of the surgical injury caused to his LR3 on 11 April 2019, until 17 March 2020.
- 9. Your conduct at allegations 5 to 8 above was:
  - (a) misleading;
  - (b) a failure to adhere to your duty of candour;
  - (c) dishonest.

And that, by reason of the facts alleged, your fitness to practise is impaired by reason of misconduct."

Schedule 1

# (Treatment planning)

Patient	Date	Treatment
А	25 January 2019 – 11 April 2019	Implant at LR1
Н	20 July 2018 – 24 June 2019	Sinus lift with implants at UR5 and UR6
J	22 May 2019 – 4 September 2019	Periodontal treatment
K	1 August 2019 – 3 October 2019	Sinus graft and implant at UL6
N	26 June 2019 – 20 September 2019	4 implants
0	18 April 2019 – 18 July 2019	Implant at UL7

### Schedule 2

### (Risks and benefits of treatment)

Patient	Date
Α	25 January 2019 – 11 July
	2019
N	26 June 2019 – 20 September
	2019
0	18 April 2019 – 18 July 2019

## Schedule 3

## (Poor standard of treatment)

Patient	Date	Treatment
A	25 January 2019 – 9 June 2020	Implant at LR1
К	1 August 2019 – 3 October 2019	Implant at UL6
N	26 June 2019 – 20 September 2019	Implant at UL2
0	18 April 2019 – 18 July 2019	Implant at UL7

# Schedule 4

#### (Informed consent)

Patient	Date	Treatment
Α	25 January 2019 – 19 November	Implant at LR1
	2019	
N	26 June 2019 – 20 September	4 Implants
	2019	
0	18 April 2019 – 18 July 2019	Implant at UL7

# Schedule 5

### (Radiographic practice)

Patient	Date
Α	25 January 2019 – 19 November
	2019
D	26 November 2019
E	10 October 2019
F	11 September 2019 – 11 December
l	2019
G	10 September 2019 – 19 December
9	2019
Н	20 July 2018 – 10 September 2019
К	1 August 2019 – 3 March 2020
L	23 October 2019
M	28 February 2020
N	26 June 2019 – 27 November 2019
0	18 April 2019 – 25 February 2020

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## Schedule 6

### (Record keeping)

Patient	Date
Α	25 January 2019 – 9 June 2020
С	6 December 2019 – 6 February 2020
D	26 November 2019 – 18 December 2019
E	10 October 2019
G	10 September 2019 – 19 December 2019
Н	20 July 2018 – 18 June 2020
I	17 August 2018 – 8 February 2019
J	22 May 2019 – 4 September 2019
K	1 August 2019 – 3 March 2020
N	26 June 2019 – 20 September 2019
0	18 April 2019 – 18 July 2019