GENERAL DENTAL COUNCIL

AND

AZAM, Zeeshan

[Registration number: 229829]

NOTICE OF INQUIRY

SUBSTANTIVE HEARING

Notice that an inquiry will be conducted by a Practice Committee of the General Dental Council, to be held at:

The General Dental Council 37 Wimpole Street London W1G 8DQ

Commencing at 10:00am on 3 March 2025.

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 https://www.dentalhearings.org/hearings-and-decisions/decisions after this hearing has finished.

Committee members		
Diane Meikle Janda-Dhami Amita	Lay Dentist	Chair
Laura Owen	DCP	
Legal Adviser		
Megan Ashworth	Legal Adviser	

<u>CHARGE</u>

Zeeshan AZAM, a dentist, BDS University of Plymouth 2012 is summoned to appear before the Professional Conduct Committee on 3 March 2025 for an inquiry into the following charge:

"That, being a registered dentist:

- 1. You failed to provide an adequate standard of care to Patient 1 on 15 March 2023, in that you incorrectly extracted their UL3.
- 2. You failed to notify the GDC of a complaint made against you on 23 June 2023, within 7 days of this complaint being made.
- 3. Your conduct in Charge 2. was:
 - a. In breach of condition 6 of your GDC undertakings;
 - b. misleading,
 - c. lacking integrity;
 - d. dishonest, in that you knew you were required to notify the GDC of a complaint made against you within 7 days of it being made.

AND that by reason of the matters alleged above your fitness to practise is impaired by reasons of misconduct."