

Committee Membership

Executive Summary and Recommendations

Introduction

Article 19 (2) of the Health Professions Order 2001 (the Order) states that ‘the number of registered professionals on a Practice Committee may, but need not, exceed the number of other members on the Committee and shall not in any case exceed that number by more than one’.

At Council’s last meeting on Tuesday 7th December 2004 it noted that as currently constituted the Investigating and Conduct and Competence Committees did not meet the membership requirements set out in the Order as the number of registered professionals exceeded the number of other members by three. Therefore two of the registered professionals were asked to resign voluntarily from the Committee. The Council agreed that the Executive work with the President to agree a revised membership for both Committees which conformed with the requirement of the Order, taking into account as far as possible the opinions of the Committee Chairmen and current members.

The following Committee members voluntarily put their names forward to step down from the Investigating Committee which was ratified by Council on Tuesday 18th January 2005.

Mrs Gill Pearson
Mr David Whitmore

Decision

This information is to note only. No decision is required.

Background information

The Privy Council had appointed Mr David Whitmore as the alternate paramedic member on Council in place of Mr Michael Collins who resigned from Council, the Education and Training Committee and the Investigating Committee on 16th October 2003.

Resource implications

None

Financial implications

None

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