CHINESE MEDICINE ORDINANCE (Chapter 549)

ORDER MADE BY THE CHINESE MEDICINE PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF THE CHINESE MEDICINE COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

Notice is hereby given that the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board of the Chinese Medicine Council of Hong Kong, after inquiry on 16 February 2023 conducted pursuant to section 98(2) of the Chinese Medicine Ordinance (Chapter 549, Laws of Hong Kong), was satisfied that the following charges of professional misconduct against LAI Yuk-wing, registered Chinese medicine practitioner (registration no.: 000359), is proved:—

- (1) having been convicted at the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Kowloon City Magistrates' Courts on 9 September 2020 of an offence, namely, 'indecent assault', contrary to section 122(1) of the Crimes Ordinance, Chapter 200, Laws of Hong Kong, and hence breached section 98(2)(a) of the Chinese Medicine Ordinance for having been convicted in Hong Kong of an offence punishable with imprisonment; and
- (2) failing to report to the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board within 28 days after being convicted of the offence punishable with imprisonment stated in (1) above, contrary to section 1(2) of Part 3 of the Code of Professional Conduct for Registered Chinese Medicine Practitioners in Hong Kong, and hence was found guilty in Hong Kong or elsewhere of misconduct in a professional respect and in breach of the conditions imposed by the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board on his practice of Chinese medicine under section 98(2)(b) and 98(2)(e) of the Chinese Medicine Ordinance respectively.

Pursuant to section 98(3) of the Chinese Medicine Ordinance, the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board ordered on 16 February 2023 that for the above established charge (1), the name of LAI Yuk-wing be removed from the Register of Chinese Medicine Practitioners for 18 months, with effect from 28 April 2023; and for the above established charge (2), LAI Yuk-wing be reprimanded.

In accordance with section 104 of the Chinese Medicine Ordinance, the above order made by the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board of the Chinese Medicine Council of Hong Kong is hereby published.

WONG Yu-yeuk Chairman, The Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board of the Chinese Medicine Council of Hong Kong