

NURSES REGISTRATION ORDINANCE (Chapter 164)

ORDER MADE BY THE NURSING COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

It is hereby notified that the Nursing Council of Hong Kong ('the Council'), after due inquiry held on 21 April 2022, 18 July 2022, 7 June 2023 and 4 October 2023 in accordance with section 17 of the Nurses Registration Ordinance, Chapter 164 of the Laws of Hong Kong, was satisfied that Ms. WONG Ka-ling, being a registered nurse (Registration No. RNGF032374), was guilty of unprofessional conduct, that during residence of the Patient at the Hong Kong Adventist Hospital—Tsuen Wan ('HKAH-TW') on 28 September 2017, Ms. WONG, being a registered nurse of the HKAH-TW, failed to be responsible and accountable for individual nursing judgements and actions by failing to perform independent checking and confirm the correct dosage of the intravenous infusion drug (i.e. 80mg of Gentamicin) according to medical prescription before administration to the Patient; and failed to administer the correct dosage of the intravenous infusion drug to the Patient according to medical prescription (i.e. administered 800mg instead of 80mg of Gentamicin), thus putting the interests and safety of the Patient at risk.

In accordance with section 17 of the Nurses Registration Ordinance, the Council ordered on 4 October 2023 that the name of Ms. WONG Ka-ling be removed from the register of nurses for a period of three months, and that such decision be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette with an account of the proceedings.

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