Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann
Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland

Summary minutes of the hybrid meeting of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (NMBI) held on Wednesday, 1 July 2026 starting at 9.00hrs.

Members attending in person

Ms Áine Lynch, President of NMBI
Ms Somy Thomas
Ms Muireann Ní Shúilleabháin
Dr Des Cawley
Ms Anne Marie Duffy
Dr Conan McKenna
Mr Terry McGonigal
Mr Ray Dolan

Members attending online

Dr Gráinne Gaffney, Vice President of NMBI
Ms Karina O'Sullivan
Dr Margaret Murphy
Ms Mittu Alungal
Mr John Horan
Ms Louise Collins
Ms Marie Lavelle
Mr Mark Johnston

In attendance

Ms Carolyn Donohoe, Chief Executive Officer
Ms Orla Crowe, Director of Fitness to Practise
Ms Veronica O'Rourke, Senior Staff Officer, Fitness to Practise Department
Ms Niamh McDonald, FTP Liaison Officer
Ms Orla Coady, Governance and Secretariat Manager
Mr John Sadlier, Head of PPC
Mr Mohamed Nader, Fitness to Practise Secretariat
Mr Cathal Ó Curraín, Legal Director, Addleshaw Goddard

Item 1 – Apologies and conflicts of interest

1.1 Apologies were received from Dr Lydia Buckley, Ms Mary Leahy, Dr Aileen Lynch, Ms Sonia Shortt, Ms Niamh Murphy and Ms Kate O'Halloran.

1.2 The President reminded Board members of the provisions of the conflict-of-interest policy. The President then asked Board members to review the agenda to identify any conflicts of interest.

The President advised members that matters discussed during this hybrid meeting were to remain confidential to Board members and attendees.

Items 2-10 – Fitness to practise matters

The Board considered the following:

- One no prima facie recommendation from the Preliminary Proceedings Committee.
- One application pursuant to section 50(3) of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011, as amended.
- One application pursuant to section 55(6) of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011, as amended.
- Eight applications pursuant to section 55(1) of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended).
- Two reports of the Fitness to Practise Committee of Inquiry.
- Two requests from the Fitness to Practise Committee pursuant to section 65 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended).
- Two reports of undertakings received from the Fitness to Practise Committee pursuant to section 65 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2011 (as amended).

Item 10 – Any other FTP business

10.1 There being no further matters for consideration, the meeting ended at 14.33hrs

Signed: _____

Date: _____