



## **MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS DISCIPLINARY TRIBUNAL**

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**DECISION NO:** 288/04/119C

**IN THE MATTER** of the Medical Practitioners Act 1995

-AND-

**IN THE MATTER** of a charge laid by a Complaints  
Assessment Committee pursuant to  
Section 93(1)(b) of the Act against C  
medical practitioner of xx

### **BEFORE THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS DISCIPLINARY TRIBUNAL**

**TRIBUNAL:** D B Collins QC (Chair)

Dr F Bennett, Dr I Civil, Dr M Honeyman and Ms S Cole (Members)

Ms G J Fraser (Secretary)

Hearing held by way of telephone conference on 7 June 2004 at 7.30pm

**NOTICE OF TRIBUNAL'S DECISION IN RELATION TO APPLICATION**

**BY CAC TO AMEND THE CHARGE**

1. Doctor C has been charged by a CAC with conduct unbecoming a medical practitioner which reflects adversely upon his fitness to practise.
2. On 13 May 2004 the CAC applied to the Tribunal to amend the charge to one of professional misconduct and, in the alternative, conduct unbecoming which reflects adversely on the practitioner's fitness to practise.
3. The Tribunal convened by way of telephone conference on the evening of 7 June 2004 to consider the CAC's application. The Tribunal has unanimously granted the CAC's application.
4. The reasons for the Tribunal granting the application will be delivered as soon as reasonably practicable. It is anticipated that the Tribunal's reasons for its decision will not be available until mid July

**DATED** at Wellington this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 2004.

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D B Collins QC

Chair

Medical Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal