Health Professions Council Council – 2nd March 2005

Restorations Practice Note

Executive Summary and Recommendations

1. Introduction

Article 33(1) of the Health Professions Order 2001 ("the 2001 Order") provides that 'Where a person who has been struck off the register by virtue of an order made by a Practice Committee or the court, wishes to be restored to the register, he shall make an application for restoration to the register. The attached practice note sets out the process that should be followed when an applicant applies for restoration to the register.

The Health Committee and Conduct and Competence Committee approved this practice note at their meetings on 9th February 2005 and 15th February 2005 and recommended that Council do the same.

2. Decision

The Council/Committee is asked to approve the practice note on restorations.

3. Background information

There is an intention to incorporate all of the practice notes into one accessible document so it is readily available to all parties involved in the fitness to practice proceedings.

4. Resource implications

None

5. Financial implications

None

6. Background papers

None

7. Appendices

None

8. Date of paper

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