

NOVA SCOTIA COLLEGE OF PHARMACISTS
HEARING PANEL

IN THE MATTER OF: The *Pharmacy Act*, R.S.N.S. 2001, c.36 and Regulations made thereunder and s.51(1)

-and-

IN THE MATTER OF: [REDACTED], Registrant

DECISION OF THE HEARING COMMITTEE

July 13, 2018

By letter dated July 3, 2018 the above noted matter was referred to the Hearing Committee pursuant to section 51(1) (a) of the Pharmacy Act. 2011, c.11, s.1 (the Act). That section provides as follows:

51 (1) Where a registrant

(a) has been charged with, pleaded guilty to, been convicted or been found to be guilty of any offence in or out of Canada that is inconsistent with the proper professional behaviour of a registrant, including a conviction under the Criminal Code (Canada), the Food and Drug Act (Canada), the Controlled Drug and Substances Act (Canada) or such other legislation as is set out in the regulations, unless a pardon has been issued;

....

or it is otherwise required pursuant to this Act or the regulations, the Registrar shall immediately refer the matter to the Hearing Committee with a summary of the matter to be addressed, and shall provide the person with a copy of the summary.

We have been provided with information that the College received from [REDACTED] and correspondence between [REDACTED] and the College which appears to establish that [REDACTED] has been charged with, pleaded guilty to, been convicted or been found to be guilty of any offence in Canada.

The Committee has determined that it is appropriate to convene a Hearing to determine whether disciplinary action should be taken pursuant to section 51 (4) of the Act.

In anticipation of the Hearing, the Committee requests that Counsel for the College consult with [REDACTED] to facilitate the production of relevant documentation at the Hearing and in particular to produce certificates of conviction, if applicable.

DATED at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 20th day of July, 2018


Susan Halliday Mahar, Chair

Committee members:
Susan Halliday Mahar, Chair (pharmacist)
Tom Mahaffey (public representative)
Krista Trider (pharmacist)