

Discipline Case Digest



COLLEGE OF
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File: 006-01

Allegation:

A complaint was submitted against a College member that they had committed an indictable offence. And as such, this matter fell under the College's Indictable Offence Policy for Members: Where existing members of the College are convicted of an indictable offence and the College is made aware of the conviction, or a complaint of "unprofessional conduct" arising from a conviction is filed, the member may be investigated by the Discipline Committee, under section 24 (1)(a)(ii) of the Act (conduct unbecoming a practising member), for a decision as to whether the matter should be referred to a hearing before a Discipline Panel.

Member Action:

The Subject Member issued an apology, indicated they regretted the incident and pledged to be more diligent in the future.

Decision:

The Discipline Committee noted that the offence in question was not an indictable offence and therefore did not fall within the policy cited in the complaint and was therefore dismissed.