

**BEFORE THE FITNESS TO PRACTISE COMMITTEE  
OF THE GENERAL OPTICAL COUNCIL**

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**IO(23)09**

**AND**

**RAVI BHOJWANI (01-18000)**

**PRIVATE HEARING**

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**NOTICE OF SIXTH REVIEW OF AN INTERIM ORDER**

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On 25 July 2023, the Fitness to Practise Committee imposed a suspension order for a period of 18 months.

On 04 January 2024, the Fitness to Practise Committee replaced the interim order of suspension with an interim order of conditions. On 05 March 2024, 29 July 2024 and 14 January 2025, the Fitness to Practise Committee continued the interim order of conditions.

On 20 January 2025, the High Court extended the interim order of conditions for a period of 9 months. On 25 March 2025, the Fitness to Practise Committee varied and continued the interim order of conditions.

Take notice that a hearing to review an interim conditional order in respect of the above registered optometrist will be made before the Fitness to Practise Committee of the General Optical Council at a private hearing.

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**Hearing on the papers**

A sixth review of the Interim Order will take place on the papers on **Monday 08 September 2025**. Registrant will **not** be invited to attend.

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**Live Hearing**

If the Registrant objects to the case being heard on the papers it will be heard at a live hearing. The following will apply:

A sixth review of the Interim Order will therefore be held on **Monday 08 September 2025 at 09.30am** and will take place by way of video conference or telephone conference facilities.

**Committee Members:**

Sarah Hamilton (Chair)

Miriam Karp (Lay)

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