

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

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**F(24)14 & 15**

**AND**

**ADEEL IQBAL (SO-15327)**

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**NOTICE OF SUBSTANTIVE REVIEW HEARING**

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Take notice that an inquiry will be conducted in the above matter by the Fitness to Practise Committee of the General Optical Council. A substantive review hearing will commence at **09:00** on **Friday 15 August 2025** and will take place by way of video conference or telephone conference facilities.

The Committee will determine whether the fitness to practise of Adeel Iqbal is impaired and what, if any, further action should be taken on the Registrant's registration.

**Committee Members:**

Clive Powell (Chair)

Nigel Pilkington (Lay)

Audrey McFarlane (Lay)

Amit Jinabhai (Optometrist)

Caroline Clark (Optometrist)

**Legal Adviser:**

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Latanya Gordon

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