DMC/DC/F.14/Comp.1356/2/2024/ 05th January, 2024

**O R D E R**

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The Order of the Disciplinary Committee dated 05th December, 2023 is reproduced herein-below:-

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The Disciplinary Committee perused the representation from Dr. S.K. Bansal, Additional Medical Superintendent, (Admn.), Office of the Medical Superintendent, Lok Nayak Hospital, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi-110002, written statement of the concerned doctors and other documents on record.

The Disciplinary Committee noted that the present matter has been initiated by the Additional Medical Superintendent (Admn.), Lok Nayak Hospital, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi vide its representation No.F.AMS(A)/24/LNH/ 2014/710 dated 09th June, 2014 wherein issue of dereliction of duty by the Resident doctors of medicine and surgery department of Lok Nayak Hospital on 27th March, 2014 in regard to the treatment of one Shri Pappu, who was 45 years old male, brought to the casualty of Lok Nayak Hospital on 26th March, 20104 at 09.30 a.m. and thereafter, expired at 04.15 on 27th March, 2014, was highlighted, with a request that action be taken against Dr. Rajat Bajaj, Senior Resident (Medicine), Dr. Judith, Senior Resident (Medicine) and Dr. Lovenish, Senior Resident (Surgery).

It is further noted that a representation Ref. AMS(A) LNH/Misc 446 dated 02nd June, 2022 has been received in the office of the Delhi Medical Council from the office of the Additional Medical Superintendent, Lok Nayak Hospital, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi-110002 wherein it is mentioned that a new representation regarding the present matter for review of the enquiry conducted by the Lok Nayak Hospital, as communicated vide letter dated 09th June, 2014, was considered by the Director, Lok Nayak Hospital. Further, a Review Committee was constituted and in light of the recommendations by the said Committee, the administration of Lok Nayak Hospital has decided to withdraw their earlier representation and sought closer in this matter.

In view of the above and fact that original complainant Shri Om Prakash, who was son-in-law of the deceased Shri Pappu, has never followed regarding these proceedings. Further, the notices sent to him to participate in the hearing, held before the Disciplinary Committee, returned undelivered in the office of the Delhi Medical Council with noting from the postal-department ‘incomplete address’ and telephonically calls on the number available in the file, remained unanswered.

In view of the above, the Disciplinary Committee decided that the matter be placed before the Delhi Medical Council for necessary directions whether proceed this matter further or not.

Sd/: Sd/:

(Dr. Maneesh Singhal) (Dr. Satish Tyagi)

Chairman, Delhi Medical Association,

Disciplinary Committee Member,

Disciplinary Committee

The Order of the Disciplinary Committee dated 05th December, 2023 was taken up for confirmation before the Delhi Medical Council in its meeting held on 08th December, 2023 wherein “*in light of the observations made in the Order of the Disciplinary Committee, the Council allows the withdrawal of the representation No.F.AMS(A)/24/LNH/2014/710 dated 09th June, 2014 of Additional Medical Superintendent (Admn.), Lok Nayak Hospital, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi and thus, order closure of these proceedings; hence, the same stands closed.*

*This observation is to be incorporated in the final Order to be issued. The Order of the Disciplinary Committee stands modified to this extent and the modified Order is confirmed”.*

By the Order & in the name of

Delhi Medical Council

(Dr. Girish Tyagi)

Secretary

Copy to :-

1. Additional Medical Superintendent (Admn.), Office of the Medical Superintendent, Lok Nayak Hospital, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi-110002.

(Dr. Girish Tyagi)

Secretary