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21B Meetings of Council for purpose of an inquiry

~~(1) At any meeting of the Council held for the purpose of an inquiry under section 21, either—~~

~~(a) 5 members of the Council; or—~~

~~(b) not less than 3 members of the Council and 2 assessors, on a rotational basis, from the panel appointed under subsection (2),—~~

~~at least 1 of whom shall be a lay member but subject to the majority being registered medical practitioners, shall be a quorum.—~~

“(1) At each meeting of the Council (within the meaning of section 21(7)) held for an inquiry under section 21, 5 persons form a quorum if—

(a) at least one of them is a member of the Council mentioned in section 3(2) who is a registered medical practitioner;

(b) at least one of them is a lay member of the Council mentioned in section 3(2), or a lay assessor; and

(c) at least one of them is a registered medical practitioner mentioned in subsection.—

(1A) In addition, the majority of the persons present at the meeting must be registered medical practitioners.”.

(2) The Council shall appoint the following persons who are not members of the Council to form a panel of assessors for the purpose of conducting an inquiry under section 21-

(a) 2 registered medical practitioners nominated by the Director;

(b) 2 registered medical practitioners nominated by the Hospital Authority;

(c) 2 registered medical practitioners nominated by the Academy of Medicine;

(d) 2 registered medical practitioners nominated by the University of Hong Kong;

(e) 2 registered medical practitioners nominated by The Chinese University of Hong Kong; ~~and~~

(f) 14 lay persons nominated by the Secretary for Food and Health; and

(g) 10 registered medical practitioners nominated by the Hong Kong Medical Association.

~~(3) An inquiry conducted by members of the Council and assessors forming a~~

~~quorum under subsection (1)(b) is deemed to be an inquiry by the Council and is as valid and effectual as an inquiry conducted by members of the Council forming a quorum under subsection (1)(a).—~~

(4) An assessor shall hold office for a period of 1 year from the date of appointment and, at the expiry of his period of appointment or of any period for which he is reappointed, shall be eligible for reappointment for further periods of 1 year each.

(5) Any assessor may at any time resign by giving notice in writing to the Chairman.

(6) Section 3(6A) and (7) applies with respect to an assessor as it applies to a member of the Council.

Note:

Revisions made in red are amendments proposed by the Medical Registration (Amendment) Bill 2016.

Revisions made in blue are amendments proposed by Dr Hon LEUNG Ka-lau.