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Dr. Hii, James Francis King

Vancouver, BC

When reporting this release, please provide the name and location of the physician in full in order to avoid confusion with any other physician who may have a similar name or initials.

Dr. James Francis King Hii admitted to engaging in unprofessional conduct by failing to provide a medical-legal report in a timely way. Despite numerous reminders from his patient's legal counsel, it took Dr. Hii over one year and eight months to deliver the completed report.

Following the issuance of a disciplinary citation, Dr. Hii consented to the following disposition by the College:

- (a) A formal reprimand;
- (b) Undertake to provide medical-legal reports in a timely manner;
- (c) A fine in the amount of \$10,000; and
- (d) Payment of \$1,000 towards the College's costs of the investigation.

Physicians are ethically and legally obliged to provide reports on patients they have attended and when a request has been received, physicians are required to respond in a timely manner. As set out in the College standard [Medical Certificates and Other Third Party Reports](#), inappropriate delay in producing medical reports may be considered professional misconduct.

The College of Physicians and Surgeons is the licensing and regulatory body for all physicians and surgeons in the province. Governed by provincial legislation, the College's role is to protect the public by establishing, monitoring and enforcing high standards of qualification and ethical practice across the province.

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