

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

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IO(25)12

AND

ABUBAKR YUSAF (01-31270)

PRIVATE HEARING

NOTICE OF THIRD REVIEW OF AN INTERIM ORDER

Take notice that a hearing to review an interim suspension order made on 9 July 2025 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.

Hearing on the papers

A third review of the Interim Order will take place on the papers between **19 October 2026** and **02 November 2026**.

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 third review of the Interim Order will therefore be held on **02 November 2026 at 09.30am** and will take place by way of video conference or telephone conference facilities.

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