

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

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**EIGHTH INTERIM ORDER REVIEW
DETERMINATION SUMMARY
13 JANUARY 2022**

PRIVATE HEARING

Name of Registrant: Zahir Ibrahim

Registration number: D-14908

Professional status: Dispensing Optician

Type and length of interim order:

The Fitness to Practise Committee imposed an interim order of suspension on 18 May 2018 for a period of 18 months. The order was extended by the High Court in 2019, 2020 and 2021.

The interim order of suspension was reviewed and maintained on 15 November 2018, 9 May 2019, 20 January 2020, 26 June 2020, 1 December 2020, and 6 May 2021 by the Fitness to Practise Committee.

On 7 September 2021, the Fitness to Practice Committee determined to continue the current interim order of suspension.

On 13 January 2022, the Fitness to Practice Committee determined to continue the current interim order of suspension.

The Committee notes that the substantive hearing in this matter is listed before the next six-monthly review is due and therefore makes no order for a further review. However, if the substantive hearing is not completed then a further review will need to be listed within 6 months from today.