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Dr. Bostinariu, Anca Ioana

Vancouver, BC

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VANCOUVER, BC, June 8, 2007: Following the issuance of disciplinary charges, Dr. Anca Ioana Bostinariu, a psychiatrist, has admitted that, given the nature of the pyschotherapeutic relationship, she was guilty of unprofessional conduct in hiring two former patients as employees. A subsequent review of Dr. Bostinariu's practice by the College identified no concerns with respect to her competency or clinical care.

The College imposed the following penalty:

- Erasure from the Medical Register and transfer to the Temporary Register, effective 2400 hours, March 30, 2007.
- Formal Reprimand pursuant to s. 60(3) of the *Medical Practitioners Act*.
- Participation in assessments and counselling and reports acceptable to the College.
- Participation in continuing professional development in the area of boundaries and ethics.
- Mentorship with a physician approved in writing by the Registrar, who will provide regular reports
 acceptable to the College.
- Monitoring of her practice by the College.

Dr. Bostinariu's future professional conduct must be beyond reproach in every respect.

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