



NOTICE

Suspension

On December 12, 2023, a Hearing Committee of the Law Society of Alberta found the conduct of **Gurpreet Singh Billing**, a member of the Law Society who lives and practices in Calgary, Alberta, to be deserving of sanction on two citations. Pursuant to section 72(1)(b) of the *Legal Profession Act*, RSA 2000, c L-8 (the “**Act**”), the Hearing Committee ordered that Mr. Billing be suspended for one month, starting on December 16, 2023.

The Hearing Committee determined that Mr. Billing was guilty of the following conduct deserving of sanction: (1) failing to provide legal services to the standard of a competent lawyer, including failing to perform all functions competently, conscientiously, and in a diligent manner; and (2) failing to supervise his legal assistant.

The Hearing Committee also ordered Mr. Billing to pay hearing costs in the amount of \$14,000.00.

Conduct deserving of sanction is defined in the *Act* as conduct that is incompatible with the best interests of the public (including members of the Law Society) or conduct that tends to harm the standing of the legal profession generally.

The following lawyer will assume carriage of Mr. Billing’s practice during his suspension:

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The full written decision of the Hearing Committee will be posted to the Law Society of Alberta website when it is issued.

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