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Case Reference: INT/NAD/2023/171

Mr. Himadri Barman..... Complainant

vs

Fortis Hospital, Anandapur.....Respondent/ Respondents

ORDER SHEET

Office Note	Order No.	Date	Order
	1.	27/09/2023	<p>The complaint would relate to medical and hospital negligence in case of a covid positive CKD patient having other co-morbidities.</p> <p>The incident happened in the year 2020 when there was no specific protocol as to how a covid patient would be treated. At that time, the entire medical force was striving to cure the patient on trial and error basis.</p> <p>This particular 75 years old patient having other co-morbidities were looked after by a team of doctors having nephrologist, pulmonologist and other doctors from medicine and skin. Unfortunately, despite best efforts, the patient could not survive. He died on November 29,</p>

2020.

The complainant has come after about three years. According to him, since he is residing at Chakdah, Nadia, far away from Kolkata, he was not aware of the existence of the West Bengal Clinical Establishment Regulatory Commission. He initially approached the National Medical Council as well as Consumer Forum. Being unsuccessful therein, he has now approached us.

Although it is a stale complaint, for ends of justice, we have gone into the merits. We have interaction with the complainant. We have the assistance of Dr. Utpal Sengupta and Dr. Riya Dhar who are present online.

Our esteemed medical members present at the panel have examined the medical records and found no scope for interference. Yet, the complaint would be free to approach appropriate body of experts in case he feels it necessary to question the treatment protocol.

With the above observation, we dispose of the complaint.

			<p>Sd/-</p> <p>The Hon'ble Chairperson</p> <p>Sd/-</p> <p>Prof. (Dr.) Sukumar Mukherjee – Member</p> <p>Sd/-</p> <p>Prof. (Dr.) Makhan Lal Saha – Member</p> <p>Sd/-</p> <p>Dr. Maitrayee Banerjee – Member</p> <p>Sd/-</p> <p>Sri. Sutirtha Bhattacharya, IAS (Retd)- Member</p> <p>Sd/-</p> <p>Smt Madhabi Das – Member</p>
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