



## PUBLIC NOTICE

# ILLEGAL PRACTICE, FORGERY

The Health Professions Council of Zambia (HPCZ) wishes to bring to the attention of the public and stakeholders recent developments relating to persons practising without HPCZ registration:

A Clinical Officer General, Mr. Paul Mwamba, formerly stationed at Musenga Mini Hospital in Kasama District, was convicted by the Kasama Subordinate Court for practising without HPCZ registration and for offences relating to forgery, uttering false documents and obtaining pecuniary advantage. He was sentenced to eighteen (18) months' imprisonment with hard labour on all charges.

Additionally, HPCZ reported to the Zambia Police Service a matter involving an alleged forgery and uttering of a false HPCZ practising certificate by an individual purporting to be a duly registered Medical Doctor in Kasama District, Northern Province. The investigations have also identified three additional suspects based in Kasama, Nsama and Lusaka Districts.

The Council is working closely with the Zambia Police Service and other relevant law enforcement agencies in these matters and will provide further updates on the ongoing investigations at the appropriate time.

In light of the foregoing, members of the public are urged to seek healthcare services only from duly registered health professionals and

accredited health facilities. The public is further encouraged to report any suspected cases of persons practising without registration, using forged practicing certificates, misrepresenting their professional qualifications or engaging in any other form of illegal practice.

The Health Professions Council of Zambia remains committed to safeguarding the public and promoting safe, ethical and quality healthcare through effective regulation, enforcement and adherence to professional standards within the health sector.

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