VICTORIAN CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

REVIEW AND REGULATION LIST

VCAT Reference: Z442/2018

CATCHWORDS

APPLICANT:

Sparadise Medical & Cosmetic Clinic

RESPONDENT:

Health Complaints Commissioner

WHERE HELD:

Melbourne

BEFORE:

Deputy President H. Lambrick

HEARING TYPE:

Directions Hearing

DATE OF HEARING:

15 June 2018

DATE OF ORDER:

15 June 2018

ORDERS

Orders by consent

1. Pursuant to sections 50 and 130(1) of the *Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 1998* (Vic), the operation of the respondent's decisions the subject of the applicant's application for review dated 31 May 2018 is stayed, subject to the conditions set out in paragraphs 2 to 8 below.

Permissible Treatments

2. The applicant may only provide a cosmetic, surgical or medical procedure if the procedure is specified in paragraph 3 or 4 below.

Procedures to be performed by a qualified and registered medical practitioner

- 3. Only a qualified medical practitioner registered under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Victoria) Act 2009 may:
 - 3.1 inject or infuse any substance into a patient; or
 - 3.2 perform any thread face lifting; or
 - 3.3 perform any gynaecological procedure; or
 - 3.4 perform any procedure involving fat transfer.

Procedures to be performed by a qualified laser therapist

4. Only a qualified laser therapist may perform a laser treatment on a patient (other than a gynaecological laser treatment, which is the subject of paragraph 3.3 above).

Monitoring and Compliance

- 5. With respect to each treatment referred to in paragraphs 3 and 4 above, the applicant must send a daily email to the respondent that records the following information for the previous 24 hours:
 - 5.1 the details of the treatment provided, including the date and time of its provision;
 - 5.2 the name of the person who performed the treatment;
 - 5.3 the qualifications of the person who performed the treatment; and
 - 5.4 the name and contact details of the patient.
- 6. The applicant consents to the respondent conducting compliance audits with respect to the matters set out in paragraphs 3 to 5 above.

Storage and use of Schedule 4 substances

- 7. The applicant must store securely all substances listed in Schedule 4 to the *Drugs*, *Poisons and Controlled Substances Act 1981* (Vic) ("Schedule 4 Medicine").
- 8. Only the registered practitioner who has prescribed a Schedule 4 Medicine to a patient may administer that substance to the patient.

Publication

9. The respondent is directed to publish paragraphs 1 to 8 of the Tribunal's orders on her website: www.hcc.vic.gov.au.

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H. Lambrick

Deputy President



APPEARANCES:

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For the Respondent:

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