

COLLEGE OF DIETITIANS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Inquiry Case #23-68 - Complaint Outcome Report

On **April 24, 2023**, the College received information from a former registrant applying for reinstatement within 3 years that they had been using the title “Dietitian” and the initials “RD” while not being registered from April 1, 2022 to April 24, 2023.

On **April 25, 2023**, the registrant met with the Deputy Registrar to discuss the use of the title in a business name, use of title while not being registered, and use of testimonials. The registrant was advised that the Inquiry Committee would be informed of the matter.

The registrant was also reinstated to Full CDBC registration on **April 25, 2023**.

On **June 1, 2023**, the Inquiry Committee met to review and discuss College correspondence with the registrant, the registrant’s response and corrective actions. The Inquiry Committee determined that the registrant had breached section 12.1 of the *Health Professions Act*, sections 3 and 4 of the Dietitians Regulation regarding use of the title “Dietitian” and the initials “RD” while not being registered, and that the risk of harm was low.

The registrant was informed of the decision on **June 2, 2023**, and on **June 5, 2023**, consented to an undertaking pursuant to sections 33(6)(c) and 36(1)(a) of the *Health Professions Act* in which the registrant agreed to not repeat the use of title while not being registered.

A copy of the signed undertaking is saved in the registrant’s file permanently, in accordance with section 69 of the CDBC bylaws.

38 days were required to resolve the case.