

A hearing of the Discipline Committee of the New Brunswick Association of Social Workers was held on March 23, 2021 to hear and determine a Complaint against a Member alleging professional misconduct.

Specifically, the Member disclosed sensitive and privileged information during a police investigation, which jeopardizes the integrity of the police investigation and the profession.

Before the Discipline Committee, the Member voluntarily admitted professional misconduct and concurred that disciplinary sanction was appropriate.

Following a determination that the Member was guilty of professional misconduct, the Discipline Committee imposed the following discipline sanctions:

1. Written reprimand to be placed in the Member's file;
2. Payment of costs of \$500.00;
3. Two assignments in the form of continuing education articles; and
4. Summary and publication of the proceeding without names for the education of the membership.