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Dr. David Frederick Hepburn, a family physician, has admitted to engaging in unprofessional conduct by accepting a substantial amount of money from a former patient in circumstances where he ought to have declined such monies.

Following the issuance of a disciplinary citation, Dr. Hepburn consented to the following disposition by the College:

- (a) Dr. Hepburn will not apply to the College for reinstatement of registration until July 1, 2018;
- (b) If he applies for registration after July 1, 2018, his application will be considered by the College's Registration Committee in accordance with the *Health Professions Act* and the College Bylaws. He will be required to meet the standard for good character and all other registration requirements;
- (c)

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