

Addenda to Decision dated 12 October 2018 of the Chartered Professional Engineers Council

1. Our decision in this matter was issued on 12 October 2018.
2. An appeal against our decision was issued by the Registration Authority on 9 November 2018.
3. This addenda is issued pursuant to section 26 of the Chartered Professional Engineers of New Zealand Act 2002 and is to be read in conjunction with, and is to form part of our decision.

Addenda

- A.** Paragraph 65 of our decision is deleted and replaced with the following paragraph 65:

65. In [REDACTED] v IPENZ as Registration Authority (Appeal 21) this Council traversed the standards to be expected of a Chartered Professional Engineer in detail from paragraph 23 to 40. We consider that the standard enunciated at paragraph 40(b) of that decision is the standard by which an allegation of negligence against a Chartered Professional Engineer is considered under the Act. The standard is:

Whether engineering services have been performed in a negligent manner is a question of whether there has been a serious lack of care judged by the standards reasonably expected of a Chartered Professional Engineer. That standard may be informed by whether reasonable members of the public would consider such act or omission, if acceptable to the profession, were to lower the standards of the profession in the eyes of the public.

- B.** Paragraph 71 of our decision is deleted and replaced with the following paragraph 71:

71. The panel does not agree with this finding of the CIC. The panel finds that further investigation is required to determine if [REDACTED] has performed engineering services in a negligent manner to an extent that would provide grounds for discipline under s 21(1)(c) of the Act.

Dated this 17th day of December 2018

Mr Jon Williams
Principal



Ms Rebecca Knott



Ms Sandra Hardie

