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# NEWS BULLETIN

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## Annual Renewal Deadline is March 2

The 2015/16 annual renewal deadline is March 2, 2015. You can complete your renewal and make your payment through [CDSBC's online system](#). If you do not renew by March 2, you will not be permitted to practise until you are reinstated and have paid the applicable reinstatement fee.

For assistance, call our Renewal Hotline at 604-714-5346 (toll free: 1-800-663-9169).

### Changes to the renewal process (dentists only)

Note that there are two changes to the renewal process this year:

#### Corporations

You will be asked if you own shares in a dental corporation in British Columbia and if so, to provide the details (those dentists who do not own shares in a corporation may use the "Next" button to skip this section of online renewal). While adding corporation information is voluntary this year, it will become mandatory in 2016. In order to complete this section you will be required to enter the following:

- corporation name and address
- names and CDSBC registration numbers of voting shareholders
- names of non-voting shareholders
- the number of shares held by each

#### Languages

You will be asked if you speak any languages other than English. This information will be added to the online Directory of Dentists as a service to the public.

### Retiring or resigning

If you are retiring or resigning your registration/certification, please log into [CDSBC's online system](#) and choose "Retire" or "Resign" from the annual renewal options. Before you do so, consider whether you would be able or like to volunteer at a not-for-profit clinic. You can do this under limited (volunteer) registration.

### Changing registration/certification categories

If you wish to change your registration/certification status to a category other than non-practising, retired, or resigned, additional documentation may be required. Please contact [dentistrenewal@cdsbc.org](mailto:dentistrenewal@cdsbc.org) or [CDArenewal@cdsbc.org](mailto:CDArenewal@cdsbc.org) immediately for further information.

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## Discipline Activities

The *Health Professions Act* requires CDSBC to publish reports of discipline activities and penalties against its registrants. A full list of discipline activities is available [here](#).

### Dr. Michal Kaburda – Penalty Decision

A panel of the Discipline Committee has issued a penalty decision against Dr. Michal Kaburda of White Rock, who was found to have committed multiple instances of professional misconduct. The Discipline Panel imposed the following penalty on Dr. Kaburda:

- a reprimand;
- immediate suspension from the practice of dentistry for a period of six months;
- he must produce a complete copy of the complainant's records to CDSBC, and if he does not, his suspension will continue until this requirement is met; and
- payment of a fine of \$10,000 in addition to \$15,083.13 in costs to CDSBC.

[Read more](#)

## Board Election – Nominations close March 19

There are a number of positions available on the 2015/16 CDSBC Board. Nominations for these positions will close on March 19, 2015.

### Officers – One-Year Term

- President
- Vice-President
- Treasurer

### Board Members – Two-Year Term

- Dentist, District 2 (North)
- Dentist, District 3 (Southern Interior)
- Dentist, District 5 (Vancouver Island)
- Certified Dental Assistant

The *2015 Notice of Election and Call for Nominations*, nomination packages, position descriptions, and more are available on the [election](#) page of the CDSBC website.

## Bylaw Consultation: Advertising and Promotional Activities

The consultation period for the Board-approved revisions to CDSBC Bylaw Part 12 on Advertising and Promotional Activities closes on **March 23, 2015**. You are invited to submit feedback. [Read more about the proposed bylaw and how to provide feedback](#).

## Upcoming Events and CE Opportunities

CDSBC regularly leads presentations and holds workshops for registrants around the province. Visit the College's [events](#) page for an up-to-date listing of where we will be presenting in the coming months.