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Patients Beware: The Perils of Medical Malpractice in Malaysia – Asia Sentinel

I refer to the above article published by the Asia Sentinel on 7th July 2022, written by Murray Hunter.

The Article makes reference to inquiries carried out by the MMC pertaining to a complaint lodged against a medical practitioner.

The MMC wishes to place the following on record:

- a. The MMC investigates complaints pertaining to professional misconduct and medical ethics. Complaints of medical negligence and malpractice do not fall within the MMC's jurisdiction.
- b. All inquiries are carried out by the MMC in compliance with the Medical Act 1971 and Regulations. Any party aggrieved by a decision of the MMC may pursue further legal recourse in a court of law.
- c. The MMC reserves all its legal rights in this matter.

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