

News release

27 June 2024

Notice of hearing

A hearing of ACCA's Disciplinary Committee will take place at 09:30am on 24 July 2024. It will be held remotely but based at the ACCA's Offices, The Adelphi, 1-11 John Adam Street, London, WC2N 6AU.

The hearing is open to any member of the public or the media who wish to attend. However, ACCA is only able to accommodate remote access to the hearing. Please contact <u>adminadjudication@accaglobal.com</u> to obtain information about attending this (or any other) hearing.

The case to be heard on this day concerns Mr Sayed Hussain Aqeel Jawad.

Allegations

Mr Jawad, an ACCA Student,

- 1. On or about 09 November 2022, submitted or caused to be submitted to Company A, an exam transcript, dated July 2019, which was false, in support of an application for employment.
- 2. On or about 13 February 2023, submitted or caused to be submitted to company A, a Professional Level Certificate, dated 13 August 2016 which was false, in support of an application for employment.
- 3. In respect of allegations 1 and/or 2 above by submitting this documentation sought to represent that
 - a. He had achieved the status of ACCA Affiliate, when he had not.
- 4. Mr Jawad's conduct at allegation 1 and/or 2 above:
 - Was dishonest in that he knew that the documents he submitted, or caused to be submitted to Company A as part of his application for employment at allegations 1 and/or 2 above were false, or in the alternative;

- b. Failed to demonstrate integrity.
- 5. By reason of his conduct Mr Jawad is:
 - a. Guilty of Misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i) in respect of any or all the matters set out above.

The allegations listed above are current at the date of publication.

The case will be heard by a panel of the ACCA's Disciplinary Committee.

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Founded in 1904 to widen access to the accountancy profession, we've long championed inclusion and today proudly support a diverse community of over 252,500 members and 526,000 future members in 180 countries.

Our forward-looking qualifications, continuous learning and insights are respected and valued by employers in every sector. They equip individuals with the business and finance expertise and ethical judgment to create, protect, and report the sustainable value delivered by organisations and economies.

Guided by our purpose and values, our vision is to develop the accountancy profession the world needs. Partnering with policymakers, standard setters, the donor community, educators and other accountancy bodies, we're strengthening and building a profession that drives a sustainable future for all.

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