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To whom it may concern,

I can confirm that the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), whose registered address is at The Adelphi, 1-11 John Adam Street, London WC2N 6AU, United Kingdom, was incorporated by Royal Charter in 1974. According to the records of the Privy Council Office (the part of the government responsible for Royal Charter matters), the incorporation remains in existence at the date of the letter.

A Royal Charter is a Charter of incorporation which confers independent legal personality on a body and defines its objectives, constitution and powers to govern its own affairs. Incorporation by Royal Charter is a prestigious way of acquiring legal personality and reflects the high status of that body.

The authority for the grant of a Charter comes from the Royal Prerogative (that is the inherent power of the Crown), although the grant is made by the Sovereign by and with the advice of the Privy Council.

Organisations incorporated by Royal Charter are registered at Companies House and have a number with the prefix 'RC'. The Companies House registration for ACCA is RC000732.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Ceri King