



27 August 2019

Disciplinary Committee ordered Removal from Student Register*

On 21 August 2019, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Miss Hiujiao Ru, of Shanghai, People's Republic of China:

Allegation 1:

- 1. During an F4 (ENG) Corporate and Business Law computer based exam (CBE) on O4 November 2017:
 - Miss RU Huijiao was in possession of and used a device capable of taking photographs during the a. course of the exam.
 - b. Miss RU Huijiao caused images of exam questions to be made using the device referred to at 1 a above.
 - c. Miss RU Huijiao 's conduct in respect of any or all of the matters set out at 1(a) and/or 1(b) above was:
 - (ii) Contrary to the fundamental principle of integrity (as applicable in 2017) in that such conduct demonstrates a failure to be straightforward and honest
 - d. By reason of her conduct Miss RU Huijiao is:
 - (i) Guilty of misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i), in respect of 1(a) and/or 1(b) and/or 1(c) above

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Allegation 2:

- 2. Contrary to Paragraph 3(1) of the Complaints and Disciplinary Regulations 2014, Miss RU Huijiao has failed to co-operate fully with the investigation of a complaint in that:
 - a. She failed to respond at all to any to all of ACCA's correspondence dated:
 - (i) 20 December 2018;
 - (ii) 21 January 2019; and
 - (iii) 14 February 2019;
 - b. By reason of her conduct in respect of any or all of the matters set out at 2(a) above, Miss RU Huijiao is:
 - (i) Guilty of misconduct, pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i)

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Miss Huijiao Ru be removed from ACCA's Student Register and to pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £6,500.

Please note that this may be the subject of an appeal.

ACCA's regulations require ACCA to publish the Committee's findings and orders by way of a news release, as soon as practicable.

* An order made by the Disciplinary Committee shall take effect from the date of expiry of the Appeal Period referred to in the Appeal Regulations unless the Committee directs that the order should have immediate effect

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