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Disciplinary Committee ordered exclusion from Membership*

On 02 November 2021, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Mr Rana Hamza Naeem of Sahiwal, Punjab, Pakistan:

Allegations

Mr Rana Hamza Naeem, at all material times an ACCA affiliate:

1. Submitted or caused to be submitted to ACCA on or about 18 May 2017 an ACCA Practical Experience training record which purported to confirm:
 - a. His Practical Experience Supervisor in respect of his practical training in the period 1 February 2014 to 31 January 2017 was Mr A when Mr A did not or could not supervise his practical experience training in accordance with ACCA's requirements as set out and published in ACCA's PER Guidance (the Guidance).
 - b. He had achieved performance objectives 1: Ethics and professionalism and 2: Stakeholder and relationship management.
2. Mr Naeem's conduct in respect of the matters described in allegation 1 above was:
 - a. In respect of allegation 1a, dishonest, in that Mr Naeem sought to confirm his supervisor did and could supervise his practical experience training in accordance with ACCA's requirements which he knew to be untrue.

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b. In respect of allegation 1b, dishonest, in that Mr Naeem knew he had not achieved the performance objectives referred to in paragraph 1 b as described in the corresponding performance objective statements or at all.

4. By reason of his conduct, Mr Naeem is guilty of misconduct pursuant to ACCA bye-law 8(a)(i) in respect of all the matters set out above.

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Mr Naeem be excluded from membership and to pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £2,213.

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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