



# 17 August 2022

## Disciplinary Committee ordered Student be removed from the Student Register\*

On 05 August 2022, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Miss Zanele N Dlamini of Mbabane, Swaziland:

### **Allegations**

- 1. Miss Zanele N Dlamini, a registered student of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants ('ACCA'):
  - (a) On a date before the 11 March 2021, submitted a document (Statement of Achievement) purportedly issued by ACCA to Company A which contained false/inaccurate information regarding the ACCA exam units she had passed.
  - (b) Miss Dlamini's conduct described in respect of 1(a) was:
    - (i) Dishonest, in that she knew the document was false and/or that she intended to mislead Company A as to the ACCA exams she had passed.
- 2. Contrary to Paragraph 3(1) of the Complaints and Disciplinary Regulations 2014, Miss Dlamini has failed to co-operate fully with the investigation of a complaint in that she failed to respond to ACCA's correspondence dated:
  - (a) 25 August 2021;
  - (b) 08 September 2021; and

- (c) 17 September 2021.
- 3. By reason of the above, Miss Dlamini is
  - a) Guilty of misconduct pursuant to Bye-law 8(a)(i) in relation to any or all of the conduct alleged at Allegations 1 and 2.

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Miss Dlamini be removed from the Student Register and to pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £5700.00.

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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