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# News release

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## Member admonished \*

On 29 July 2022 the Consent Orders Chair of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) found proved the following allegations against a member, Mr Mehmet Gazioglu from Cheshunt, United Kingdom:

### Allegations

Mehmet Gazioglu, an ACCA member, admits the following:

#### Allegation 1

That on 12 January 2021, Mehmet Gazioglu sent an email to Person A, a client of his firm, which displayed a lack of courtesy and consideration, contrary to Section 115.3 of the Fundamental Principle of Professional Behaviour (as applicable in 2021).

#### Allegation 2

That from 14 January 2021 to 23 February 2021, Mehmet Gazioglu did not ensure that ADPL LLP, of whom he is a principal, implemented adequate procedures to handle client complaints in respect of service disputes, contrary to Paragraph 13 of Section B9 (Professional Liability of Accountants and Auditors) of ACCA's Code of Ethics and Conduct (as applicable in 2021).

#### Allegation 3

That during the period of 01 April 2017 to 14 January 2021, Mehmet Gazioglu did not ensure that ADPL LLP, of whom he is a principal, sent Person A a letter of engagement or obtained a signed letter of engagement from Person A, contrary to Paragraph 5 of Section B9 (Professional Liability of Accountants and Auditors) of ACCA's Code of Ethics and Conduct (as applicable from 2017 to 2021).

#### Allegation 4

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By reason of the conduct set out at allegations 1, 2 and 3 above, Mehmet Gazioglu is guilty of misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i).

The Consent Orders Chair ordered that Mr Gazioglu's be admonished, and pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £1,633.

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

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