

17 July 2025

## **Disciplinary Committee ordered student to be removed\***

On 24 June 2025, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Mr Shumon Ahmed of Portsmouth, United Kingdom:

### Allegations

Mr Shumon Ahmed, an ACCA student.

1. On 23 July 2024, Mr Ahmed submitted to his then employer, Company A, a false digital graphic (“the Document”) dated July 2024. The Document purported to be an official ACCA result of a Financial Management exam taken in June 2024.
  - a. Mr Ahmed’s conduct was dishonest, in that he knew the Document was false because he had not sat the relevant exam in June 2024;
2. By reason of any or all of the conduct in Allegation 1, Mr Ahmed is guilty of misconduct pursuant to Byelaw 8(a)(i).

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Mr Ahmed be removed from student register and to pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £6000.00.

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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