

11 March 2026

Disciplinary Committee ordered student to be removed from the register*

On 13 February 2026, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Mrs Amina Ali, of Ilford, London, United Kingdom:

Allegations

On 03 June 2024, Mrs Amina Ali, an ACCA student, in relation to a remotely invigilated Audit an Assurance ('AA') exam:

1. Failed to adhere to ACCA's Examination Guidelines and/or the proctor's instructions by failing to keep her mobile phone out of arm's reach, contrary to Exam Regulation 1 and Exam Regulation 2;
2. Attempted to deceive the exam proctor by giving false or misleading information in that when asked to put her phone away, she stated that she was not using it, when that was not the case, contrary to Exam Regulation 3;
3. Used an unauthorised item with a camera, namely a mobile phone, during the examination attempt, contrary to Examination Regulation 5(a) and therefore intended to gain an unfair advantage within the meaning of Exam Regulation 6(b).
4. Any or all of Mrs Amina Ali's conduct in respect of allegations 1 - 3 above:
 - a. Was dishonest in that she untruthfully stated to the exam proctor that she was not using her mobile phone during her examination attempt, when that was not the case;
 - b. Was dishonest in that she used the said unauthorised item to gain an unfair advantage for herself or others in the exam and/or a future exam.

5. By reason of the above, Mrs Amina Ali is:

- i. Guilty of misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i) in respect of any or all of the conduct referred to above.

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Mrs Ali shall be removed from ACCA student register.

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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