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PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

ORDER BY CONSENT

In the matter of Gareth Edwards (10003163)

Misconduct Gareth Edward's professional or personal conduct, was found to be in breach of the *Code of Professional Ethics* and to have posed a risk to the public or was likely to undermine public confidence in the Association or its members; namely:

1. Between on or about 01 January 2014 to 15 May 2018, Gareth Edwards provided accountancy and/or bookkeeping services to the public without holding a licence, or approved to provide such services whilst subject to an exemption

Finding Grounds for disciplinary action existed and the matter was suitable for exercise of the Investigations Team's powers under the *Disciplinary Regulations*.

Order Gareth Edward's is hereby:

- i. Reprimanded, with the reprimand remaining active on his record for a period of 12 months from the date the sanction is imposed
- ii. Warned with regards to future conduct.
- iii. Fined £973.

Consent Gareth Edwards has agreed to submit to the decision of the Investigations Team in accordance with Regulation 6 of the *Disciplinary Regulations*.

04 June 2019