



AAT

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

ORDER BY CONSENT

In the matter of Neil Steed, 20167760

Misconduct Neil Steed's conduct was found to be in breach of the *Code of Professional Ethics* and to have posed a risk to the public and/or undermine public confidence in the Association and its members as follows:

1. On or around 09 October 2018, whilst employed at ("Company A") as a Credit Controller, Neil Steed abused his position
2. On or around 09 October 2018, Neil Steed obtained a pecuniary advantage for himself by deception.

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

Order Neil Steed is hereby:

1. Expelled from membership of AAT for a period of five years
2. Warned that any application to reinstate his membership, after expiry of the expulsion period, will be subject to a suitability assessment.

Consent Neil Steed deemed to have consented to the decision of the Investigations Team in accordance with Regulation 6 of the *Disciplinary Regulations*.

28 August 2019