



DISCIPLINARY CONSENT ORDER

19 May 2015

PURSUANT TO RULE 5 OF THE IPA INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE RULES

Frank A Hatch, of Dudley, West Midlands, England a former IPA Member and Licensed Insolvency Practitioner.

This Order is made in relation to a complaint from the IPA Secretariat that Mr Hatch failed to provide information formally required pursuant to the Investigation Committee Rule 4.1 Notice issued on 3 November 2014. The information was required in order to progress a separate complaint investigation.

Accordingly Mr Hatch was found liable to disciplinary action under the IPA's Articles of Association.

The sanction reflects the decision that the complaint is aggravated by the Mr Hatch's repeated failure to respond in a timely manner or at all to letters, telephone calls and emails.

The Investigation Committee decided to impose a disciplinary order that Mr Hatch be reprimanded, pay a fine of £1,500 and make a contribution towards costs.