



DISCIPLINARY CONSENT ORDER

19 May 2015

PURSUANT TO RULE 5 OF THE IPA INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE RULES

Michael Howorth, of Accrington, England an IPA member and Licensed Insolvency Practitioner

This order is made in relation to a complaint from a debtor that in his role as Supervisor, Mr Howorth failed to address creditors' claims in a timely manner as a result of which the completion of the individual voluntary arrangement was significantly delayed.

Accordingly Mr Howorth was found liable to disciplinary action under the IPA's Articles of Association. The sanction reflects the decision that the complaint is aggravated by Mr Howorth's repeated conduct for which there had been an earlier finding against him.

The Investigation Committee decided to impose a disciplinary order that Mr Howorth be reprimanded, pay a fine of £1,000 and make a contribution to costs.