

**Disciplinary Tribunal** 

**Member Name:** 

Member Name Withheld - AIPA

Division:

Queensland

Date of Hearing:

11 December 2015

The IPA Board Disciplinary Tribunal of 11 December 2015 determined that the following case presented against the member was proven:

a) Breached clause 98(2)(a) of the IPA Constitution as the member breached IPA By-Laws clause 2.1.3 and in particular APES 110 – Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants. The member failed to comply with relevant laws and regulations and avoid any action or omission that discredits the profession. A default judgement was made by the Supreme Court of New South Wales against the member based on no defence being filed in relation to an Amended Statement of Claim issued by the client alleging the member had breached duties to the client;

and

b) Breached clause 98(2)(f) of the IPA Constitution as the member is guilty of conduct which is not in the best interests of the IPA. The above constitutes conduct that is not in the best interests of the IPA.

The Tribunal further resolved that the member is admonished and required to pay costs of \$550.00.

Date of Notice: 29 January 2016

Reference: 5415