

**Member Name:** Negassa Badasse FIPA

**Division:** Victoria

**Date of Hearing:** 19 April 2013

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The IPA Board Disciplinary Tribunal of 19 April 2013 determined that the following case presented against Dr Badasse was proven:

- a) Breached clause 98(2)(a) of the IPA Constitution as he breached the IPA By-Laws clauses 2.1.2 and 2.1.3(b), and in particular APES 110 - Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants sections 110 and 150. He failed to comply with the fundamental principles of professional ethics (integrity and professional behaviour) by providing false identification and character references in relation to private security licences. It was noted that he was found guilty without conviction on charges of making a false document under the Crimes Act in the County Court of Victoria.
- b) With reference to the above; breached clause 98(2)(b) of the IPA Constitution as he failed to observe a proper standard of professional care, skill or competence.
- c) With reference to (a) above; breached clause 98(2)(f) of the IPA Constitution as he is guilty of conduct which is not in the best interests of the IPA.

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

**Date of Notice: 5 June 2013**

**Reference: 3014**