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Copying Case of January 2021 Examinations

Name of the Accused Member	:	Mr. Shashank Khandelwal
ACET ID	:	IAIEE-JAN21-337
Subject Appeared	:	ACET
Date of Examination	:	9 th January 2021
Nature of Unfair means	:	Assisted by other person for answering the questions during the examination

Background:

- 1. Examination department received report from the Exam Conduction Vendor that the candidate was assisted by the other person for answering the questions during the examination.
- 2. Examination department investigated the case, checked the log files & recordings of the examination and prepared a summary report which was discussed with Chairperson, Examination Advisory Group (EAG). It was recommended to initiate the necessary procedures for further investigation in consultation with Chair EAG.
- 3. In the reply to show cause notice, the candidate accepted the allegation and was unable to give proper explanation on his actions. The response of the candidate was shared with Examination Advisory Group and it was recommended that the candidate attempt shall be cancelled and debar him for writing ACET examination for one year from the date of examination.

Decision:

The FAC deliberated the matter and reviewed all documents and correspondence available on record. The FAC agreed with the recommendations given by Examination Advisory Group and concluded that Mr. Shashank Khandelwal was involved in unethical conduct which is not expected of a candidate.

FAC has decided as under:

- 1. Candidate attempt for January 2021 ACET examination must be considered as cancelled.
- 2. Candidate must be debar from writing ACET examination for the period of one year from 9th January 2021 ACET examination till 8th January, 2022.
