

# **Umar Vachhiat**

## **Solicitor**

### **514978**

**Closure Date: 18 August 2025**

## **Decision - Closure**

Outcome: Intervention

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## **Firm details**

### **Firm or organisation at date of publication**

Name: Abbott Legal Ltd

Address(es): Unit 5, High Street, Worsley, Manchester, M28 3JH

Firm ID: 8000004

## **Outcome details**

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

### **Decision details**

To intervene into the practice of Umar Vachhiat practising as Abbott Legal Limited Abbott Legal Limited [8000004] (trading as Abbott & Company, Abbott and Company Solicitors and XYZ Law)

### **Reasons/basis**

1. There is reason to suspect dishonesty on Mr Vachhiat's part in connection with his practice at the firm (paragraph 1(1)(a)(i) of Schedule 1 – Part I to the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended)).
2. Mr Vachhiat has failed to comply with the SRA Principles, the SRA Accounts Rules (2019), the SRA Code of Conduct for Solicitors, RELs, RFLs and RSLs and the SRA Code of Conduct for Firms which are rules made under sections 31 and 32 of the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended) (paragraph 1(1)(c) of Schedule 1 to the Act).

### **Other information**

His practicing certificate is suspended.

**Intervening agents**

John Owen of Gordons LLP, 1 New Augustus Street, Bradford, BD1 5LL has been appointed as the intervening agent.

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