



Judicial Conduct
Investigations Office

STATEMENT

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STATEMENT FROM THE JUDICIAL CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS OFFICE

Mr Maneer Ghani JP

A spokesperson for the Judicial Conduct Investigations Office said:

“Maneer Ghani JP, a magistrate from the Merseyside Bench and solicitor, has been issued with a reprimand after he failed to promptly notify his bench chairman that he was subject to an investigation by the Solicitor’s Regulation Authority. Mr Ghani was fined £5,000 for dealing with an unauthorised claims management company. In reaching their decision, the Lord Chancellor and Mrs Justice Cheema-Grubb DBE on behalf of the Lord Chief Justice took into consideration that Mr Ghani accepted full responsibility for his actions and that no findings of dishonesty were made against him.”

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