

## The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan



HEAD OFFICE (Examination Department)

## POLICY ON USE OF UNFAIR MEANS BY STUDENTS DURING EXAMINATION

List of offences and their related disciplinary actions is given as follows:

Level	Offences	Disciplinary Action
1	<ul> <li>Whispering/speaking.</li> <li>Glancing/looking at answer books / computer screens of other students.</li> <li>Responding to others whispers/actions of other students and assisting other students by showing own answer book/computer screen.</li> <li>Other minor offence(s) of similar nature and intensity.</li> </ul>	Warning.
2	<ul> <li>Writing on the desk before the start of the examination.</li> <li>Speaking outside the examination hall during the examination while granted permission to go out e.g. washroom, etc.</li> <li>Exchanging question paper / books (in case of open book examination) during examination.</li> <li>Use of electronic communication devices for any purpose whatsoever.</li> <li>Repeating offence(s) of Level 1 on same day or on any other day of same or subsequent examination attempt.</li> <li>Other offences of similar nature and intensity.</li> </ul>	Cancellation of paper.
3	<ul> <li>Use of paper slips containing examination relevant material.</li> <li>Carrying material information written on hands, arms, dress, etc.</li> <li>Exchange answer books during examination.</li> <li>Use of electronic communication devices with the intent to obtain unfair advantage.</li> <li>Writing/drawing unethical language/sketches in the answer book.</li> <li>Repeating offence of Level 2 on same day or on any other day of same or subsequent examination attempt.</li> <li>Other offences of similar nature and intensity.</li> </ul>	Cancellation of paper.  Maximum Disciplinary Action: Cancellation of the current attempt.
4	Repeating offence(s) of Level 3 in same or subsequent attempt.	Debarred from attempting examination for a period not exceeding two years.
5	Proxy sitting in lieu of authorized student.	The student who allows any other person to sit on his/her behalf shall be debarred for life.  The person who attempts the examination shall:
la de la companya de		<ul> <li>In case the individual is an ICAP student, to be debarred for life.</li> <li>In case the individual is not an ICAP student, an FIR for criminal offence shall be lodged.</li> </ul>

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1. ICAP reserves the right to withhold the result of students while their cases of use of unfair means are under consideration.

2. The decision of Examination Committee shall be final.

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