



The Bar Tribunals & Adjudication Service

The Council of the Inns of Court

Disciplinary Tribunal

Jenny Guan

Called to the Bar by: Gray's Inn, October 2022.

Type of hearing: 5 Person Disciplinary Tribunal.

Date of decision: 24 April 2026.

Charges:

Charge 3a

Statement of Offence

Professional misconduct, contrary to Core Duty 3 of the Code of Conduct of the Bar of England and Wales (9th Edition, Version 4.7).

Particulars of Offence

Jenny Guan, an unregistered barrister, who was a Second Six Pupil at the time of the conduct, acted dishonestly by knowingly misleading or attempting to mislead her pupil supervisor when she, in an email at or around 16.48 on 29 November 2023, in response to a request from her pupil supervisor, provided a redacted copy of her draft advice that she had apparently sent to her peer, a barrister external to her Chambers but omitted to explain that this was a copy of the document which she had recreated after her pupil supervisor's request, rather than the original which was sent to her peer.

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Jenny Guan, an unregistered barrister, who was a Second Six Pupil at the time of the conduct, acted dishonestly by knowingly misleading or attempting to mislead her pupil supervisor when, in conversation with her pupil supervisor on 30 November 2023,

- a. she stated that she had not sent any other work to her peer, a barrister external to her Chambers, or anyone else

when she had shared other documents externally and the draft advice, she provided her pupil supervisor on request was not the original sent to her peer.

Findings:

Charge 1	Dismissed
Charge 2a	Dismissed
Charge 2b	Dismissed
Charge 3a	Admitted
Charge 3b	Dismissed
Charge 4a	Charge 4a (a) proved, rest of charge dismissed.
Charge 4b	Dismissed

Sanction:

The Respondent is not to be issued with a practicing certificate for a period of two years effective from 24 April 2026.

Immediate Order- no practising certificate to be issued to the Respondent pending any appeal.

Costs ordered in the sum of £3,540 payable to the BSB.