DISCIPLINARY RULES OF THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF KOŠICE FOR STUDENTS

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In accordance with Article 9 (1b) and Article 15 (1j) of Act No. 131/2002 on Higher Education and on the Change and Supplement to Some Acts as amended, and according to Article 49 (3j) of the Statute of the Technical University of Košice, the Academic Senate of the Technical University of Košice approved the Disciplinary Rules of the Technical University of Košice for Students as the internal regulations of the University:

Article 1

Basic provisions

- (1) Disciplinary offence is a culpable breach of generally binding legal regulations, internal regulations of the Technical University of Košice (hereinafter referred to as "TUKE") or a part thereof or breach of public order.
- (2) The Rector of TUKE imposes disciplinary measures on students enrolled in the study program implemented at TUKE in accordance with Section 13 of the Act on Higher Education Institutions and on Amendments to Certain Acts (hereinafter referred to as the "Act") on the basis of a disciplinary commission proposal. The Dean of the faculty imposes a disciplinary measure on students enrolled in the study program carried out at the faculty in accordance with Section 31 of the Act on the basis of a proposal of the disciplinary commission of the faculty.

Article 2

Disciplinary Board

- (1) The Disciplinary Board of TUKE deals with disciplinary offences of students enrolled at TUKE. The disciplinary board of the faculty solves disciplinary offences of students enrolled at the faculty.
- (2) The Disciplinary Board has six members. The chairman and members of the relevant disciplinary board are appointed by the Rector or the Dean after prior approval in the Academic Senate of TUKE (hereinafter referred to as "AS TUKE") or in the academic senate of the faculty for a period of four years.
- (3) The members of the relevant disciplinary board are members of the academic community of TUKE or faculty. Half of the members of each disciplinary board are students from the relevant academic community.
- (4) The Disciplinary Board of TUKE or the faculty discusses disciplinary offences of students on the initiative of the Rector or Dean, to whom the breach of the student's duties was reported. The Disciplinary Board submits to the Rector or Dean the results of fact-finding and proposals for

disciplinary measures. The Disciplinary Board discusses a student's disciplinary offence even if the student has been convicted and the judgment in criminal proceedings has already become final.

- (5) The discussion of students' disciplinary offences, the proposal and the imposition of disciplinary measures shall be subject to Article 72 of Act no. 131/2002 Coll. on Higher Education Institutions and on Amendments to Certain Acts, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Act").
- (6) The proceedings of the Disciplinary Board shall be governed by the rules of procedure of the Disciplinary Board.

Article 3

Disciplinary measures

- (1) The following disciplinary measures may be imposed on the student for a disciplinary offence:
- a) reprimand;
- b) conditional expulsion for a set time period and conditions under which the conditional exclusion from the study will be cancelled;
- c) expulsion from study.
- (2) The imposition of disciplinary measures may be waived if the mere discussion of the disciplinary offence leads to student's correction.
- (3) A disciplinary offence cannot be discussed if a period of more than one year has elapsed since its commission or in the case of a conviction of a student from the date the judgment in criminal proceedings has become final.
- (4) Neither the Rector nor the Dean may impose a more stringent disciplinary measure than that proposed by the Disciplinary Board.

Article 4

Review of a decision

- (1) Student may submit a written request for review of the decision on disciplinary measure within a period of eight days from the date of delivery of the decision. Request shall be submitted to the authority that issued the decision.
- (2) If the disciplinary measure has been imposed by the Dean, he/she may comply with the student's request and change or cancel the decision within 15 days of receiving the request. If he/she does not comply with the request, the Dean will forward it to the Rector within the same time limit. The Rector will review the Dean's decision and if it is in conflict with the law, the internal regulations of TUKE or a part thereof, he/she will change or revoke the decision, otherwise he/she will reject the application and confirm the decision. The Rector shall issue a decision no later than 30 days from the delivery of the request for review of the decision on disciplinary measure.
- (3) If the disciplinary measure has been imposed by the Rector, he/she may comply with the student's request and change or cancel the decision within 15 days of receiving the request. If he/she does not comply with the request, the Rector will forward it to AS TUKE within the same time limit.

AS TUKE will review the Rector's decision and, if it is in conflict with the law or the internal regulations of TUKE, it will change or revoke the decision. AS TUKE must issue a decision no later than 30 days from the delivery of the request for review of the decision on disciplinary measure.

(4) A student's request for review of a decision on a disciplinary measure always has a suspensive effect.

Article 5

Final provisions

- (1) The TUKE Disciplinary Rules for Students approved by AS TUKE on 25 June 2002, amended on 8 March 2004 are ceased to have effect.
- (2) The TUKE Disciplinary Rules for Students, their changes and supplements shall enter into force and effect upon their approval by AS TUKE.
- (3) These TUKE Disciplinary Rules for Students were approved by AS TUKE on 3 March 2008, resolution number 16/2008.
- (4) Amendment No. 1 to the TUKE Disciplinary Rules for Students was approved by AS TUKE on 24 September 2018, resolution number 26/2018 and come into effect on 1 October 2018.

In Košice on 3 March 2008

Amendment No. 1 – in Košice on 25 September 2018

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