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Section 1 GENERAL TERMS

1.1. This Statute of the higher education institution is developed in accordance with the current legislation of Ukraine and regulates the activities of the Lviv Polytechnic National University (hereinafter - the University).

The University was founded on March 7, 1816 as the Imperial-Royal Real School in Lviv on the basis of the Royal Decree № 78 of the Austrian Emperor Franz I. In the process of further reorganization on the basis of the Imperial-Royal Real School in Lviv there were established the Imperial- Royal School of Technical Sciences and Trade in Lviv (1825-1835), Imperial-Royal Real-Trade Academy in Lviv (1835-1844), Imperial-Royal Technical Academy in Lviv (1844-1877), Imperial-Royal Higher Polytechnic School (1877 -1894), Imperial-Royal Polytechnic School in Lviv (1894-1921), Lviv Polytechnic (1921-1939), Lviv Polytechnic Institute (1939-1942), Technical professional courses in Lviv (1942-1944).

On the basis of the order of the All-Union Committee on Higher Education of the USSR of September 2, 1944 № 417 and the order of the Council of People's Commissars of the USSR of August 29, 1944 № 17580 Lviv Polytechnic Institute resumed its activity.

According to the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of August 13, 1993 № 646 "On Improving the Network of Higher Education Institutions" Lviv Polytechnic State University was established.

According to the Decree of the President of Ukraine of September 11, 2000 № 1059/2000 "On granting national status to some higher education institutions" the University was granted the status of "national". The University is a state-owned higher education institution and is managed by the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine.

1.2. Full official name of the University in Ukrainian: Національний університет «Львівська політехніка».

Abbreviated name of the University in Ukrainian: Львівська політехніка

Full official name of the University in foreign languages:

in English - Lviv Polytechnic National University;

in German - Nationaluniversitat "Lvivska Polytechnika";

in French - University Nationale "Polytechnique de Lviv";

in Polish - Uniwersytet Narodowy "Politechnika Lwowska";

in Russian - Национальный университет «Львовская политехника».

1.3. Location of the University: Ukraine, 79013, Lviv-13, Stepana Bandery Str., 12; phone (38032) 237-49-93, e-mail: rector@lp.edu.ua, fax: (38032) 258-26-80, website: www.lp.edu.ua.

1.4. The University is the legal successor of all property, rights and responsibilities of educational institutions and institutes that are part of its structure:

1) International Institute of Education, Culture and Diaspora Relations of Lviv Polytechnic National University (identification code 20856631), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Rector of Lviv Polytechnic of 21.04.1999, № 24-10;

2) Private Higher Educational Institution " Institute of Enterprise and Advanced Technologies" (identification code 25546852), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 10.12.1999, № 1122;

3) Lviv State Technical and Economic College (identification code 03363128), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of September 26, 2006, № 676;

4) Lviv Automobile and Road Technical School (identification code 03450726), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 16.07.2009, № 661;

5) Kolomyia Polytechnic College (identification code 20544802), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 22.01.2010, № 33;

6) Private Limited Company "Zolochiv College" (identification code 37278385), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 04.03.2010, № 181;

7) Technical College of Lviv Polytechnic National University (identification code 05393837), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 08.02.2010, № 84;

8) Lviv State Institute of Advanced Technologies and Management named after Viacheslav Chornovil (identification code 23968081), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 24.12.2010, № 1284;

9) Lviv Interregional Higher Vocational School of Communication (identification code 05537101), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 30.09.2011, № 1135;

10) Khmelnytskyi Polytechnic College (identification code 00216243), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 23.03.2015, № 339;

11) State Enterprise "Lviv State Center for Science, Innovation and Informatization" (identification code 02736432), affiliated to it in accordance with the order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 09.10.2015, № 1060;

12) Lviv College of the State University of Telecommunications (identification code 38898314), order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine of 12.11.2018, № 1225.

1.5. The University is a legal entity, the rights and obligations of which it acquired from the date of its state registration. The University exercises legal capacity to perform the tasks and functions provided for in the Statute. The University has an independent balance sheet, transaction, current, foreign currency and other accounts in banking institutions, registration accounts in the State Treasury Service of Ukraine, can

acquire property and personal non-property rights and have obligations on its own behalf, be a plaintiff and defendant in court.

1.6. The University has a seal with the Coat of Arms of Ukraine and its name, as well as duly registered trademark and other attributes of the legal entity.

1.7. The university has its own symbols and attributes.

1.8. The University operates in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine and the Statute on the principles of:

- 1) autonomy and self-government;
- 2) delimitation of rights, powers and responsibilities of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, governing bodies of the University and its structural units;
- 3) a combination of collegial and unanimous principles;
- 4) independence from political parties, public and religious organizations.

1.9. The main activities of the University:

1) training, retraining and advanced training of specialists with higher education in the relevant educational-professional, educational-scientific and scientific programs at all levels of higher education in accordance with state orders and contractual obligations;

2) training and certification of scientific and academic staff of high qualification;

3) scientific research and related work of the innovation cycle "Science - production", the introduction of modern market mechanisms of the innovative activity in the field of high technology on the basis of the interaction of education and science;

4) taking measures to further reform higher education in accordance with modern achievements in science and technology and economic requirements, taking into account the achievements of the world's top universities.

1.10. The main tasks of the University are:

1) undertaking educational activities at a high level, which ensures the persons to obtain higher education of the appropriate degree in their chosen specialties;

2) undertaking scientific activities by conducting research and ensuring the creative activities of participants in the educational process, training of highly qualified scientific personnel and the use of the results obtained in the educational process;

3) participation in the social and economic development of the state due to the formation of human capital;

4) formation of personality by patriotic, legal, ecological education, encouraging of moral values, social activity, civic position and responsibility, healthy lifestyle, ability to think freely and self-organize in modern conditions;

5) ensuring natural combination in the educational process of training, scientific and innovative activities;

6) creation of necessary conditions for realization of abilities and talents by the participants of educational process;

7) preservation and increasing of moral, cultural, scientific values and achievements of society;

8) spreading knowledge among the citizens, raising their educational and cultural level;

9) establishment of international relations and implementation of international activities in the field of education, science, sports, arts and culture;

10) studying the demand for certain specialties in the job market and promoting the employment of graduates.

1.11. Funds for the maintenance of the University are provided in the State Budget of Ukraine under a separate budget program of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine. The costs of the University for the training of specialists under contracts and more than the state order are financed by legal entities and individuals, including foreign ones.

1.12. The University has the right to issue state-standard higher education diplomas in accredited educational programs and its own-standard higher education documents in non-accredited educational programs.

1.13. The statutory activities of the University are free from the interference of political parties, public and religious organizations. Public organizations operate at the University on the basis specified by law. Interference of state and local authorities in the activities of the University is tolerated in cases provided by law.

Section 2

CONCEPT OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY OF THE UNIVERSITY

2.1. The educational activity of the University has been developed taking into account the National Doctrine of Education Development, Laws of Ukraine "On Education", "On Scientific and Scientific-Technical Activity", "On Higher Education", State National Program "Education" ("Ukraine of the 21st Century") and has been reflected in Concepts of educational activity of the University.

The main purpose of the University's educational activities is to train highly qualified and competitive in the national and international job market professionals for enterprises of all forms of ownership, scientific and educational institutions, government and administration at all levels of higher education based on national and universal values.

2.2. The principles of educational activities of the University are:

- 1) integration of training, research, innovation and production activities;
- 2) creating educational programs on a competency basis in accordance with the levels of the National Qualifications Framework and higher education standards;
- 3) ensuring an independent and objective assessment of learning outcomes and acquired qualifications;
- 4) compliance of the content of training with the needs of the job market and prospects of industries development;
- 5) ensuring equal access to educational programs of the University;
- 6) independence of educational activities from the influence of political parties, public and religious organizations;
- 7) formation of a system of internal quality assurance of educational activities;

8) creating conditions for the implementation of the concept of "Lifelong Learning";

9) humanism, democracy, patriotism, the priority of universal spiritual values.

2.3. The main fields of educational activity of the University are:

1) improving the management of the university and its organizational structure;

2) innovative educational activities and training of competitive specialists;

3) innovative scientific activities and improvement of its infrastructure;

4) it-based educational activities of the University;

5) international cooperation and integration into the international educational space;

6) development of student self-government and youth policy;

7) socio-economic development of the University.

2.4. The implementation of the concept of educational activities of the University is carried out through the appropriate staffing, logistics and financial support.

2.5. Details of the Concept of educational activities of the University, which is approved by the Academic Council of the University and adopted by the Conference of the staff, have been reflected in a separate normative document of the University.

Section 3

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE OF UKRAINE

3.1. The Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine (hereinafter - MES) exercises the rights and responsibilities of the body authorized by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine in relation to the University as the central executive body under whose jurisdiction and management the University is.

3.2. Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine:

1) determines the standards of facilities and resources and financial support of the University;

2) approves the Statute of the University and by the decision of the Conference of the staff of the University makes changes to it or approves the amendments;

3) within a month, enters into a contract with the head of the University, elected by competition in the manner prescribed by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education";

4) by the decision of the Conference of the staff of the University terminates the contract with the Rector of the University on the grounds specified by labor legislation, or for violation of this Statute and the terms of the contract;

5) controls financial and economic activities of the University;

6) controls the observance of this Statute;

7) exercise other powers provided by law.

3.3. The Ministry of Education and Science may delegate some of its powers to the Rector or another governing body of the University.

3.4 Regulations of the Ministry of Education and Science, adopted within its powers, are binding on the University.

Section 4 CIVIL LEGAL CAPACITY

4.1. Civil legal capacity of the University arises from the moment of its creation and is lost from the date of entry in the Unified State Register of its termination.

4.2. The University is a legal entity of public law - a government institution that operates on a non-profit basis.

4.3. The University, as a national institution of higher education, has the right to:

1) receive in accordance with the legislation on a priority basis the funds provided by the state budget for scientific and technical activities, basic and applied research, implementation of scientific programs, projects of national importance in the amount of not less than 10 percent of the state budget which is allocated for its maintenance;

2) determine the norms of time for educational and other work of academic and scientific staff;

3) to redistribute:

standards for the number of students for one position of academic staff in the specialties of one field of knowledge, taking into account the results of scientific activities of employees;

state order between specialties within the field of knowledge in the amount of not more than 5 percent of the total state order of the University with mandatory information of the Ministry of Education and Science;

licensed volume of admission to specialties within the relevant field of knowledge;

4) train specialists with higher education according to their own experimental educational programs and curricula;

5) receive on a priority basis funding for the purchase of scientific and educational equipment, computer programs, etc. from the state budget;

6) introduce their own symbols and attributes, use the word "national" in its name;

7) form on its basis innovative structures of different types (scientific and technological parks, business incubators, small enterprises, etc.) on the basis of combining the interests of high-tech companies, science, education, business and state to carry out and implement innovative projects;

8) make independent decisions and take appropriate action within its competence in educational, academic and research, scientific-experimental, production and commercial activities;

9) carry out financial, commercial and other activities in accordance with the legislation and this Statute;

10) open current and deposit accounts in banks;

11) form and approve its own staff list in accordance with the legislation;

12) establish their own forms of moral and financial rewards for students and staff;

- 13) hire pedagogical, scientific, scientific-pedagogical and other employees;
- 14) establish secondary education institutions in coordination with local authorities;
- 15) be a founder or co-founder of institutions of vocational (technical), vocational pre-higher education and colleges;
- 16) form, reorganize and liquidate their structural units;
- 17) be a founder or participant of economic and public associations, foundations, business associations, other business entities in accordance with the law, in particular with the participation of domestic, foreign entities (participants) and foreign states, on the basis of direct contracts, agreements and contracts for complex educational activity, scientific researches, manufacturing and starting of innovative production;
- 18) apply with an initiative to the bodies carrying out management in the field of higher education, on amendments to existing or development of new regulations in the field of higher education, as well as participate in the preparation of drafts of these acts;
- 19) carry out joint activities with educational institutions, scientific institutions and other legal entities on the basis of relevant agreements;
- 20) place its scientific-research, training, research, production and other units at enterprises, institutions and organizations;
- 21) establish standards for providing structural units of the university with material values and resources;
- 22) introduce rating assessment of educational, artistic, scientific-research and innovative achievements of students and staff;
- 23) provide additional educational and other services in accordance with the legislation;
- 24) independently develop and implement its own programs of educational, artistic, scientific, scientific-technical and innovative activities;
- 25) independently introduce specializations, determine their content and programs of academic disciplines;
- 26) award degrees of higher education to applicants for higher education who in accordance with the law, successfully passed the certification procedure after graduation at the appropriate level of higher education;
- 27) determine the topics and carry out basic and applied research in new scientific and technical fields at their own expense;
- 28) develop scientific, scientific and technical, socio-economic forecasts for the development of economic sectors;
- 29) transfer the technologies developed at the University at the expense of budget and University's funds;
- 30) use the funds received as a result of technology transfer for the development of its research, modernization of scientific material and technical recourses, rewards for scientific and academic staff of the University;
- 31) carry out publishing activities, namely to publish textbooks, work books, scientific works, as well as to develop its printing recourses;

32) sell educational materials, teaching and learning aids, scientific literature, reference books, as well as scientific journals and other printed matters of the University publishing house and other publishers through its own retail trade network and other distributors, to commercialize scientific and methodical developments;

33) conduct scientific and scientific and technical expertise;

34) establish and change the structure of the University in accordance with the law;

35) make final decision on the award of scientific degrees by accredited specialized scientific councils (the degree of Doctor of Arts by accredited specialized Doctoral scientific councils);

36) make final decision on the recognition, including the recognition of foreign educational documents such as bachelor's, master's, doctor of philosophy / doctor of arts, doctor of sciences degrees and academic titles of associate professor, professor during enrollment and / or applying for scientific or research and teaching post;

37) award the honorary scientific degree "Doctor honoris causa" and the title of Honorary Professor of Lviv National Polytechnic University; establish and award other honorary titles and honours of the University;

38) develop and implement educational (scientific) programs within licensed specialties;

39) independently determine the forms of education and forms of organization of the educational process;

40) choose the types of Bachelor's and Master's degree programs provided by the International Standard Classification of Education;

41) within the licensed number to form a student and trainee bodies who study at the expense of the State budget or at the expense of legal entities and individuals on condition of a mandatory execution of the state order;

42) form post graduate student and doctoral student bodies who study at the expense of the State budget (within the state order), as well as at the expense of legal entities and individuals;

43) on the basis of appropriate agreements, received grants, etc. send students, graduate students, employees of the University to study, undergo training, improve their skills in Ukrainian or foreign educational and scientific institutions or enterprises;

44) determine the directions, programs and organizational forms of research activities and the implementation of its results;

45) participate in the work of international organizations;

46) receive foreign students, post graduate students, specialists and delegations in compliance with the legislation of Ukraine;

47) establish nominal scholarships and scholarships of the Academic Council of the University;

48) carry out all types of economic activity which are subject to licensing, after obtaining the relevant licenses in the manner prescribed by law;

49) improve the living conditions of the University employees in accordance with the current legislation;

- 50) use University's revenues, in particular from the provision of paid services;
- 51) determine working hours and internal regulations;
- 52) produce and sell souvenirs and products with the symbols of the University;
- 53) claim benefits in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine;
- 54) exercise other rights that do not contradict the law.

4.4. In order to develop facilities and recourses and increase the efficiency of the main activities the University:

1) performs scientific-research, scientific and technological, scientific and production, designing and research, developmental, design-engineering, commissioning, installation, construction and installation and experimental work, carries out certification activities;

2) develops, tests, manufactures components of spacecraft and components of the ground control complex of spacecraft;

3) does works, provides services in the telecommunications and information fields; provides landline telephone communication services with the right to maintain and operate telecommunications networks and provide communication channels for use; maintains and operates on-air, TV and radio broadcasting networks, wired radio broadcasting and TV networks, provides telecommunication channels for use; installs structures of external and internal utility, communication, alarm systems as well as radio, television, information systems, installs technical equipment and commissions communication systems;

4) develops and manufactures special technical means for interception, other means of surreptitious obtaining of information, as well as trades in special technical means for interception and other means of surreptitious obtaining of information;

5) develops, manufactures, uses, implements, operates, carries out certification tests, case studies and examination, imports, exports cryptosystems and means of cryptographic security of information and holographic security elements, provides services in the field of cryptographic security of information, trade in cryptosystems and means of cryptographic security;

6) retails audiovisual works, phonograms, videograms, computer programs, databases, as well as sells them through other distributors;

7) develops, manufactures, implements, maintains systems and means of technical information protection, carries out their expert review and certification tests, investigates their effectiveness and provides services in the field of technical information protection;

8) performs land surveys and land evaluations;

9) carries out expert and estimated money evaluation of land and property;

10) conducts certification of workplaces with harmful working conditions;

11) performs energy audits;

12) prepares urban planning documentation and transport infrastructure of residential areas, does planning of residential area building;

13) manufactures prototypes, special equipment and devices, products for scientific and technical, educational and economic purposes;

- 14) implements the objects of intellectual property rights of the University;
- 15) carries out intermediary activities in the field of innovation, in particular in the field of technology transfer;
- 16) provides special services of highly qualified specialists: consulting, expertise, audit, legal services, certification, metrological certification, laboratory analysis, software development; commissioning, geodetic, topographic-geodesic, cadastral, cartographic works; aerial, photogrammetric and digital surveys, surveys of the earth's surface and water bodies, construction, engineering and architectural structures using air drones, photogrammetric processing of aerospace and ground images for topography, cartography, land management, cadastral, land evaluating and land geocological research, etc.;
- 17) conducts publishing activities aimed at the preparation and publication of educational and methodological, educational, scientific and other publishing products, develops its own printing facilities, manufactures and distributes publishing products;
- 18) makes interpretation and translation, consecutive and simultaneous translation, translation support of conferences, meetings, negotiations, proofreading;
- 19) carries out exchange and leasing operations;
- 20) cooperates with foreign partners and international organizations;
- 21) provides individuals and legal entities with paid services specified for higher education institutions by the legislation of Ukraine and relevant regulations;
- 22) conducts construction activities;
- 23) restores and renovates architectural monuments;
- 24) designs, installs, maintains security alarm and fire protection systems, heating systems, assesses the fire safety conditions of the facilities;
- 25) manufactures products from precious metals and stones during research and educational process;
- 26) organizes and conducts sports competitions for professional and amateur athletes;
- 27) trains athletes in various sports recognized in Ukraine;
- 28) carries out activities related to the circulation of precursors included in list 2 of Table IV of the "List of narcotic drugs, psychotropic substances and precursors", approved by the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of 06.05.2000 № 770;
- 29) develops, tests and implements software;
- 30) carries out other types of production, commercial and economic activities in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine.

4.5. Responsibilities of the University:

- 1) to comply with the law, standards of educational activity and standards of higher education;
- 2) to fulfill state orders and obligations under agreements with legal entities and individuals;
- 3) to take measures, including the introduction of appropriate new technologies, to prevent and detect academic plagiarism in the scientific work of scientific,

pedagogical, pedagogical, other employees and higher education seeker and bring them to disciplinary responsibility;

4) to publish on the official website of the University dissertations of persons obtaining a doctorate in specialized scientific councils of the University, and dissertations (or scientific reports in case of defense of scientific achievements published in the form of a monograph or set of articles) of persons obtaining a doctorate in specialized scientific councils of the University, as well as opponents' reviews in accordance with the law;

5) to provide proper conditions for educational and other activities, safe and non-hazardous working, training and education conditions, meet sanitary and environmental standards;

6) to ensure academic freedom in pedagogical, scientific-pedagogical, scientific and / or innovative activities;

7) to provide each employee with work place and necessary tools to perform his\her official duties;

8) to provide scientific and pedagogical workers at their request with material and technical means in the amount sufficient for the training of specialists and the performance of research work;

9) to have an internal system for ensuring the quality of educational activities and the quality of higher education;

10) to create the necessary conditions for receiving higher education for persons with special educational needs;

11) to publish on the official website, on information boards and in any other way information on the exercise of the rights and fulfillment of obligations;

12) to store and rationally use the property and funds of the University;

13) to keep financial discipline, rules of accounting and reporting;

14) to provide opportunities for professional development of teachers and scientists in Ukraine and abroad;

15) to provide information at the request of the employee in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine;

16) to promote social protection and rehabilitation of students, educational staff, researchers and other employees of the University;

17) to meet the cultural needs of employees and students, to create conditions for the functioning of the amateur groups;

18) to ensure public order on the premises of the University and the campus;

19) to promote the activities of public self-government bodies of the University;

20) to promote the participation of employees and students of the University in the work of international organizations, structures, etc.

Section 5 STRUCTURE OF THE UNIVERSITY

5.1. The structure of the University, the status and functions of its structural units are determined by this Statute and the Regulations on the respective structural units.

Structural units are formed, reorganized or closed down in accordance with the decision of the Academic Council of the University in the manner prescribed by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" and this Statute.

5.2. The structural units of the University are:

- 1) educational and scientific institutes;
- 2) offices, colleges;
- 3) departments;
- 4) centers and laboratories (scientific-educational, educational-scientific, educational-consulting, research and innovation, information, information-telecommunication), complexes (educational, educational-scientific-industrial, of general services), associations;
- 5) research department;
- 6) training, research, design and survey, design and engineering, experimental design, experimental implementing, engineering, information, certification, production and other units, including geodetic training grounds (centers for geodetic and construction trainings) in Berezhany, Ternopil region and in Shatsk, Volyn region;
- 7) scientific and technical library given the status of a scientific unit of the University;
- 8) publishing house;
- 9) science park, training workshops, production, commercial units;
- 10) administrative units and units of general services;
- 11) units of social and sports and health infrastructure, including: Prosvita People's House, recreational camp "Polytechnic-1" in Alushta, Autonomous Republic of Crimea, recreational camp "Polytechnic-2" in the village of Slavske, Skole district, Lviv region, recreational camp "Polytechnic-3" in the village of Koblevo, Berezhany district of the Mykolaiiv region, recreational camp "Polytechnic-4" in the village of Zozuli, Zolochiv district, Lviv region, sport and recreation camp in the village of Rozluch, Turkiv district, Lviv region, dormitories, campus, canteen, regional offices and other territorially autonomous units of the University, educational and consulting centers - distance learning centers;
- 12) Small Technical Academy of Sciences;
- 13) Intellectual educational and scientific center of professional and career guidance;
- 14) Lviv Polytechnic sport club;
- 15) educational student weekly newspaper "Audytoria";
- 16) other structural units of the University.

5.3. In order to ensure the statutory activities of the University, faculties may be established.

5.4. The University, together with all its structural units, is the single educational and scientific complex that uses the property assigned to it on the basis of the right of economic management in the form of buildings, structures, equipment and other

material resources allocated to the University from the state budget, ministries, departments, enterprises, organizations, firms and acquired at its own revenue.

5.5. The structural units operate on the basis of the relevant Regulations approved by the Rector.

Section 6 UNIVERSITY MANAGEMENT

6.1. The direct management of the University is carried out by the Rector, whose rights, duties and responsibilities are determined by the legislation and the Statute of the University.

Rector's elections are held in compliance with the principles of openness, transparency, secret and free expression of will, voluntary participation in elections, democracy, and equality of rights of election participants.

The Rector acts on the basis of single leadership in accordance with the legislation and the Statute. The procedure for appointment or dismissal of the Rector and requirements for candidates for this position are determined by the legislation of Ukraine.

6.2. The Rector represents the University in relations with state and local authorities, legal entities and individuals and has a power of attorney within the powers provided by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" and by the Statute of the University.

6.3. Rector of the University within the powers granted to him:

- 1) organizes the activities of the University;
- 2) decides on the financial and economic activities of the University, approves its structure and staff list;
- 3) issues orders and directives, gives mandatory instructions to all participants in the educational process and structural units of the University;
- 4) is responsible for the results of the University to the Ministry of Science and Education of Ukraine or its authorized body (person);
- 5) is the administrator of the property and funds of the University;
- 6) concludes contracts;
- 7) appoints and dismisses employees of the University;
- 8) provides labor protection, observance of law and order;
- 9) determines the functional responsibilities of employees and approves job descriptions of employees of the University;
- 10) forms student body of the University;
- 11) expels from the University and renews University students in coordination with student self-government bodies and primary trade unions (if these persons are members of the trade union), on the grounds established by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education";

- 12) organizes and controls the implementation of curricula and academic programs;
- 13) monitors compliance with the corporate and financial discipline by all University units;
- 14) controls the quality of work of pedagogical, scientific-pedagogical, scientific and other employees;
- 15) ensures the creation of conditions for effective and open public control over the activities of the University;
- 16) promotes and creates conditions for the activities of student self-government bodies, trade unions of University employees and students, public organizations running at the University;
- 17) promotes the formation of a healthy lifestyle of University students, improves sport and healthcare facilities of the University, creates appropriate conditions for mass sports;
- 18) together with the elected bodies of the primary organizations of trade unions of workers and trade unions of students of the University submits for approval by the Conference of the staff of the University Regulations and Collective Employment Agreement and after approval signs them; ensures the fulfillment of the administration's obligations under this agreement;
- 19) offers University students and employees moral and material rewards; brings them to disciplinary responsibility;
- 20) determines the procedure for granting and establishing the amounts bonuses, financial rewards and aids for academic staff and other employees of the University;
- 21) approves and puts into effect the regulations of the University (regulations, programs, requirements and rules, incomes and expenses, etc.);
- 22) organizes and controls the implementation of statute and agreements of the University;
- 23) exercise other powers mentioned in the Statute.

6.4. Rector may also have other powers in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine.

6.5. If Rector of the University is absent, his/her duties are entrusted to the first Vice-Rector or another official of the University in accordance with the delegation of responsibilities, which are determined by Rector in accordance with paragraph nine of Article 34 of the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education".

6.6. Rector is responsible for the implementation of educational, academic, scientific and technical, and innovative activities at the University, for the results of financial and economic activities, condition and preservation of immovable and other property of the University.

6.7. Rector reports annually to the Ministry of Education and Science or its authorized body (person) and the Conference of the staff.

6.8. Rector is obliged to publish the annual report on his activities on the official website of the University.

6.9. According to the Statute, Rector of the University may delegate part of his powers to his deputies (vice-rectors) and heads of structural units.

6.10. Rector guarantees:

1) observance and fulfillment of the requirements of the legislation, orders of the Ministry of Science and Education, other regulations and the Statute at the University;

2) conducting the educational process in accordance with the standards of educational activities and standards of higher education, training of highly qualified specialists of the appropriate level of qualification for the needs of the national economy, education and science;

3) fulfillment of the state order and contractual obligations on training of specialists for the needs of the national economy, in particular on a commercial basis;

4) high efficiency of research work and implementation of scientific developments;

5) carrying out innovation activities on the basis of integrated interaction of education, science and innovation;

6) retraining and advanced training of University employees;

7) labor protection, observance of law and order at the University;

8) implementation of social development programs of the staff;

9) implementation of the financial plan (budget) of the University;

10) submission of appropriate financial, tax and statistical reports to the Ministry of Education and Science and other bodies on time;

11) keeping official and state secrets, non-disclosure of confidential official information owned by the state;

12) functioning of advisory bodies of the University;

13) creating conditions for effective and open public control over the activities of the University.

6.11. To address the main issues of the University, the Rector establishes employee organization and advisory body and defines their powers.

6.12. After retiring from the position of Rector, a person who has held this position for at least 10 consecutive years may be appointed an advisor to the Rector on a voluntary basis or at the expense of the University on the basis of a resolution of the Academic Council of the University.

6.13. The candidate for the position of the Rector of the University must be a citizen of Ukraine, fluent in the official language, have an academic rank and degree and experience in the positions of academic staff for at least 10 years.

The same person may not be the Rector of the University for more than two terms.

6.14. Cannot be elected, appointed (including acting for) to the position of Rector of the University a person who:

1) has been declared incompetent by a court decision or whose legal capacity is limited;

2) has a criminal record for committing a crime, if such a criminal record has not been canceled or cleared in the manner prescribed by law;

3) in accordance with the court decision, is denied the right to hold relevant positions;

4) by a court decision was found guilty of committing a corruption offense - within one year from the date of entry into force of the relevant court decision;

5) has been subjected to an administrative penalty for a corruption offense - within one year from the date of entry into force of the relevant court decision;

6) falls under the third part of Article 1 of the Law of Ukraine "On Purification of Power";

6.15. The Rector of the University is elected by secret ballot for a term of 5 years according to Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" and the Statute of the University.

6.16. The procedure for electing the Rector of the University includes an announcing a competition and receiving documents from candidates for the position; election preparation; holding elections.

6.17. The Ministry of Education and Science announces a competition for the position of Rector of the University no later than two months before the expiration of the contract of the person holding this position. In case of early termination of the powers of the Rector of the University, the competition is announced within a week from the date of the vacancy.

6.18. Within two months from the date of announcing the competition for the position of Rector of the University, the Ministry of Education and Science accepts proposals for candidates for the position of Rector of the University and within 10 days from the deadline for submission of relevant proposals, nominates candidates who meet the requirements of the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" to the University for voting.

6.19. The right to participate in the election of the Rector of the University may:

1) every scientific and pedagogical employee of the University;

2) representatives of other full-time employees, who are elected by the relevant employees by direct secret ballot;

3) elected representatives of students who are elected by students by direct secret ballot.

The total number of academic staff of the University should be at least 75 percent of the total number of employees entitled to participate in elections, the number of elected representatives of other employees of the University should not exceed 10 percent, and the number of elected student representatives must be at least 15 percent of those eligible to vote.

6.20. Features of the electoral system of the Rector of the University are regulated by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" taking into account the Guidelines for the peculiarities of the electoral system and the procedure for electing the head of higher education institution, approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine on December 5, 2014 № 726 (as amended).

6.21. Elections shall be deemed to have taken place if more than 50 per cent of the total number of persons eligible to vote have taken part, each of whom has one vote and votes in person.

6.22. The Ministry of Education and Science concludes a contract with a person (candidate) who received more than 50 percent of the votes of persons entitled to participate in the election for a period of five years not later than one month from the date of his election.

6.23. The Rector of the University may be dismissed from the position by the Ministry of Education and Science, as well as in connection with the decision to recall him by the Conference of the University staff on the grounds of labor law, for violation of the Statute and contract.

An application for the recall of the Rector of the University may be submitted to the Conference of the staff of the University by at least half of the members of the Supervisory or Academic Council of the University. Decision to recall the Rector of the University is affirmed by a majority of votes granted that at least two thirds of the Conference of the University staff is present.

6.24. The management of educational and scientific institutes, colleges, scientific and technical library is carried out by directors, departments are headed by heads of the departments, the order of election (appointment), rights, duties and responsibilities of which are determined by law, Statute, regulations of relevant departments and other local regulations of the University.

6.25. The Director of the Educational and Scientific Institute is elected by the Academic Council of the Educational and Scientific Institute of the University by a majority vote of its members, taking into account the proposals of the staff of the Educational and Scientific Institute.

6.26. Collegiate management of the University is carried out by the Conference of the University staff (hereinafter - the Conference) and the Academic Council of the University within its powers.

6.27. Collegiate management of the structural unit of the University is carried out by the Conference (general meeting) of the staff of the relevant structural unit, the Academic Council of the educational and scientific institute, the relevant collegial body of another structural unit.

6.28. The powers of the collegial governing bodies of the structural units of the University are determined by the regulations on these structural units.

Section 7 ACADEMIC BOARD OF THE UNIVERSITY

7.1. In order to implement the principles of autonomy and self-government, a combination of collegial and unanimous principles in its activities at the University the Academic Board of the University, Supervisory Board, Academic Boards of educational and scientific institutes, Scientific and Technical Board, Scientific and Methodological Board have been created.

7.2. The Academic Board of the University (hereinafter - the Academic Board) is a collegial body that considers the most important issues of activity and development

of the University. The work of the Academic Board and elections to it are carried out in accordance with the Regulations of the Academic Board approved by the Academic Board.

7.3. The Academic Board of the University is formed for a period of five years.

7.4. Elections to the Academic Board of the University begin 30 calendar days before the expiration of the previous term of the Academic Board. Members of the Academic Board of the University are approved by the Rector's order within five working days from the date of termination of the previous Academic Board.

7.5. The Academic Board:

1) plans the strategy and perspective directions of development of educational, scientific and innovative activity of the University;

2) develops and submits to the Conference of the academic staff a draft of the Statute of the University, as well as the decision to make amendments to it;

3) approves the financial plan and annual financial report of the University;

4) adopts the system and approves the procedures for internal quality assurance of education;

5) makes decisions on the placement of the revenues in the territorial bodies of the central body of executive power in the field of treasury servicing of budget funds or in banking institutions;

6) develops in the appropriate commissions, considers and submits to the Rector for approval the draft regulations of the University governing all statutory activities of the University, decides on the proposal of the Rector on the formation, reorganization or liquidation of the main structural and administrative units of the University and departments;

7) determines the powers of the academic boards of educational and scientific institutes, members of which are elected on the same basis as the members of the Academic Board of the University;

8) makes decisions on the organization of the educational process, agrees on the terms of study at the appropriate levels, approves the Regulations on the organization of the educational process at the University;

9) approves educational programs and curricula for each level of higher education and specialty;

10) approves the Regulations on examination boards for attestation of persons obtaining junior bachelor's, bachelor's or master's degrees;

11) approves the sample and procedure for preparing its own document on higher education, regulations on the procedure and grounds for its issuance to graduates, as well as samples, procedure for preparation, procedure and grounds for issuing joint and double diplomas to graduates;

12) approves the main directions of research and innovation;

13) evaluates the scientific and pedagogical activities of structural units;

14) considers, at the request of the Rector, candidates for the position of Vice-Rectors and Chief Accountant of the University;

15) elects by competition by secret ballot to the positions of heads of departments, professors, director of the library; approves the procedure for holding the competition; election by competition to the positions of associate professors is delegated to the academic boards of educational and scientific institutes;

16) approves the Rules of admission to the University;

17) assigns academic titles of professor, associate professor and senior researcher and submits appropriate decisions to the attestation board of the Ministry of Education and Science;

18) make final decisions on the accepting of foreign documents on higher education, scientific degrees and academic titles during the employment of pedagogical, scientific, scientific-pedagogical and other employees, as well as during the enrollment of entrants;

19) make final decisions on the accepting of documents on higher education issued by institutions of Christian higher education, the statutes (regulations) of which are registered in the manner prescribed by law, when enrolling entrants;

20) awards the honorary scientific degree "Doctor honoris causa" and the title of Honorary Professor of Lviv Polytechnic National University on the basis of the relevant regulations of the University;

21) recommends scientists to be full members and corresponding members of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, the Academy of Pedagogical Sciences of Ukraine and other academies;

22) nominates the employees of the University for government awards and honorary titles;

23) nominates and presents scientific developments and projects for national and international awards;

24) establishes nominal scholarships and scholarships of the Academic Board of the University, recommends candidates for nominal and special scholarships;

25) considers and submits to the Rector proposals concerning the list, members and powers of advisory functional bodies of the University - scientific-methodical and scientific-technical boards, budget-financial commission, etc .;

26) has the right to submit for consideration to the Conference of the academic staff a request to recall the Rector from the post on the grounds provided by the legislation of Ukraine, the Statute of the University and the contract;

27) may delegate part of its powers to the scientific boards of educational and scientific institutes;

28) considers other issues of the University activity in accordance with the Statute.

7.6. Consideration of issues by the Academic Board and the adopted resolutions shall be recorded and the records of the meetings shall be signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Academic Board.

7.7. Decisions of the Academic Board are put into effect by the Rector by his orders.

7.8. The Academic Board of the University is headed by the chairman, who is elected by the members of the Academic Board by secret ballot from among the

members of the Academic Board who have a degree and / or academic (honorary) title for the term of the Academic Board.

7.9. According to their positions, the members of the Academic Board of the University are: Rector, Vice-Rectors, Directors of Educational and Scientific Institutes and Colleges, Technical Colleges and Lyceums which are structural units of the University, Academic Secretary of the University who also holds the position of the Secretary of the Academic Council of the University, Director of the Scientific and Technical Library, Chief Accountant, Presidium of the Conference of the Academic Staff, Chairman of the Trade Union Committee of the Largest Trade Union of University Employees, Chairman of the Trade Union Committee of the Largest Trade Union of University Students, Chairman of the University Board of Young Scientists, Chairman of the University Student Board, elected representatives of scientific, scientific and pedagogical staff from among the heads of the departments, professors, doctors of sciences, doctors of philosophy, elected representatives of other employees of the University who work in it on a permanent basis, elected representatives from among the University students.

7.10. According to the decision of the Academic Board, it may also include representatives of employers' organizations with the right of advisory vote.

At the same time, the number of scientific and scientific and pedagogical staff should be at least 75%, and the elected representatives from among the University students should be not less than 10% of the total number of the Academic Board.

7.11. Elected representatives of the University employees are elected by the Conference of the staff on the proposal of the structural units in which they work.

7.12. Each department is represented in the Academic Board by one elected person.

7.13. Elected representatives from among the University students are elected by direct secret ballot by the highest body of student self-government.

7.14. The Chairman of the Academic Board may propose to include in the Academic Board of the University representatives of structural units that do not have departments.

7.15. Members of the Academic Board who have terminated their employment with the University, members of the University staff dismissed from the positions from which they were introduced to the Academic Board, and members who submitted a reasoned application to resign to the Chairman of the Board shall be removed from the Academic Board, as well as representatives of the University students, who are not students any more.

7.16. In case of liquidation of the department, the membership of its representative in the Academic Board is terminated. The newly created departments acquire the right of representation in the Academic Board of the University.

Representatives of the newly created departments, as well as departments whose representatives left the Academic Board, are introduced into the Board in accordance with the regulations for the formation of the current Academic Board of the University.

7.17. Regular meetings of the Academic Board of the University are held, as a rule, monthly. Extraordinary meetings of the Academic Board of the University may be convened at the initiative of the Rector, the Chairman of the Academic Board or at the request of at least one third of the members of the Academic Board of the University.

7.18. In the absence of the Chairman of the Academic Board of the University, its meeting is held by the Deputy.

7.19. The Academic Board of the University is valid if at least 2/3 of its members take part in the meeting. A decision is considered adopted if more than half of the members of the Academic Board of the University who are present at the meeting voted for it, except in cases provided by the statute and legislation.

7.20. Academic councils of educational and scientific institutes are formed for a period of 5 years.

7.21. The Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute is headed by the Chairman, who is elected for the period of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute during its meeting by secret ballot from among members with scientific degree and / or academic (honorary) title. On the proposal of the Chairman, the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute elects his deputy and secretary.

The Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute includes: Director - Director of the Educational and Scientific Institute, Deputy Director, Deans, Heads of Departments, Chairman of the Scientific and Methodological Board of the Institute, heads of self-governing bodies of the Educational and Scientific Institute (Chairman of the Society of Students, Postgraduate Students, Doctoral Students and Young Scientists, Chairman of the Student Union), chairman of the trade union bureau of workers and students of the educational and scientific institute; elected representatives representing scientific, scientific and pedagogical staff and elected from among professors, doctors of sciences (doctors of philosophy); elected representatives representing other employees of the educational and scientific institute working in the educational and scientific institute on a permanent basis; elected representatives from among students.

7.22. Elected representatives of employees are elected by the general meeting of scientific, scientific and pedagogical and other staff of the institute at the request of the structural units in which they work, by quota - one elected representative from 10 employees of the educational and scientific institute.

Elected representatives from among the students are elected by direct secret ballot by the highest body of student self-government of the institute i.e. the conference of students of the educational and scientific institute.

At the same time, not less than 75% of the total number of members of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute must be scientific, scientific and pedagogical staff of the Educational and Scientific Institute and not less than 10% should be elected representatives from among students studying at the Institute.

7.23. The Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute is valid if at least 2/3 of the statutory members take part in the meeting. A resolution is considered adopted if more than half of the present members of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute voted for it.

7.24. The Rector, at the request of the Director, issues an order on the members of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute.

7.25. The powers of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute include: issues of educational and methodological, research, instructional and economic activities of the Educational and Scientific Institute and its logistics; hearing reports of heads of departments, chairmen of boards and commissions, graduate students, doctoral students, academic staff of the educational and scientific institute; consideration of educational programs and curricula, approval of the financial plan and report of the educational and scientific institute, reports on the implementation of research work; initiating research and economic work aimed at improving educational, scientific and methodological work; submission to the Academic Board of the University of proposals for the award of academic titles to scientific and pedagogical workers and other employees of the educational and scientific institute; decision-making on issues delegated by the Academic Board of the University.

7.26. The Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute elects by secret ballot for the positions of assistants, teachers, senior lecturers, associate professors after consideration of the candidates by the relevant departments.

7.27. The Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute discusses the candidates for the positions of professors after their consideration at the relevant department and submits proposals to the Academic Board of the University in the form of voting results.

7.28. Decisions of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute are put into effect by order of the Director of the Educational and Scientific Institute.

7.29. The decision of the Academic Board of the Educational and Scientific Institute may be revoked by the Academic Board of the University.

7.30. Scientific-methodical and scientific-technical councils are created at the University, which operate in accordance with the relevant provisions.

7.31. The University may establish specialized academic councils for the defense of dissertations in relevant specialties.

7.32. To address current issues of the University, working bodies are formed, i.e. rectorate, directorates of institutes, the admissions committee and advisory bodies.

The advisory bodies of the University are the Council of Elders, the Board of the University Alumni Association. The members of the advisory bodies are approved by the Rector of the University.

Regulations on working and advisory bodies of the University are approved by the Academic Board of the University and put into effect by order of the Rector of the University in accordance with the Statute.

7.33. The Rectorate decides on current issues of educational, scientific, pedagogical, economic and financial activities of the University, develops and submits

to the Academic Board of the University proposals for resolving issues within its competence.

The Rectorate is headed by the Rector. The Rectorate includes vice-rectors, directors of institutes, heads of departments and heads of other structural units.

The members of the Rectorate are approved by order of the Rector. The Rector may invite other persons to the Rectorate meeting which are convened and conducted by the Rector.

Decisions are made on the issues considered by the Rectorate. At joint meetings of the Rectorate and the trade union committee with the participation of heads of structural units, issues covered by the collective agreement are resolved. Decisions of the Rectorate are put into effect by orders of the Rector.

7.34. Directorates of institutes organize, coordinate and control the educational, scientific, methodological and economic activities of the departments of educational and scientific institutes. The directorate is headed by the director of the institute. The order of formation, members and powers of the directorate are determined in the regulations of the institute, which are approved by the Academic Board of the University.

7.35. The Admissions Committee forms a contingent of students and trainees of the University of all forms of education. The members of the admissions committee are approved by the Rector, who is its chairman. The term of admissions committee is one year. Before the expiration of the term, the Admissions Committee reports on the results of its activities to the Academic Board of the University.

Section 8 SUPERVISORY BOARD

8.1. University Supervisory Board is established by a decree of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine to supervise University property management, and adherence to the purpose of the University's existence.

8.2. Supervisory Board shall facilitate:

- 1) resolution of future-oriented tasks of University development;
- 2) the attraction of financial resources to provide for the University operation in its main areas of development; supervision over the use of such funds;
- 3) effective interaction of the University with governmental agencies and local self-government bodies, the academic community, social and political organizations, and economic agents with a view to develop and improve the quality of education and increase the competitiveness of the University;
- 4) consideration and analysis of the priority areas of University development in education, science, technology, and innovations;
- 5) provision of the University with support for the improvement of facilities and resources for the educational process, research and development activities, as well as the improvement of its social infrastructure;

- 6) integration of the University into the international education system, search for ways to extend and deepen international cooperation of the University;
- 7) creation of a positive image of the University as an educational, scientific, and cultural institution both at the regional and national levels.

8.3. The Supervisory Board exercises public control over the operation of the University.

8.4. Members of the Supervisory Board are entitled to:

- 1) participate in the Staff Conference of the University with the right of a deliberative vote;
- 2) participate in devising the development strategy of the University and oversee its implementation;
- 3) facilitate the attraction of additional sources of funding;
- 4) analyze and evaluate the work of the University and its Rector;
- 5) control the University finance plan and/or budget performance and introduce the respective proposals and recommendations that must be considered by the Rector;
- 6) make submissions to the MoES to incentivize or withdraw the Rector on the grounds prescribed by the law;
- 7) partake in the sessions of the Academic Board of the University, academic councils of its structural subdivisions, university administration, and other structural and advisory subdivisions and bodies with deliberative vote;
- 8) exercise other rights defined by the founding documents of the University.

8.5. Supervisory Board is entitled to:

- 1) make submissions to the Staff Conference of the University and/or MoES to recall Rector from office on the grounds stipulated by the law, this Statute, the contract;
- 2) obtain information and materials necessary to perform its functions from the University administration and administrations of its structural subdivisions following the established procedure;
- 3) form coordinating commissions, expert and working groups on matters of support, and academic and organizational assistance to the Board's functions; engage local and international researchers, experts and professionals (upon their consent) to work in such commissions (groups);
- 4) engage experts of central and local executive bodies and self-government, enterprises, and institutions (subject to agreement of their management) to audits, expert evaluations, and consideration of the matters in their competence;
- 5) hold conferences, seminars, and meetings on the matters in its competence following the established procedure;
- 6) provide recommendations to the Academic Board and administration of the University regarding the ways and methods to improve its statutory activity;
- 7) inform MoE about the state of affairs and management efficiency of the University, submit proposals to take measures to eliminate the violations detected;
- 8) cover its activity in mass media, make public the results of its activity at meetings, conferences, special booths, official websites.

8.6. The composition of the Supervisory Board of the University shall be approved by the MoES. The term of office of the Supervisory Board is five years.

8.7. The Supervisory Board cannot include higher education seekers and University employees.

8.8. Supervisory Board competences:

- 1) preparing proposals to determine priorities for the development of educational, academic, research and development, and innovative activity of the University, to optimize the organizational structure of the University according to the areas of its statutory activity, and submitting these proposals to the Academic Board and administration of the University;
- 2) participation in the development of draft programs aimed at the improvement of the facilities and resources of the University, as well as its social infrastructure;
- 3) monitoring the state and quality of educational, academic, research and development, and international activity of the university, facilitating the implementation of innovative technologies for the organization of the educational and research process at the University;
- 4) facilitating the attraction of investments and obtainment of additional funds, tangible and intangible assets for the purposes of educational, research, formative, recreational, sports, and cultural and educational activity of the University;
- 5) monitoring the economic, financial, and business processes at the University, providing the administration with recommendations to improve the mechanisms of cost planning, use of property, land plots, and funds following the University Development Plan.

8.9. Rules of procedure of the Supervisory Board:

- 1) The Supervisory Board is chaired by the Chair who is personally responsible for the Board's accomplishment of its objectives.

The Chair of the Supervisory Board defines the areas of responsibility of the deputy chair, secretary, and members of the Supervisory Board; plans and coordinates the work of the Supervisory Board; convenes and presides at ordinary and extraordinary (proposed by the members of the Supervisory Board) meetings; prepares the reports on the work of the Supervisory Board, which is approved at a meeting of the Supervisory Board; represents the Supervisory Board at governmental and public institutions, enterprises, and organizations; exercises other powers and performs other functions according to the legislation and objectives imposed on the Supervisory Board.

- 2) The work of the Supervisory Board is organized in the form of meetings convened at least once a year; the date and place of the meetings are determined by the Chair of the Supervisory Board.

If the Chair of the Supervisory Board is absent for a valid reason, the meeting is chaired by the deputy chair.

- 3) Within its mandate, the Supervisory Board makes decisions, organizes and supervises their implementation.
- 4) A meeting of the Supervisory Board is considered duly convened if at least two-thirds of its members attend.

5) a decision of the Supervisory Board of the University is considered adopted if it is voted for by at least 50% of the members present at the meeting. The issues considered by the Supervisory Board and the decisions taken are recorded in meeting minutes signed by the Chair and secretary of the Supervisory Board.

Resolutions of the Supervisory Board shall be brought to the attention of the Academic Board and administration of the University within 5 days and shall be mandatory for consideration and taking the respective measures.

8.10. Decisions of the Supervisory Board taken within its competence are put into operation by the University Rector's decree and are binding for all structural subdivisions of the University.

8.11. The Supervisory Board has its own letterhead which is used only with the signature of the Chair of the Supervisory Board or their deputy.

8.12. Organizational and resource-and-facility support of the activity of the Supervisory Board is provided by the University, which offers premises, computer and office equipment.

Section 9

PUBLIC SELF-GOVERNMENT BODIES STAFF CONFERENCE

9.1. Staff Conference of the University (hereinafter – the Conference) is the highest collective public self-government body of the University. Conference delegates are elected from among the persons who are permanent employees and higher education seekers of the University.

9.2. All categories of University educational process participants shall be represented at the Conference. At least 75 percent of the Conference delegates should be composed of research, academic, and teaching staff who work at the University full-time; at least 15 percent shall be composed of the elected representatives of the students participating in student self-government and elected by the students by direct secret ballot procedure.

9.3. Conference Delegates representing University employees shall be elected for five years following the rules of procedure and the quotas determined by the resolution of the Conference of the previous convocation. Conference Delegates representing higher education seekers are elected by the Student Conference of the University for one year.

9.4. Conference mandate:

- 1) approves the University Statute and amendments (additions) to it upon the request of the Academic Board of the University;
- 2) approves the Collective Agreement, authorizes the representatives of administration and staff to sign it, supervises its implementation, and accepts the report on the fulfillment of the Agreement;

- 3) elects the Labor Disputes Committee in accordance with the labor law of Ukraine;
- 4) elects the elected representatives to the Academic board of the University upon the request of structural subdivisions where they work;
- 5) accepts the Rector's report and assesses their work;
- 6) considers early termination of Rector's powers on grounded request of the Supervisory or Academic Board of the University;
- 7) adopts the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University;
- 8) grants additional rights to academic, research, and teaching staff, students, postgraduate and postdoctoral students, and recognizes their additional responsibilities following the legislation;
- 9) approves the Regulation on the Science Society of Students, Postgraduate and Postdoctoral Students, and Young Researchers of the University;
- 10) considers other matters of University operation.

9.5. The Board is a permanent governing body of the Conference; its members are elected at the first meeting of the new convocation of the Conference.

Board mandate:

- 1) convenes the Conference;
- 2) establishes special committees to study and prepare draft resolutions on the issues considered by the Conference;
- 3) presides at Conference meetings;
- 4) organizes work on and analyzes the text of the draft Collective Agreement;
- 5) controls the execution of Conference decisions, and informs about their execution;
- 6) schedules extraordinary elections in subdivisions to replace the delegates who have quit or lost their mandate;
- 7) makes proposals to terminate the mandate of certain delegates.

9.6. Conference meetings shall be held at least once a year. Conference meeting is summoned by the Board at the initiative of the Rector based on the decisions of the Academic Board of the University or at the request of at least one-third of Conference delegates. A written request with delegate signatures is submitted to the Secretary of the Board. The Board shall consider the request within one week from the date of its submission and summon the Conference not later than three weeks after the receipt of the request.

9.7. A Conference meeting is plenipotent if at least two-thirds of the total number of delegates are present. Conference decision shall be considered valid if it is voted for by more than fifty percent of the total number of delegates.

9.8. Staff Meeting of the academic and research institute, including the elected representatives of studentship, is a public self-government body of the academic and research institute of the University.

9.9. All staff categories of the academic and research institute and elected representatives of studentship shall be represented at the Staff Meeting of the academic and research institute. At least 75 percent of the total number of delegates (members)

of the elected body shall be composed of research and academic staff of the academic and research institute; at least 15 percent shall be composed of the elected representatives of the students elected by direct secret ballot procedure.

9.10. A Board is a working body of the meeting. It consists of three persons and is elected from among the academic and research institute staff present at the meeting. The Board elects a Head to chair the meeting. A Secretary elected from among the academic and research institute staff present at the meeting is responsible for meeting documentation.

9.11. The meeting is considered plenipotent if more than fifty percent of academic and research institute staff participate in it. The decision of the meeting shall be considered valid if it is voted for by more than fifty percent of the staff members present.

9.12. Staff meetings of the academic and research institute shall be convened at least once a year.

9.13. Director, Academic Board of the Institute, trade union bureau of the institute, or an action group of academic and research institute staff members, who should gather at least 1/3 of signatures of full-time academic and research staff of the institute, may initiate the convention of the staff meeting.

9.14. Staff meeting of the academic and research institute:

- 1) assesses the work of the leader of the academic and research institute;
- 2) approves annual report on the activity of the academic and research institute;
- 3) submits proposals to recall the director of the academic and research institute on the grounds envisaged by the laws of Ukraine, this Statute, and the contract concluded with the director, to the Rector;
- 4) elects the elected representatives to the Academic Board of the academic and research institute;
- 5) elects candidates to the Academic Board of the University;
- 6) elects delegates to the Staff Conference of the University.

Section 10

STUDENT SELF-GOVERNMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY

10.1. Student self-government is active at the University and its structural subdivisions and is an integral part of the public self-government of the University.

10.2. Student self-government means the right and possibility for all students of the University to make decisions concerning studies and everyday life, protection of rights and interests of the students, as well as participate in the management of the higher educational institution. Student-self-government unites all students of the University. All students of the University have equal rights and can be nominated and elected to working, advisory, elected, and other bodies of student self-government.

10.3. Student self-government ensures the protection of the rights and interests of students and their participation in the University management. Student self-government is exercised by students themselves and through bodies of student self-government, elected by direct secret ballot student voting.

10.4. Student self-government is manifested in organized public activity of University students aimed at harmonious personal development, recognition of their obligations, protection of their rights and interests, and participation in University management.

10.5. The activity of student self-government bodies is based on the following principles:

- 1) voluntariness, collegiality, openness;
- 2) electivity and accountability;
- 3) equality of student rights to participate in student self-government;
- 4) independence of the influences of political parties and religious organizations.

10.6. Student self-government shall follow the laws of Ukraine, this Statute, the Provision of Student Self-Government at the University.

10.7. A student self-government body may be registered as a non-governmental organization according to the legislation, taking into account the specifics determined by the Law of Ukraine “On Higher Education.”

10.8. Student self-government bodies:

- 1) participate in University management following the procedure envisaged by the Law of Ukraine “On Higher Education” and the Statute of the University;
- 2) participate in discussion and decision-making regarding the matters of educational process improvement, research work, scholarship award, arrangement of leisure, housekeeping, and meals;
- 3) hold organizational, educational, research, sports, recreational, and other events;
- 4) participate in events (processes) to ensure the quality of higher education;
- 5) submit proposals regarding the content of syllabi and curricula;
- 6) defend the rights and interests of University students;
- 7) delegate their representatives to working and advisory bodies;
- 8) adopt acts governing their organization and activity;
- 9) participate in the resolution of issues to ensure proper living conditions for students in the dormitory, and meal arrangements for the students;

10) administer funds and other property on the balance sheet and bank accounts of student self-government;

11) submit proposals to expand materials and resources of the University, particularly when it comes to living conditions and leisure of students;

12) hold sociological surveys among the students, monitor their interests;

13) have the right to lead protest campaigns;

14) perform other functions stipulated by the Law of Ukraine “On Higher Education” and the Provision on student self-government of the University.

10.9. Student Conference is the highest body of student self-government and holds the following powers:

- 1) to adopt the Provision on Student Self-Government at University;
- 2) to determine the structure, powers and procedure of electing representative and executive bodies of student self-government;

- 3) to elect representative and executive bodies of student self-government, accept its reports and evaluate them;
- 4) to approve the procedure for using the property and funds of student self-government bodies, and supporting student initiatives on a competitive basis;
- 5) to approve the annual finance plan (budget) of student self-government bodies and introduce changes and amendments to it, accept the report on its performance;
- 6) to elect the control review committee from among the students for a routine inspection of the property use and budget performance by student self-government bodies;
- 7) to elect student delegates to University Staff Conference annually;
- 8) to elect student members of the University Academic Board annually;
- 9) other powers envisaged by the Provision on Student Self-Government at University.

10.10. All representative, executive, and control review bodies of student self-government are elected for one year.

10.11. The leader of the student self-government and their deputies may occupy their posts for not more than two terms.

10.12. When a person is no longer a University student, their participation in the student self-government body is terminated following the procedure stipulated by the Provision on Student Self-Government at the University.

10.13. Student Panel is a representative and executive body of student self-government at the University.

10.14. The financial basis for the University student self-government consists of the funds allocated by the Academic Board of the University in the amount of at least 0.5% of own University revenues; student membership fees whose amount is determined by the Student Conference. The amount of monthly fee per person cannot exceed 1% of the subsistence rate determined by the law.

Student self-government bodies use these funds to perform their tasks and execute their powers in accordance with finance plans they have approved. Student self-government bodies report publicly on the use of funds and the implementation of finance plans at least once a year.

10.15. Student self-government bodies enjoy the rights stipulated by the laws of Ukraine, this Statute, and the Provision on Student Self-Government at the University, in particular:

- 1) to administer funds and other property on their balance sheet and their bank accounts following the laws of Ukraine;
- 2) to approve the decisions to expel persons who study at University and to let them resume their studies;
- 3) to approve decisions on transfer of persons studying at the University by state order to study under contract at the expense of individuals or legal persons, or persons studying at the University under contract at the expense of individuals or legal persons to study by state order;

- 4) to approve the appointment of the Deputy Director of the academic and research institute for organizational and educational work and the Vice-Rector of the University for Academic and Research Work;
- 5) to coordinate decisions on the housing of persons studying at the University in the dormitory and moving out of the dormitory;
- 6) to coordinate decisions on the activities of the campus and dormitories for the accommodation of persons studying at the University.
- 7) to approve the provisions of the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University in the part concerning students.

10.16. Student Conference shall be convened at least once a year. The procedure for the Student Conference convention is stipulated in the Provision on Student Self-Government at the University.

10.17. The Provision on Student Self-government comes into force after its adoption by the University Student Conference starting from the date of its enactment by the Rector's decree.

10.18. Subject to an agreement with the Chair of the Student Board, the Rector of the University provides appropriate conditions for the activities of student self-government (provides premises, furniture, office equipment, provides telephone, permanent Internet access, provides space for information stands, etc.).

10.19. University Administration has no right to interfere in the activity of student self-government bodies.

10.20. Student self-government bodies at the level of an academic group, year, institute, dormitory, campus, and University are elected in accordance with the Provision on Student Self-Government at the University and follow it.

Section 11

THE SCIENCE SOCIETY OF STUDENTS, POSTGRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDENTS, AND YOUNG RESEARCHERS OF THE UNIVERSITY

11.1. The Science Society of Students, Postgraduate and Postdoctoral Students, and Young Researchers of the University (official name – Scientific Society of Young Researchers and Students, hereinafter – the Society) is a part of the system of public self-government at the University.

Persons under 35 (45 for postdoctoral students) years of age who study or work at the university participate in the Society.

The purpose of the Society is to protect the rights and interests of higher education students and young researchers studying or working at the University, in particular on issues of research, support of knowledge-intensive ideas, innovation, and knowledge exchange.

The operation of the Society is governed by the legislation, University Statute, and the Provision on the Society.

Principles of activity, functions, rights, and responsibilities of the Society are defined by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education".

The main structural units of the Society include the Scientific Societies of Young Researchers and Students of academic and research institutes of the University, which elect and delegate their representatives to the Conference of the Society – its top governing body.

The Council of Young Scientists of the University performs the functions of the governing body in the period between the Conferences.

The structure and organizational mechanism of the Society and the Council of Young Researchers are determined by the Provision approved by the Staff Conference of the University.

11.2. University Administration has no right to interfere in the activity of the Society except the cases when its activity contradicts current legislation of Ukraine or this Statute or harms the interests of the University.

The Rector of the University provides appropriate conditions for the activities of the Society (premises, furniture, office equipment, telephone connection, permanent Internet access, space for information stands, etc.).

11.3. The financial basis of the Society's activities is constituted by the funds allocated by the Academic Board of the University and included in the finance plan of the University.

Section 12

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS

12.1. Educational process participants at the University include:

- 1) research, academic, and teaching staff;
- 2) higher education seekers and other persons studying at the University;
- 3) practitioners who are involved in the educational process in professional educational programs;
- 4) other University staff.

12.2. Employers may be involved in the educational process at the University.

12.3. The rights and responsibilities of research, academic, and teaching staff and students are determined in accordance with the current legislation of Ukraine, including the legislation of Ukraine on education and other regulatory acts adopted in accordance with it, as well as this Statute.

12.4 The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine shall establish a full list of positions of research, academic, and teaching staff of higher education institutions. The list of positions of academic researchers of higher education institutions is determined in accordance with the Law of Ukraine "On scientific and scientific-technological activities".

12.5 Teaching positions at the University may be held by persons with a Master's degree with a relevant major.

Teaching staff members of the University are appointed and dismissed by the Rector. Teaching staff members of the University colleges are appointed and dismissed by the college principals following the provisions on structural subdivisions. Members of the teaching staff undergo performance reviews every five years. Based on the results of such a review, their adequacy for the job is assessed, qualification grades and pedagogic titles are awarded.

The procedure for teaching staff performance review is determined by the MoES. The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine determines the list of qualification categories and pedagogic titles of teaching staff, as well as the procedure for their award.

12.6. Academic staff positions can be held by persons with an academic degree or academic title, as well as persons with a master's degree.

Procedures and conditions for filling vacant positions of academic, research, and other categories of the University employees, as well as procedures and conditions for competitive selection of academic staff of the University, are determined by the legislation, this Statute, and the procedure for competitive selection approved by the Academic Board of the University.

One person may not simultaneously hold two or more positions that involve the performance of administrative and managerial functions at the University.

12.7. The working time of academic staff members is 36 hours per week, which includes the time for educational, methodological, research, organizational work, and other work responsibilities. The working time of research staff members includes the time for scientific, research, advisory, expert, and organizational work and other work responsibilities. The working time of teaching staff members includes the time for educational, methodological, organizational work, and other work responsibilities.

The maximum teaching load per full-time academic staff member may not exceed 600 hours per academic year.

Types of educational work of academic staff in accordance with their positions, as well as norms of time for educational, methodological, research, and organizational work are established by the provisions on the organization of the educational process of the University, approved by the Academic Board of the University and orders of the Rector following the legislation.

Involvement of academic, research, and teaching staff in work not provided for in the employment contract may be carried out only with their consent or in cases envisaged by law.

12.8. Academic, as well as research and teaching staff of the University, have the right to:

- 1) academic freedom, which is realized in the interests of the individual, society, and humanity in general;
- 2) academic mobility for professional activity;
- 3) protection of professional honor and dignity;
- 4) participation in the management of the University, in particular, to elect and be elected to the Staff Conference of the University, the Academic Board of the University, or its structural unit;

- 5) choosing methods and teaching aids that ensure the high quality of the educational process;
- 6) appropriate working conditions, improvement of their professional level, organization of leisure and everyday life, established by law, regulations of the University, the terms of the individual employment contract and collective agreement;
- 7) free use of the library, information resources, services of educational, scientific, sports, cultural and educational departments of the University;
- 8) protection of intellectual property rights;
- 9) upskilling and professional development at least once every five years;
- 10) receiving housing, in particular employer-rented housing, following the procedure prescribed by law;
- 11) receiving preferential long-term loans for construction (reconstruction) and purchase of housing following the procedure prescribed by law;
- 12) participating in citizen associations;
- 13) for social and pension provision following the procedure prescribed by law.

12.9. Academic, research, and teaching staff of the University get salary increments for academic degrees and titles in accordance with the laws.

12.10. Following the legislation, this Statute and Collective Agreement, the Rector of the University determines the procedure for payment, as well as the amounts of benefits, increments, bonuses, financial aid, and incentives to academic, teaching, research, and other staff of the University.

12.11. Proper conditions are created for academic, research, teaching and other staff of the University to develop professionally, organize their everyday life, leisure, and healthcare services, in particular for staff members with disabilities; in case of loss of employment, compensations are paid in accordance with the laws.

12.12. Research, academic, and teaching staff upgrade their qualification and take research, teaching, or creative CPD training at higher education institutions, research institutions, industrial enterprises, institutions, and organizations in Ukraine and abroad at least once every five years with preservation of the average salary. Upskilling of staff members may take the form of study at advanced training faculty for a period defined in the respective training program.

12.13. University staff members may be nominated for state awards, state prizes, honorary titles, diplomas, and other types of moral and material incentives following the procedure prescribed by the law.

12.14. Academic, research, and teaching staff of the University have the responsibility to:

- 1) ensure a high academic and methodological level of teaching the disciplines within the respective educational program, do research (for academic staff);
- 2) upgrade their professional, teaching, and academic qualifications (for academic staff);
- 3) inform the University in writing about the objects of intellectual property rights (industrial designs, utility models, inventions, discoveries, etc.) created as a result of

performing duties under any form of the employment relationship with the University; property rights to such objects of intellectual property rights belong to the University;

4) adhere to the norms of pedagogical ethics, morals, respect the dignity of students at the University, instill love for Ukraine in them, educate them in the spirit of Ukrainian patriotism and respect for the Constitution of Ukraine and state symbols of Ukraine;

5) adhere to academic integrity in the educational process and research activity and ensure its observance by higher education seekers;

6) develop independence, initiative, creativity in students studying at the University;

7) comply with the requirements of laws, this Statute, the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University, other regulations.

12.15. The rights and responsibilities of the Vice-Rectors of the University, the heads of the structural divisions of the University are determined by the Rector in accordance with the legislation and this Statute.

12.16. The rights and responsibilities of teaching and support, and housekeeping staff are defined in the relevant job descriptions approved by the Rector and in the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University.

12.17. Persons studying at the University include:

1) higher education seekers (students, postgraduate and postdoctoral students);

2) other persons studying at the University (course participants);

A student is a person enrolled in the University to obtain a higher education degree of junior bachelor, bachelor, or master.

A postgraduate student is a person enrolled in the University to obtain the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

A postdoctoral student is a person enrolled in the University to obtain the degree of Doctor Habilitatus.

A course participant is a person who studies at the pre-university studies department of the University or a person who receives additional or separate educational services, in particular under postgraduate education programs in specialized departments of the University.

Training of specialists with higher education is carried out at the University according to the relevant educational and professional, educational and research, and research programs at all levels of higher education.

Admission of students, postgraduate students, doctoral students of the University shall follow the requirements of the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" and the Rules of Admission to the University.

12.18. General rights and responsibilities of persons studying at the University are defined by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education".

Other persons studying at the University have the right to:

1) choose the form of study during admission to the University;

2) safe and harmless conditions of study, work, and life;

3) employment in extracurricular time;

- 4) free use of libraries, information funds, educational, research, and sports facilities of the University;
- 5) free information for education in accessible formats with the use of technologies that take into account the limitations of life due to health conditions (for people with special educational needs);
- 6) use of production, cultural, educational, residential, health facilities of the University following the procedure prescribed by this Statute and the provisions approved by the Academic Board of the University;
- 7) be provided with dormitory accommodation and round-the-clock access to it for the period of study in accordance with the law;
- 8) participate in research, research and development work, conferences, symposiums, exhibitions, competitions; present their works for publication;
- 9) participate in educational, scientific, research, artistic, sports, public activities and events held in Ukraine and abroad, following the procedure prescribed by law;
- 10) participate in discussion and decision-making regarding the matters of educational process improvement, research work, scholarship award, arrangement of leisure, housekeeping, and recreation;
- 11) make proposals on the terms and amount of tuition fees;
- 12) participate in public associations;
- 13) participate in the activities of public self-government bodies of the University, faculties, academic and research institutes, colleges, divisions, the Academic Board of the University, and student self-government bodies;
- 14) the choice of academic disciplines within the limits provided for in the relevant educational program and curriculum, in the amount of not less than 20 percent of the total number of ECTS credits provided for this level of higher education. At the same time, seekers of a certain level of higher education have the right to choose academic disciplines offered for other levels of higher education, in agreement with the director of the respective academic and research institute;
- 15) study in several educational programs, as well as at several institutions of higher education simultaneously, provided that only one higher education for each degree is obtained at the expense of the state (local budget);
- 16) academic mobility, including international mobility;
- 17) receive social assistance in cases established by law;
- 18) academic leave or a break in studies with the preservation of certain rights of a higher education seeker, as well as the resumption of studies in the manner prescribed by the MoES;
- 19) participate in the formation of an individual curriculum;
- 20) obtain a student ID card, according to the form approved by the MoES;
- 21) moral and/or material incentives for success in education, research and social work, for artistic and sports achievements, etc;
- 22) protection from all forms of exploitation, physical and mental violence;

- 23) free internships at enterprises, institutions, establishments, and organizations, as well as remuneration during the performance of production functions in accordance with the law;
- 24) vacations lasting not less than eight calendar weeks per academic year;
- 25) academic leave or a break in studies with the preservation of certain rights of a higher education seeker, as well as the resumption of studies in the manner prescribed by the MoES;
- 26) appeal against the actions of the governing bodies of the University and its officials, academic and teaching staff following the procedure prescribed by law;
- 27) special training and rehabilitation support and free access to the university infrastructure in accordance with medical and social indications in case of health restrictions due to health conditions;
- 28) other rights provided for by law and this Statute.

Persons who study at the University on a full-time basis at the expense of state or local budgets have the right to receive academic and social scholarships following the procedure prescribed by law.

Persons studying at the University on a full-time basis may receive other scholarships awarded by individuals (legal entities).

The amount of the scholarship fund of the University is determined by the legislation. The amount of academic and social scholarships, the procedure for their allocation and payment is established by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

Academic scholarships are awarded to students who have achieved the best learning outcomes, according to the ranking compiled at the University based on the results of semester assessment,.

University students who are eligible for a social scholarship and acquire the right to receive an academic scholarship are paid one type of scholarship of their choice.

Individuals who have significant achievements in their studies and/or research may be awarded personal and nominal scholarships by the decision of the Academic Board of the University.

12.19. Persons studying at the University have the responsibility to:

- 1) comply with the requirements of laws, this Statute, the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University, and moral standards;
- 2) comply with the requirements of labor protection, safety, industrial sanitation, fire safety, stipulated by the relevant rules and regulations;
- 3) comply with the requirements of the educational (research) program (individual curriculum (if any)), adhere to academic integrity, and achieve the learning outcomes determined for the relevant level of higher education;
- 4) follow the schedule of the educational process, attend scheduled classes;
- 5) take care of the property of the University (appliances, equipment, inventory, book fund, etc.), compensate damages caused to the University in accordance with applicable law;
- 6) to take care of increasing the authority of the University, to respect its symbols.

It is prohibited to distract persons studying at the University from fulfilling the schedule of the educational process, scheduled classes, and assessment measures, except as provided by applicable law.

12.20. The grounds for dismissing a higher education seeker from the University include:

- 1) completion of study under the respective educational (research) program;
- 2) at one's own wish;
- 3) transfer to another educational institution;
- 4) non-fulfillment of the individual curriculum;
- 5) violation of the terms of the agreement (contract) concluded between the University and the student, or an individual (legal person) who pays for tuition;
- 6) other cases stipulated by law.

A person expelled from the University before completing the educational program receives an academic certificate containing information on learning outcomes, names of disciplines, grades obtained, and the number of ECTS credits obtained. The form of the academic certificate is defined by the MoES.

12.21. Higher education seekers have the right to a break in their studies due to circumstances that make it impossible to complete an academic (research) program (for health reasons, conscription for military service in case of loss of the right to deferment, family circumstances). Such persons are granted academic leave according to the respective procedure.

Study or internship in educational and research institutions (including foreign countries) may constitute grounds for a study break unless otherwise provided by international acts or agreements between higher education institutions.

Higher education seekers recruited for military service in connection with the announcement of mobilization are guaranteed the preservation of their places of study and scholarships.

Higher education seekers who exercise the right to academic mobility during their studies, internship, or research in another higher education institution (research institution) in Ukraine or abroad are guaranteed to retain their place of study and scholarships in accordance with the provisions on the exercise of the right to academic mobility approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine. Such persons are not expelled from the higher education institution.

12.22. A person expelled from the University before completing their education under the relevant educational (educational and professional, educational and research) program has the right to resume their studies within the licensed scope of the University.

Return of persons expelled from the University or granted academic leave, as well as transfers of higher education seekers is, as a rule, carried out, during the holidays.

The procedure for expulsion, interruption of education, return and transfer of persons studying in higher education institutions, as well as the procedure for granting them academic leave are determined by the provisions approved by the MoES.

12.23. Employment of University graduates takes place in accordance with the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education". University graduates are free to choose their place of work. The university is not obliged to find employment for the graduates.

12.24. In addition to the rights and responsibilities of participants in the educational process at the University defined by this Statute, academic, research, teaching and other staff, and persons studying at the University may be granted additional rights and additional responsibilities by decision of the Staff Conference of the University.

12.25. Based on the provisions of labor legislation of Ukraine, University employees may be subject to disciplinary action, even dismissal, for violation of the requirements of this Statute, the Internal Rules of Conduct of the University, and labor discipline.

Section 13

RESEARCH, SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL, AND INNOVATION ACTIVITY

13.1. Research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities at the University are an integral part of educational activities and are carried out in order to integrate scientific, educational, and industrial activities in the higher education system. Research activity is carried out in accordance with the Laws of Ukraine "On Education", "On Higher Education", "On Scientific and Scientific and Technical Activity" and other regulatory acts. Research, scientific-technical and innovative activities of the University are mandatory.

13.2. Research as one of the main factors in the training of specialists and academic staff of the highest qualification is carried out on the principles of:

- 1) integration of educational process, science, and production;
- 2) use of scientific achievements and scientific and technological progress, the results of research in the educational process;
- 3) participation of researchers and engineers in the educational process;
- 4) participation of academic staff in fundamental and applied research, the creation of scientific and technical products;
- 5) research by academic staff done within the main working hours;
- 6) participation of students, postgraduate students, doctoral students, research, and academic staff in scientific conferences and creative competitions.

13.3. The main purpose of research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities is to acquire new scientific knowledge by conducting research and development and directing it to create and implement new competitive technologies, types of equipment, materials, etc. to ensure the innovative development of society, training specialists of innovative type.

13.4. The main tasks of the research, scientific-technical and innovative activities of the University include:

- 1) obtaining competitive scientific and applied research results;

- 2) application of new research, scientific and technical knowledge in the training of specialists with higher education;
- 3) shaping modern research personnel potential capable of ensuring the development and implementation of innovative scientific developments.

13.5. The main areas of research activity of the University:

- 1) fundamental and applied research in the humanitarian, natural, and technical spheres under government orders, international programs, grants, and commercial contracts;
- 2) creation of scientific and technical products, research and development, design and technological, and design and survey work under commercial agreements or contracts;
- 3) engineering – services from the innovation cycle “science–production” on a commercial basis (development, justification, and examination of investment projects; design and creation of new production and non-production facilities; organization of production and commercialization of new products; implementation of new technologies and know-how, commissioning works; improvement of management, consulting, audit, expert evaluation, laboratory analysis, certification, metrological certification, software, and other intelligent services);
- 4) publication of scientific works, monographs, textbooks, teaching aids and dictionaries;
- 5) participation in the establishment of academic, research associations, innovative structures, and other organizational forms of cooperation;
- 6) introduction of created innovative products in production, other branches of economy;
- 7) ensuring acquisition, security, and protection of intellectual property rights to the results of research and scientific and technical activities;
- 8) publishing, and information and resource activities;
- 9) advertising of scientific achievements and commercialization of intellectual property;
- 10) production and sale of knowledge-intensive products.

13.6. Integration of research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities of the University with research institutions of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, national branch academies of sciences in the areas provided for in clauses 5, 6, 7, 8 of paragraph 13.5 of this Statute, as well as:

- 1) participation in the development and implementation of state target programs of economic and social development;
- 2) conducting joint research, experimental and innovative development, etc., including at the expense of the state budget and own revenues;
- 3) involvement of academy researchers into educational and research activities by the University;
- 4) organization of systematic industrial placement of students of the University ensuring their immediate participation in research on the basis of scientific institutions

and organizations of academies of scientific research of young researchers, postdoctoral students, and postgraduate students.

13.7. The subjects of research, scientific and technical and innovative activities include research and academic staff, persons studying at the University, other employees of the University who carry out research, scientific and technical and innovative activities.

13.8. The organizational structure of the management of research activity and the relations of its subjects are regulated by a separate provision approved by the Rector.

13.9. Research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities at the University are carried out in accordance with the legislation on educational, research, scientific and technical and innovative activities. The University pursues the policy of its research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities independently on the principles of autonomy.

The University enjoys all the rights granted to scientific institutions of Ukraine in the field of organization of research, is fully responsible for the quality of research and development.

The organization of research, scientific and technical, and innovative activities at the University is carried out by the Vice-Rector for Research. Research at the University is organized and coordinated by the Research Department of the University.

Research conducted at the University at the expense of state and local budgets is funded independently of the funding of educational activities. Fundamental research, as well as applied research work carried out within the framework of the main areas of development of science and technology, are funded on a first-priority basis.

13.10. Research, scientific and technical, and innovative activity is carried out at the University on the basis of its scientific and research structural subdivisions, in particular through the legal entities created by it and aimed at bringing the results of research and scientific-technical activity of the University to the state of an innovative product and its further commercialization.

Academic, research, teaching, and other staff, persons studying at the University, as well as employees of other organizations, may be involved in the performance of research and scientific and technical works at the University.

In the case of establishing innovative structures (science and technology parks, business incubators, etc.), the University has the right to conduct joint research, experiments, tests, including the use of land plots that are at its permanent disposal.

13.11. Funding of scientific activities is carried out in the manner prescribed by regulatory documents governing the activities of national universities, in particular through:

- 1) state budget funds allocated for fundamental and applied research, research and development within the thematic plan, funds from grants of the President of Ukraine, state orders for the development of the most important new technologies, state target programs, agreements with the State Fund for Fundamental Research;

2) funds received by the University for the creation of scientific and technical products, research, development, design and technological, and design and survey works under commercial agreements, contracts, grants, etc .;

3) own funds of the University, sponsor contributions, loans, and other sources specified by the legislation of Ukraine.

13.12.Organizational forms of research, scientific and technical and innovative activities, intellectual property rights of the University and participants in the educational process, and their protection are defined by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education".

13.13.Acquisition, protection, and defense of the rights of the University and participants in the educational process regarding the results of research, scientific and technical, and other activities are ensured in accordance with the law. The University has the right to dispose of intellectual property rights to intellectual property objects. A contract on the creation of an object of intellectual property rights to order must specify the methods, conditions, and procedure for exercising the relevant intellectual property rights.

The expenses of the University incurred in connection with the provision of legal protection for objects of intellectual property rights, property rights to which are acquired in the manner prescribed by law, shall be covered from its own revenues. The value of the intellectual property rights of the University is reflected in the accounting records of the University in the manner prescribed by law.

The University carries out implementation activities, including the transfer of technologies and intellectual property objects, property rights to which it owns.

The University takes measures to prevent academic plagiarism – publication (in part or in full) of scientific results obtained by others as the results of one's own research and/or reproduction of published texts of other authors without reference.

Section 14

ORGANIZATION OF THE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS

14.1. The educational process at the University is an intellectual, creative activity in the field of higher education and science, which is carried out through a system of scientific and methodological, and pedagogical activities and aimed at transferring, mastering, increasing, and using knowledge, skills and other competencies in students, as well as the formation of a harmoniously developed personality.

The organization of the educational process at the University is carried out in accordance with the Laws of Ukraine "On Education", "On Higher Education", "On Scientific and Scientific and Technical Activities", standards of educational activities, standards of higher education, Concept of educational activities of the University, Provision on the organization of educational activity at the University.

The educational process is carried out in classrooms, laboratories, computer classrooms, on the practice bases (geodetic and construction), as well as landfills in Berez hany, Ternopil region, and Shatsk, Volyn region.

The University is granted the right of permanent use of land for the organization and construction of an educational and scientific geoinformation center in Skhidnytsia, Lviv region.

14.2. Provisions on the organization of the educational process at the University are approved by the Academic Board of the University.

14.3. The regulatory basis of the University for the organization of the educational process includes:

- 1) educational programs (educational and professional programs– for obtaining junior bachelor's and bachelor's degrees, educational-professional or educational-research programs– for a master's degree, educational and research program – for a doctorate);
- 2) curricula;
- 3) working curricula for each academic year;
- 4) schedules of the educational process;
- 5) programs of academic disciplines;
- 6) schedules of classes and assessment measures;
- 7) other regulatory documents.

14.4. Obtaining an academic degree of a Doctor Habilitatus presupposes the acquisition of the highest competencies in the field of developing and implementing research methodology by conducting original research and obtaining scientific results that provide a solution to an important theoretical or applied problem.

14.5. The relevant provisions of the University determine the requirements for the development and approval of regulations of the University on the organization of the educational process.

14.6. The procedure for certification of higher education seekers is determined by the Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education".

14.7. Practical training of persons studying at the University is carried out by their internship at enterprises, institutions, and organizations in accordance with the agreements concluded by the University or in the structural subdivisions of the University, which provide practical training. The heads of the relevant structural subdivisions of the University are obliged to ensure proper conditions for internships, compliance with the rules and regulations of labor protection, safety, and industrial sanitation in accordance with the law.

14.8. The state language is the language of instruction at the University.

14.9. In order to create conditions for international academic mobility, the University has the right to decide on the teaching of one or more disciplines in English and/or other foreign languages, while ensuring that higher education seekers know the respective discipline in the state language.

To teach subjects in foreign languages, the University forms separate groups for foreign citizens, stateless persons who wish to obtain higher education at the expense

of individuals or legal entities, or develop individual programs. The list of foreign languages in which academic disciplines are taught is determined by the University. The University provides for the study of the state language as a separate academic discipline for such persons.

14.10. At the request of higher education seekers, the University creates opportunities for them to study the language of a national minority to the extent that allows them to pursue professional activities in the chosen field using this language.

Section 15 INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND FOREIGN ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

15.1. The University carries out international cooperation, concludes cooperation agreements, establishes direct relations with higher education institutions, research institutions and enterprises of foreign countries, international organizations, foundations, etc. in accordance with the law.

The main areas of international cooperation of the University include:

- 1) participation in bilateral and multilateral interstate and inter-university exchange programs for students, postgraduate students, postdoctoral students, academic, research and teaching staff;
- 2) conducting joint research;
- 3) organization of international conferences, symposiums, congresses and other events;
- 4) participation in international educational and scientific programs;
- 5) joint publishing activities;
- 6) providing services related to higher and postgraduate education to foreign citizens in Ukraine;
- 7) creation of joint educational and scientific programs with foreign higher education institutions, research institutions, organizations;
- 8) business trips abroad for academic, research and teaching staff to conduct academic, research, and teaching work in accordance with international agreements of Ukraine, as well as agreements between the University and foreign institutions of higher education;
- 9) involvement of academic, research, and teaching staff of foreign institutions of higher education to participate in academic, research, and teaching work at the University;
- 10) referral of persons studying at the University to study in foreign higher education institutions;
- 11) promoting academic mobility of academic and research staff and students;
- 12) other areas and forms not prohibited by law.

15.2. The foreign economic activity of the University is carried out in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine through the conclusion of agreements with foreign legal entities and individuals.

The main areas of foreign economic activity of the University include:

- 1) organization of preparation of persons – foreign citizens for admission to higher education institutions of Ukraine and persons – citizens of Ukraine for study abroad;
- 2) conducting educational activities related to the education of foreign students, as well as training research staff for foreign countries;
- 3) organization of study abroad;
- 4) doing research and scientific and technical development to order of foreign legal entities and individuals.

Currency receipts and material values received by the University from foreign economic activity are used to ensure the fulfillment of its statutory tasks.

15.3. To fulfill its statutory tasks in the fields of international cooperation and foreign economic activity, the University has the right to:

- 1) participate in competitions for grants from foreign and international foundations, non-governmental organizations in order to implement joint educational and research programs;
- 2) participate in the activities of international organizations, be a member of international associations, unions, clubs, etc.;
- 3) cooperate with foreign partners on complex programs, independently conclude international agreements and contracts, create joint research laboratories, training, and research centers together with foreign partners, etc.;
- 4) carry out independent foreign economic activity in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine based on agreements concluded with foreign legal entities and individuals, have its own accounts in foreign currencies;
- 5) determine the cost of works and services on its own in the course of foreign economic activity;
- 6) attract property and funds of non-residents, foreign capital of Ukrainian and foreign citizens on a contractual basis;
- 7) attract foreign investments, charitable contributions, and donations, sponsor funds, in the manner prescribed by law;
- 8) other rights provided for by law.

15.4. The University is responsible for its obligations arising in the course of international cooperation and foreign economic activity, in the manner prescribed by the legislation of Ukraine.

15.5. The Rector or a person authorized by them represents the University in the fields of international cooperation and foreign economic activity.

Section 16

UNIVERSITY PROPERTY AND FUNDS

16.1. The material and technical base of the University includes buildings, structures, land, property complexes, communications, equipment, vehicles, service apartments and other material values.

The Ministry of Education and Science assigns to the University buildings, structures, property complexes, communications, equipment, vehicles and other property on the basis of the right of economic management in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine and in order to ensure the statutory activities.

The University carries out land use and land ownership rights, including the acquisition of the rights to land, in accordance with the Land Code of Ukraine.

Property assigned to the University by the Ministry of Education and Science on the right of economic management may not be the subject of pledge and may not be confiscated or transferred to legal entities and individuals without the consent of the Ministry of Education and Science and the University Staff Conference, except as provided by law.

Leasing of property objects assigned to the University on the right of economic management is carried out without the right of ransom in accordance with the law.

The buildings, structures and premises of the University must meet the requirements of accessibility in accordance with state building norms and standards. Design, construction and reconstruction of the University buildings, structures and premises are carried out considering the needs of persons with special educational needs. If the facilities cannot be fully adapted to the needs of these people, their reasonable adaptation is carried out considering the universal design.

The design, construction and reconstruction of the university buildings, structures and premises are carried out considering the needs of persons with special educational needs.

The University independently determines the content and forms of financial and economic relations with structural units, except as provided by law and acts of the Ministry of Education and Science.

16.2. The sources of the University material and technical base are:

- 1) property transferred to the University by the Ministry of Education and Science;
- 2) funds received from the of the State budget;
- 3) capital investments, subsidies and grants from the State budget;
- 4) financial aid from international organizations, domestic and foreign investors;
- 5) gratuitous or charitable contributions, donations of legal entities and individuals;
- 6) income from the provision of commercial services;
- 7) other property and funds acquired on the grounds permitted by the legislation of Ukraine.
- 8) borrowed finances are directed to the statutory activities of the University in the manner and under the conditions specified by law and this Statute.

16.3. The University in the manner prescribed by law and in accordance with this Statute has the right to:

- 1) ownership of objects of intellectual property rights, created at their own expense or at the expense of state or local budgets (except as provided by law);

- 2) to establish an endowment of the University and dispose its revenues in accordance with the conditions of the endowment, as well as receive property, funds and tangible assets, including buildings, structures, equipment, vehicles, from government agencies, local governments, legal entities and individuals, including charitable assistance;
- 3) to conduct financial and economic activities in Ukraine and abroad;
- 4) to use the property assigned to it on the right of economic management, including economic activity, transfer it for rent and use in accordance with the law;
- 5) to create their own or use other material and technical bases for educational, scientific, innovative or economic activities under the contract;
- 6) to create and develop own social and household facilities, a chain of sports and health centres, medical and preventive centres, cultural and art structural divisions;
- 7) to carry out capital construction, reconstruction, to conduct capital and current repairs of fixed assets;
- 8) to give money to social support of scientific and pedagogical staff, scientific staff, pedagogical staff and other employees of the University as well as persons studying at the University;
- 9) to open current and deposit accounts in national and foreign currencies in accordance with the law, use bank loans without regard to restrictions on the right to borrow, established by Article 16 and paragraph 27 of the first part of Article 116 of the Budget Code of Ukraine;
- 10) to participate in the formation of the authorized capital of innovation structures and small enterprises formed with the participation of the University, developing and implementing innovative products, by introducing intangible assets (property rights to intellectual property objects);
- 11) to establish educational institutions and research centres;
- 12) to establish enterprises for innovation and / or production activities;
- 13) to transfer contributions for membership in international, educational and scientific associations in foreign currency, as well as for subscriptions to foreign scientific publications and access to world information networks and databases;
- 14) to participate in the authorized capital formation of innovation structures of various types (technology parks, business incubators, etc.) by contributing intangible assets (rights to objects of intellectual property).

16.4. Financing of the University is carried out at the expense of the state budget on the terms of the state order for service payment of training staff, scientific and pedagogical staff, scientific staff, and from other sources not prohibited by law, in compliance with the principles of targeted and efficient use of funds, publicity and transparency.

Local state administrations, local self-government bodies may finance the University in the manner prescribed by law.

The amount of budget allocations for training specialists with higher education, as well as for training scientific and pedagogical staff, scientific staff is set in the State Budget of Ukraine for the relevant year.

The University financial plan (statement of estimate) necessarily includes the costs to be used for the development of material and technical base, laboratory facilities equipped with licensed software products for educational and scientific activities, as well as for the students' industrial internships and pre-diploma practice.

Funds received by the University for training, retraining, staff development or for the provision of educational services may not be withdrawn by state or local budgets.

16.5. Distribution of the University income (profits) or its part is prohibited among founders, employees (except for payment of their work and single social contribution), members of governing bodies and other related persons.

The University revenues (profits) are used exclusively to finance expenses for its maintenance, implementation of the purpose (goals, tasks) and directions of activity defined by this Statute.

16.6. The following are created at the University:

1) the general fund for training specialists of higher education, scientific and pedagogical staff, and scientific staff within the limits of the state (local) order, and also for carrying out research works;

2) special fund, which is formed by:

funds received for training, retraining and staff development of specialists under contracts signed with legal entities and individuals;

funds received for research and other works performed by the University under contracts with enterprises, institutions, organizations and individuals;

income from the provision of commercial educational services;

proceeds from the sale of intellectual property objects;

income from economic activity;

income from the sale of products produced by the University units and the lease of its property;

income from the provision of services provided by the University sports centers and educational/recreation camps;

funding from local executive and self-government units, ministries and governmental departments of Ukraine;

bank loans and borrowings;

foreign currency receipts;

dividends, interests, income from the deposits of free funds and from other non-operating transactions not prohibited by the legislation of Ukraine;

charitable contributions by legal entities and individuals, including from other states;

funds from other sources of funding not prohibited by law.

16.7 The University may provide commercial services for individuals and legal entities, on the condition of the appropriate level of educational services provision as the main statutory activity in accordance with the legislation and this Statute.

The list of commercial educational and other services that can be provided by higher education institutions is approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine. The regulation for providing commercial educational and other services, including the regulation for determining the tuition costs for higher education students, is established

by the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine, and the Ministry of Finance of Ukraine.

The University has the right to provide additional commercial educational and other services exclusively over the number established by the state standard, and outside the activities financed by the relevant budgets.

Commercial educational services may be provided by the same structural University units that carry out the educational process on government order, or separate structural units created for the provision of commercial services, operating on the basis of the regulations approved by the Academic Council of the University in accordance with the legislation and this Statute.

The University provides commercial educational and other services on the condition that the material and technical base meets the requirements of the legislation, and in case the legislation establishes requirements for the need for licensing or obtaining permits for commercial services - after obtaining such permits.

The tuition fee for the entire study period for a higher education degree, advanced staff development, as well as the regulations for payment (one-time, annually, termly, monthly) is set in the contract between the University and an individual (legal entity) who orders the service for himself/herself or for another person, assuming financial obligations.

The tuition fee for the entire period of study for a higher education degree, staff training is set by the University in national currency. The University has the right to change tuition fees in the manner prescribed by the contract, not more often than once a year and should not go below the officially established inflation rate for the previous calendar year. The tuition fee for the entire study period or for the provision of additional educational services is a subject to publication on the official website of the University and in any other way.

16.8. The University independently manages the income and other revenues received from the provision of commercial services permitted by law. Financing of the University's activities and its payments can be carried out in national or foreign currencies in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine.

The University's revenues received from payments for services provided in accordance with educational, training and production activities, charitable contributions and grants in accordance with the decision of the Academic Council of the University are credited to special accounts opened in the territorial units of the central executive body in the field of Treasury servicing of budget funds, or on state-owned banks' current and / or deposit accounts. These revenues, as well as interest received from the placement of University funds on deposit accounts in state-owned banks are listed in the University financial plan (budget) and can be used for property acquisition and its use, capital construction and renovation, the improvement of material and technical, educational and laboratory, educational and methodical support of educational process, etc. in accordance with the statutory activities of the University.

16.9. Remuneration at the University is carried out in accordance with the labor legislation of Ukraine, laws of Ukraine "On Education", "On Higher Education", "On

Scientific, Scientific and Technical Activities" according to salary schemes and tariff rates set by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine, and other normative legal acts of Ukraine, as well as in accordance with the general, sectoral, regional agreements, collective agreements and certain regulations of the University, approved by the Rector.

Forms and systems of remuneration, conditions and indicators of bonus payment for the University employees, the allowance regulations of bonuses, as well as regulations to establish and abolish salary ranges, scholarships, surcharges for employees are set in accordance with Ukrainian legislation and are approved by the Rector.

16.10. The University scholarship fund is used in accordance with state regulations and regulations on the scholarship appointment approved by the Rector.

16.11. Damages caused to the University as a result of its property right violation by citizens, legal entities and public authorities are reimbursed to the University in the manner prescribed by law.

SECTION 17

REPORT AND CONTROL ON FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

17.1. The University compiles monthly, quarterly and annual reports and submits them to the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, the State Treasury Service of Ukraine, State Fiscal Service of Ukraine, the State Statistics Committee, the Pension Fund of Ukraine, the Social Insurance Fund in accordance with the Budget Code of Ukraine, the Law of Ukraine "On Accounting and Financial Report in Ukraine" and other regulations.

The University budget, its expenditures and revenues, the property condition and its usage are subject to mandatory public discussion among the University staff and the people studying at the University. Proposals and comments made during the discussion are submitted to the relevant commission of the Academic Council for consideration and approval.

17.2. The University estimate of expenses for the current year and changes to it, report on the usage and receipt of fund, information on tender procedures, staffing for the current year, as well as the University budget and annual, including financial, report are published on the University official website.

17.3. The University independently carries out operational, accounting and financial report, conducts statistical report in accordance with established norms, submits it in the prescribed manner to the government units which are given the right to control the relevant activities by the legislation of Ukraine.

The Rector and the Chief Accountant of the University are personally responsible for the accuracy of accounting and statistical report. The University Chief Accountant controls the accounting procedure.

17.4. The Ministry of Education and Science carries out state surveillance (control) over the University compliance with legislation on education and science, and standards of educational activities. The audit of the University's activities is carried out in accordance with the law.

Section 18

AMENDMENTS AND ADDITIONS TO THE STATUTE

18.1. The Statute, amendments and additions to the Statute are agreed upon by the Conference of the University staff, at the request of the University Academic Council, and approved by the Ministry of Education and Science.

18.2. Any amendments and additions to the Statute must be indicated with the status 'new' and presented in a clear version.

18.3. The University Statute comes into force on the date of its state registration.

Section 19

REORGANIZATION AND LIQUIDATION OF THE UNIVERSITY

19.1. Liquidation and reorganization (merger, accession, division, transformation) of the University is carried out in accordance with the law.

19.2. The liquidation of the University is carried out by the liquidation commission (liquidator) created by the Ministry of Education and Science. The representatives of the Ministry of Education and Science and of the University are members of the liquidation commission. The Ministry of Education and Science determines the procedure and terms for claims submission by creditors.

19.3. The appointed liquidation commission acquires rights to manage the University. The liquidation commission draws up the liquidation balance of the University and submits it to the Ministry of Education and Science.

19.4. Creditors and other legal entities which have contractual relationships with the University are notified about the liquidation in writing.

19.5. The University transfers its assets to one or more non-profit organizations of the conformable type or credits them to the budget revenue in case of closure (as a result of liquidation, merger, division, accession or transformation).

19.6. The dismissed employees are guaranteed their rights and interests in accordance with the labor legislation of Ukraine during the liquidation and reorganization of the University.

Reorganization or liquidation of the University should not violate the rights and interests of students of the University. The Ministry of Education and Science is responsible for resolving all issues related to the continuation on further higher education.

19.7. The date and number of entry in the Unified State Register on the closure means that the University stopped its activities.

Rector

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