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Amendment 1

to Internal Regulation No. 8 / 2013

Scholarship Regulations

of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava

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Pursuant to § 9 par. 1 letter b) in connection to § 15 par. 1 letter i) of Act No. 131/2002 Coll. on Universities and on amendments and supplements to certain laws, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the “Act”) and in line with Article 13 paragraph 7 of Internal Regulation of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava No. 8 /2013 of 29 October 2013 “Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava”, the Academic Senate of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava (hereinafter referred to as “STU”) approved, at its session held on 23 February 2015, the following

**Amendment 1
to Internal Regulation No. 8 /2013 of 29 October 2013**

**SCHOLARSHIP REGULATIONS
OF THE SLOVAK UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY IN BRATISLAVA:**

Article 1

1. Article 1 paragraph 6, the first and second sentences shall read as follows:
“The Rector or a Dean of the Faculty, depending on the scholarship type, shall decide on awarding a scholarship pursuant to these Scholarship Regulations. Any decision on awarding a scholarship shall contain the amount and the due date of the scholarship and justification for it being awarded.”.
2. Article 1 paragraph 9 shall read as follows:
“(9) Unless stipulated otherwise, scholarships awarded pursuant to these Scholarship Regulations shall be provided in a cashless form by a wire transfer to a bank account kept in the Slovak Republic while the due date shall be 30 calendar days after the date of delivery of a decision on awarding the scholarship to the student. For the purposes specified in this paragraph, the student shall register the number of the bank account where the scholarship is to be sent in the Academic Information System (hereinafter referred to as “AIS”) while the student shall be liable for the correctness and timeliness of any data registered in AIS.”.
3. Article 1 shall be supplemented with paras. 10 and 11 which shall read as follows:
“(10) STU shall be entitled to call on the student to meet the obligations specified in the second sentence of para. 9 of this Article. Should the student

fail to meet the obligations even after the call, he/she shall not be awarded and provided the scholarship.

(11) The maturity date and provision of social scholarships from the state budget are specified in § 96 par. 7 of the Act.”.

4. Article 2 shall read as follows:
 “Conditions of awarding and providing social scholarships to students and other details are stipulated in § 96 of the Act and in the public statute issued by the Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sports of the Slovak Republic (hereinafter referred to as the “Ministry”).”.
5. In Article 3 par. 1 letter a) “(hereinafter referred to as “methodology”) shall be inserted after “pursuant to § 89 paragraph 8 of the Act”.
6. Article 3 paragraph 3 shall read as follows:
 “(3) Incentive Specialization Scholarship pursuant to paragraph 1 letter a) of this Article shall not be awarded to more than 50% of students of the particular Faculty or a different part of STU studying the study field specified by the methodology out of the total number of students studying the particular study field as of 31 October of the calendar year prior to the calendar year for which state budget funds have been assigned.”.
7. Article 4 paragraph 2 shall read as follows:
 “(2) **Students of bachelor’s study programs in the first year of study** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance from the last school year of studies at their secondary school shall be taken into consideration, excluding their achievement in the school-leaving examination.”.
8. Article 4 paragraph 3 shall read as follows:
 “(3) **Students of engineer’s, master’s or doctoral study programs in the first year of study** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance in their previous studies (weighed average of academic performance for all previous studies) shall be taken into consideration.”.
9. Article 4 paragraph 4 shall read as follows:
 “(4) **Students of bachelor’s, engineer’s or master’s study programs in the following years of studies** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance from the previous **academic year** of study shall be taken into consideration, unless the student exceeded the standard length of studies of the study program in the previous academic year (§ 52 through 54 of the Act) and unless his/her studies were suspended for a period longer than 30 calendar days.”.
10. Article 4 paragraph 7 shall read as follows:
 “(7) **Students of doctoral study programs in the following years of studies** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance from the previous **academic year** of study shall be taken into consideration, unless the student exceeded the standard length of studies of the study program in the previous academic year (§ 52 through 54 of the Act)

and unless his/her studies were suspended for a period longer than 30 calendar days.”.

11. In Article 4 paragraph 8 the third sentence shall be erased.
12. In Article 4 paragraph 9 the word “1.5 times” shall be replaced by “a triple”.
13. Article 4 paragraph 10 shall read as follows:
“(10) The Incentive Specialization Scholarship shall be provided to students **in one payment** in line with the procedure specified in Article 1 par. 9 and 10 of these Scholarship Regulations.”.
14. In Article 4 paragraph 11, the second sentence, “shall be awarded and” shall be inserted after “STU scholarship”.
15. In Article 5 paragraph 1 “for a period longer than 30 calendar days” shall be added at the end of the sentence.
16. In Article 5 paragraph 6 the third sentence shall be erased.
17. Article 5 paragraph 9 shall read as follows:
“(9) The Incentive Scholarship for excellent academic performance shall be awarded and provided to students **in one payment** in line with the procedure specified in Article 1 par. 9 and 10 of these Scholarship Regulations, in any event not later than by the end of the first term of the academic year.”.
18. In Article 5 paragraph 10, second sentence, “shall be awarded and” shall be inserted after “STU scholarship”.
19. Article 6 paragraph 3 shall read as follows:
“(3) The Dean shall decide on awarding and on the amount of incentive scholarship for excellent academic performance for students of study programs provided by the Faculty pursuant to Article 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations, while the scholarship shall be provided from the Faculty Scholarship Fund (Article 11 paragraph 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).”.
20. Article 6 paragraph 4 shall read as follows:
“(4) The Rector shall decide on awarding and on the amount of Incentive scholarship for excellent academic performance pursuant to Article 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations:
a) For students of study programs provided by other parts of STU than Faculties while the scholarship is paid from the particular scholarship fund (Article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations);
b) For all STU students, while the scholarship is paid from the Rector’s scholarship fund (article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).”.
21. In Article 6 paragraph 6 “not later than” shall be replaced by “usually” and the second sentence shall be erased.

22. In Article 6 paras. 7 and 8 shall be erased. The current paras. 9 through 11 shall be marked 7 through 9.
 23. In Article 6 paragraph 7“shall be awarded” shall be inserted after “usually”.
 24. Article 6 paragraph 8 shall read as follows:
“(8) Teams may also be proposed to be awarded incentive scholarship for excellent economic performance pursuant to this Article. In such event, each member of the team shall be awarded an equal scholarship amount to the extent pursuant to para. 5 of this Article.”.
 25. The heading of Part III shall read as follows:
“RULES FOR AWARDING AND PROVIDING SCHOLARSHIPS FROM STU RESOURCES”.
 26. The heading of Article 7 shall read as follows:
“General provisions related to the awarding and provision of scholarships from STU resources”.
 27. Article 7 paragraph 2 shall read as follows:
“(2) The Dean shall decide on awarding scholarship from the scholarship fund from the Faculty resources pursuant to Article 1 (6) of these Scholarship Regulations for students of study programs provided by the Faculty, while the scholarship shall be paid from the faculty scholarship fund (article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).”.
 28. In Article 7 a new para. 3 shall be inserted after para 2, and it shall read as follows:
“(3) The Rector shall decide on awarding scholarship from the scholarship fund from STU resources pursuant to Article 1 (6) of these Scholarship Regulations:
a) For students of study programs provided by other parts of STU than Faculties while the scholarships are paid from a particular scholarship fund (Article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations);
b) For all STU students, while the scholarships are paid from the Rector’s scholarship fund (Article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).”.
- The current para. 3 shall be marked as para. 4.
29. The heading of Article 8 shall read as follows:
“Special scholarships from STU resources”.
 30. Article 8 par. 2 letter a) shall read as follows:
“a) special scholarship for excellent performance of study obligations throughout the studies;”.
 31. In Article 8 par. 2 letter b) “high-quality” shall be replaced by “excellent”.

- 32. Article 8 paragraph 3 shall read as follows:
“(3) Conditions of awarding and providing special scholarship to support top sportsmen pursuant to para. 2 (e) of this Article shall be governed by an internal organizational and directive standard issued by the Rector.”.
- 33. In Article 8 paragraph 4, in the first sentence after the semicolon; “this shall not apply to a special “Award of the STU Rector” scholarship pursuant to para 2 letter a) of this Article” shall be erased and a coma shall be placed at the end of the sentence.
- 34. Article 8 paragraph 5 shall read as follows:
“(5) A proposal for awarding a special scholarship from STU resources pursuant to para. 2 of this Article may be filed by any member of the academia, usually by the end of the academic year when the event enabling filing a proposal for awarding special scholarship from STU resources occurred; this shall not apply to proposals for awarding a special scholarship to promote top sportsmen pursuant to para. 2 (e) of this Article , where details on filing a proposal shall be regulated by a relevant internal organizational and directive standard issued by the Rector.”.
- 35. In Article 8 paragraph 7 “shall be awarded” shall be inserted after “usually”.
- 36. Article 9 shall be erased.
- 37. In Part V “Article 13” shall be inserted after the heading “TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS”.
- 38. In Article 13 a new para. 8 shall be inserted after para. 7 and it shall read as follows:
“(8) The Rector shall be authorized to issue a full wording of this STU Scholarship Regulations after it has been amended and supplemented pursuant to para. 7 of this Article.”.

The current paras. 8 through 10 shall be marked as 9 through 11.

- 39. Annex 1 shall be excluded.

Article 2

1. Amendment 1 to Internal Regulation No. 8 / 2013 of 29 October 2013 “Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava” was approved by the STU Academic Senate on 23 February 2015.
2. Amendment 1 to Internal Regulation No. 8 / 2013 of 29 October 2013 “Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava” shall become valid on the date it is approved by the STU Academic Senate and it shall become effective on the date following its approval date by the STU Academic Senate.

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¹ The original of the signed Internal Regulation of STU No. 1/2015 “Amendment No. 1 to the Internal Regulation No. 8/2013 Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava” in the Slovak language shall be placed and made available for viewing at the Legal and Administration Department of the Rector’s Office of STU.