

Enforcement Rules for the Collection of HEEACT Program Accreditation Fees

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Article 1

The Enforcement Rules were formulated in accordance with Article 8 of Regulations Governing the HEEACT Program Accreditation of Higher Education Institutions.

Article 2

HEEACT Program Accreditation fees are classified into the following six categories:

- 1. Application fee: covers administrative costs, the initial document review, and associated costs. The application fee is calculated based on the number of programs at an institution applying for the accreditation;
- 2. Document review and on-site visit fee: covers administrative costs, the document review, the on-site visit, and related expenses of the applied program. The document review and on-site visit fee is paid per program;
- 3. Re-Accreditation fee: covers administrative costs, the document review, the on-site visit, and associated costs of restarting the accreditation procedure after a program was initially granted a result of "re-accreditation required";
- 4. Fee for Document review and on-site-visit required for the extension of accreditation status:

if a program was accredited for a period of three years and applies to extend its accreditation status, this fee covers the administrative costs, costs of the document review, on-site visit and other related expenses;

5. Appeal hearing fee: According to Regulations Governing the Review of Appeals against Results of Higher Education Accreditation and Other Quality Assurance Related Thereto, this fee covers the review of an appeal as well as administrative costs and related expenses;

6. Accreditation certificate reissuance fee: An accredited body within its validity period may apply for reissuance of the certificate in accordance with the Operating Rules for Correction and Reissuance of Accreditation Certificate.

Article 3

All fees must be paid in New Taiwanese Dollars.-A breakdown of fee payments is provided in the table below.

Article 4

Fees must be paid by the deadline set by the Council. Failure to pay by the deadline without a valid reason will incur an overdue charge. The overdue charge is calculated as one percent of the fee for every seven working days past the deadline.

Article 5

Applicants must select one of the payment options below:

- 1. Check: the check must be made out to the Higher Education Evaluation and Accreditation Council of Taiwan; and
- 2. Remittance: Beneficiary Bank: Chang Hwa Commercial Bank; Account Number: 5130-01-002957-00; Name of Beneficiary: Higher Education Evaluation and Accreditation Council of Taiwan.

Article 6

The Enforcement Rules are promulgated and implemented following the approval of the Executive Committee. The same procedure will be followed for each amendment.