Ordinance No. 41 of the Rector of Poznan University of Technology of 30 September 2021 (RO/IX/41/2021)

on safety rules introduced to prevent the spread of the SARS-CoV-2 virus at Poznan University of Technology

Acting pursuant to Article 23, paragraph 1 of the Act of 20 July 2018 - Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478, as amended) and Article 207 § 2 of the Labour Code, in connection with the Act of 2 March 2020 on special solutions related to preventing, counteracting, and combating COVID-19, other infectious diseases and emergencies caused by them (Journal of Laws, item 374), **it is ordered** as follows:

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The following principles of conduct shall be introduced in the winter semester of the academic year 2021/2022.

- 1. All persons entering the University premises, shall declare that, to the best of their knowledge, they do not show symptoms characteristic of being infected with the SARS-CoV-2 virus. In particular, they are not feverish, have no difficulty breathing, do not cough, are not short of breath, have not experienced a loss of smell and taste, have not had close contact with an infected or isolated person, and have not been subjected to isolation, quarantine, epidemiological surveillance or any other sanitary procedure in connection with the epidemiological threat related to the SARS-CoV-2 virus.
- 2. Persons remaining on the University premises shall be obliged to follow the safety rules and recommendations and guidelines of the sanitary and epidemiological services regarding the prevention and counteracting the spread of the SARS-CoV-2 virus. In particular, they shall be obliged to cover their mouth and nose with a face mask in accordance with guidelines contained in the relevant regulation issued by the Council of Ministers.
- 3. All persons entering the University buildings shall be required to disinfect their hands using the provided hand-sanitizer dispensers.
- 4. The obligation to cover the mouth and nose shall not by required:
 - in a situation where it is possible to maintain social distancing of minimum 1.5 m or provide a protection screen,
 - in a situation where there is only one person in a room,
 - in relation to persons with advanced neurological, respiratory or cardiovascular diseases, confirmed by an appropriate medical certificate.
- 5. The rules and method of disinfecting rooms and surfaces touched by many persons in Poznan University of Technology buildings shall be determined by the chancellor.
- 6. In case of the occurrence of any disturbing symptoms suggesting a coronavirus infection (in particular, elevated temperature, cough, shortness of breath, loss of smell and taste) in a person who is remaining on Poznan University of Technology campus, one should immediately report that to the contact point, phone **601 561 506**, where an on-duty official, after conducting an interview to analyze the

situation and confirming the legitimacy of such a report, shall indicate to the person with disturbing symptoms a designated temporary place of isolation, where the person shall be transferred in a manner specified by the contact point staff member.

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- 1. The University has established the Emergency Team, chaired by the Vice-Rector for Student Affairs and Education, PUT Professor Agnieszka Misztal, Ph.D., D.Sc.
- 2. The Emergency Team provides necessary and updated information. E-mail address: ko-rawirus@put.poznan.pl
- 3. Any departures from the above rules shall require the Rector's approval each time after the opinion has been issued by the Vice-Rector appropriate for a specific area of the University's activity.

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The Ordinance shall come into force on the day of signing with effect from 1 October 2021.

Rector of Poznan University of Technology

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