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***Parkordnung* (Regulations Governing Parking) on the Premises of the University of Greifswald**

18 June 2018

To ensure that the University can operate without disruption, the Rector hereby issues the following *Parkordnung* (hereinafter Parking Regulations) pursuant to § 84(6) LHG M-V (State Higher Education Law of Mecklenburg-Vorpommern) of 25 January 2011 (as announced in the legal gazette GVOBI M-V 2011, p. 18), most recently amended by Article 3 of the Law of 11 July 2016 (as announced in GVOBI M-V, p. 550, 557).

§ 1

Scope

- (1) These Parking Regulations apply to the entire premises of the University. The university site is identified as such by on-site signs.
- (2) These Parking Regulations do not apply to the premises of the University's Faculty of Medicine.

§ 2

Traffic Regulations

- (1) Unless otherwise provided for in these regulations, the general legal provisions (Straßenverkehrsgesetz (Road Transport Act), *Straßenverkehrsordnung* (Road Transport Ordinance), *Straßenverkehrszulassungsordnung* (Road Transport Licensing Ordinance)) in their respective valid versions, shall apply to the area designated in the scope of these regulations.
- (2) The maximum permissible speed on site is 15 km/h. In the areas specially designated for parking, the maximum permissible speed is walking pace. The speed of a vehicle shall at all times be adapted to the road, traffic, visibility and weather conditions as well as to the characteristics of the vehicle and its load.
- (3) All announcements, traffic signs and road markings that serve traffic management and traffic control purposes shall be strictly observed.

§ 3

Site Access Authorisation / Parking Permits

- (1) Permission to enter the area designated in the scope of these regulations is granted to those persons who have a parking permit in accordance with Appendix 1 to these regulations, who are accessing the site for purely work-related purposes and who display the parking permit visibly inside their parked vehicle.
- (2) Parking permits are issued to employees of the University of Greifswald by Division 2, Department 2.3 – Central Services. Parking permits are not transferable and do not entitle the holder to a parking space. When an employee leaves the employment of the University, the parking permit shall be returned to the issuing office without prior request.
- (3) Notwithstanding the stipulations in Subsection 1 above, access is permitted for:
1. Special service vehicles, e.g. emergency services, fire service, police, disaster control, waste disposal
 2. Vehicles belonging to the university fleet and official vehicles of other public bodies or institutions that are recognisable as such
 3. Drivers of news media and press vehicles with a valid press card
 4. Taxis
 5. Construction vehicles, maintenance and technical service vehicles and delivery vehicles.

§ 4

Parking

- (1) Parking a vehicle within the area designated in the scope of these regulations is permitted only for parking permit holders and for those persons specified in § 3(3) above who have authorisation to enter the site, but in the case of the latter for no longer than the time required to carry out or complete the relevant tasks or service appointments (e.g. loading and unloading, police or emergency service operations, picking up and dropping off passengers, attending on-site events).
- (2) A vehicle shall only be parked on a single parking space. Vehicles shall be parked in the marked parking spaces, where present. If there are no marked parking spaces, vehicles shall be parked so as to save space.
- (3) Specially designated parking spaces (e.g. for disabled persons, heads of institutes/units, members of the University Governance) shall be kept clear for the authorised users.
- (4) To avoid obstructing moving traffic, vehicles are not permitted to be parked in a fire service access route, in front of the entrance to a building or garage, in emergency exit areas, on rescue routes, in front of water hydrants, in areas used by fire service vehicles, in front of or within fenced-off construction sites or site access routes, on pedestrian pavements, on grassed areas or green spaces, or on bends.

(5) It is not permitted to park a vehicle that is not roadworthy or that is unlicensed. It is also not permitted to park trailers, camper vans, mobile homes or caravans.

(6) Parking a vehicle for a longer period without an official reason (e.g. longer-term absence when on a business trip) and spending the night in a parked vehicle are not permitted.

(7) Exceptions and special arrangements may come into force in certain areas for a limited period of time if there are important reasons for so doing, particularly construction work or when major events are held on the site. Employees shall be notified of such changes in a timely manner.

§ 5 Infringements

(1) Infringements of the rules set out in these regulations, particularly the rules regarding proper parking and irrespective of whether an obstruction was actually caused or not, may result in the University taking the following actions, depending on the severity of the infringement:

1. Attach to the vehicle a written warning notice requesting future compliance with the Parking Regulations
2. Arrange for a towing company to remove the vehicle at the owner's expense
3. Threaten to temporarily or permanently withdraw the parking permit
4. Withdraw the parking permit temporarily or permanently and threaten criminal action for trespass if the vehicle entered the university premises in contravention of these Parking Regulations
5. Bring a criminal action for trespass

(2) The actions set out in Subsection 1, Items 1 to 5 may also be taken in combination. In the case of repeated infringements of the rules set out in these regulations, the remedial actions specified therein may be implemented individually or in combination, irrespective of the severity of the particular infringement.

§ 6 Liability

(1) A person who drives a vehicle onto the university premises or who parks a vehicle on site does so at their own risk. Parking spaces are unattended.

(2) The University shall not be liable for personal injury, damage to property or financial losses caused by force majeure (e.g. weather events), nor for damage, burglary or theft, nor for any damage caused by the relocation or removal of vehicles parked in contravention of these regulations as defined in § 5. Claims for damages among vehicle users themselves or against third parties remain unaffected.

§ 7

Duties and Powers / House Rules

- (1) The duties and powers arising from these regulations shall be performed or exercised on behalf of the Rector by the Registrar (Head of Administration and Finance) or by those appointed by the Registrar to take such actions within their respective area of responsibility.
- (2) These regulations do not limit the Rector's powers to enforce the *Hausrecht* (House Rules).

§ 8

Final Provisions

These Parking Regulations shall enter into force on the date of signing. Greifswald,

18 June 2018

**The Rector
of the University of Greifswald
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