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**Seventh Amendment of the Rules and Regulations  
of the University of Duisburg-Essen  
Governing the Levying of Tuition Fees and Higher Education Charges  
(Tuition Fees Rules and Regulations)  
dated 5 October 2009**

Owing to § 2 Para. 4 and § 29 Para. 1 of the Higher Education in North Rhine-Westphalia Act (German abbreviation: HG) dated 31 Oct. 2006 (GV. NRW. pg. 474), most recently amended by act of law on 12 May 2009 (GV. NRW. pg. 308), in conjunction with § 2 Para. 1 Clause 1 of the law on the levying of tuition fees and other higher education charges in the state of North Rhine-Westphalia (German abbreviation: StBAG) dated 21 March 2006 (GV. NRW. pg. 119), most recently amended by act of law on 13 March 2008 (GV. NRW. pg. 195) and the administrative order on the levying of tuition fees and other higher education charges at the universities, universities of applied science and art colleges in the state of North Rhine-Westphalia (German abbreviation: StBAG-VO) dated 6 April 2006, most recently amended by the administrative order of 17 Nov. 2007 (GV. NRW. pg. 600), the University of Duisburg-Essen has issued the following Rules and Regulations:

#### Article I

The Rules and Regulations of the University of Duisburg-Essen governing the levying of tuition fees and higher education charges (Tuition Fees Rules and Regulations) dated 23 June 2006 (*Gazette of the University of Duisburg-Essen – Official Bulletin* – pg. 379), most recently amended by the Rules and Regulations dated 7 April 2009 (*Gazette of the University of Duisburg-Essen – Official Bulletin* – pg. 181), are hereby amended as follows:

1. In § 1 Para. 1 the following sentence shall be inserted after Clause 1:

"For students enrolled exclusively in a course of studies offered in the form of a part-time program, and who accordingly study part-time, the tuition fee levied in conformance with Clause 1 shall be reduced. The reduced tuition fee shall be proportional to the ratio of the normal period of study for a corresponding full-time course of study to the normal period of study for this part-time course of study.

2. In § 1 Para. 1, Clause 2 shall become Clause 3.

3. In § 2 Para. 3 the following sentence shall be inserted:

"This shall not apply for students enrolled at Ruhr University Bochum or the Technical University of Dortmund insofar as, and for the period of time that, corresponding provisions exist at these universities for students of the University of Duisburg-Essen."

4. In § 2 Para. 4 the words "Clause 1" shall be added after Item 3.
5. § 2a Para. 2 shall be deleted.

#### Article II

This Amendment of the Rules and Regulations shall go into force on the day after its publication in the *Gazette of the University of Duisburg-Essen – Official Bulletin*. It shall be in force for the fee-levying periods starting in the winter semester 2009/ 2010.

This announcement has been published by virtue of a resolution passed by the Senate of the University of Duisburg-Essen on 2 October 2009.

Duisburg and Essen, 5 October 2009

For the Rector

of the University of Duisburg-Essen

The Chancellor

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