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**RESOLUTION No. 42/2025
OF THE SCIENCE EVALUATION COMMITTEE
of 17 December 2025**

on the evaluation of the quality of education at a doctoral school

Pursuant to Art. 259(1) and Art. 262(2) of the Act of 20 July 2018 – Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal Laws of 2024, item 1571, as amended), hereinafter referred to as the “Act”, having reviewed the results of the evaluation referred to in Art. 262(1) of the Act, which was carried out by the Evaluation Team, the Science Evaluation Committee

positively evaluates the quality of education

at the Doctoral School

run by

the University of the National Education Commission, Krakow.

This evaluation applies to the period from 1 October 2019 to 11 May 2025.

Justification:

On 4 August 2025, the University of the National Education Commission, Krakow submitted for assessment a self-evaluation report concerning the functioning of the Doctoral School of the University of the National Education Commission, Krakow for the period from 1 October 2019 to 11 May 2025. As part of the evaluation procedure, the Evaluation Team appointed by the Chair of the Science Evaluation Committee reviewed the documentation and subsequently conducted a site visit at the School on 7–8 October 2025, during which it obtained additional information allowing for full verification of the submitted data.

The Evaluation Team found that, during the period subject to evaluation, the education process implemented at the Doctoral School of the University of the National Education Commission, Krakow met all evaluation criteria at a very good level. The curriculum analysed and assessed met the criteria prescribed for Level 8 of the Polish Qualifications Framework and supported the preparation of the doctoral dissertation. The education process was conducted by qualified staff, and the University provided doctoral students with extensive access to research and scientific infrastructure, including library resources, and created conditions for conducting scientific research at a national and international level. The effectiveness of doctoral training also merited a positive assessment; the Evaluation Team concluded that the recruitment and mid-term evaluation processes were conducted in a reliable manner. In the opinion of the Evaluation Team, the authorities of the Doctoral School and the academic staff cooperated well with the Doctoral Students’ Self-Government and the social environment.

Consequently, the Evaluation Team appointed by the Chair of the Science Evaluation Committee decided to positively assess the quality of education at the Doctoral School of the University of the National Education Commission, Krakow in the period subject to evaluation.

Having examined the documentation, the Science Evaluation Committee decided as stated in the introduction.

Note:

An entity dissatisfied with the evaluation may, pursuant to Art. 262(4) of the Act, raise objections to this evaluation within 30 days from the date of delivery of this resolution.

Chair of the Science Evaluation Committee

prof. dr hab. n. med. i n. o zdr. Filip M. Szymański

/–signed digitally/

Annex:

Evaluation report prepared by the Evaluation Team.

Copies to:

- 1) University of the National Education Commission, Krakow;
- 2) Minister of Science and Higher Education.