UNIVERSITIES AND UNIVERSITY COLLEGES ACT 1971

THE CONSTITUTION OF UNIVERSITI PUTRA MALAYSIA

UNIVERSITI PUTRA MALAYSIA (ACADEMIC MATTERS FOR UNDERGRADUATES)(AMENDMENT)(NO.2) RULES 2016

A Rules to amend Universiti Putra Malaysia (Academic Matters For Undergraduates) 2014.

IN EXERCISE of the power conferred by Rule 6(3) and Rule 27 of the Universiti Putra Malaysia (Academic Matters For Undergraduates) Rules 2014, the Senate amends the Second Schedule and Third Schedule of the Universiti Putra Malaysia (Academic Matters For Undergraduates) Rules 2014 as follows:

Short Title, Application and Date of Commencement

1. These Rules may be cited as Universiti Putra Malaysia (Academic Matters For Undergraduates) (Amendment)(No.2) Rules 2016 and shall come into force on 1st September 2016.

Interpretation

2. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires-

"Parent Rules" means Universiti Putra Malaysia (Academic Matters for Undergraduates) Rules 2014.

Amendment to the Second Schedule of the Parent Rules

- 3. The Second Schedule of the Parent Rules are amended as follows:-
 - (a) by substituting the entire paragraph 7 of the Parent Rules with the following paragraph:-

"Proficiency Courses

- 7. (1) Students are required to register for proficiency courses and shall surpass the level set for such proficiency courses during his Programme of Studies in the University as prescribed by the Senate.
- (2) Proficiency courses which are required to be registered and the level which need to be met as set by the Senate shall be notified by the Registrar to the students."

(b) by substituting the entire paragraph 10 of the Second Schedule to the Parent rules with the following paragraph:-

"Credit Transfer

- (1) Application for the credit transfer of course of studies shall be made to the Dean of the Faculty of the student at the beginning of the first semester of his studies in the University by submitting the form prescribed by the Registrar. If the credit transfer involves courses from other faculties, the application shall be made to the Dean of the Faculty which offers the courses. Credit transfer shall only be considered for the course of studies which is similar and passed with a minimum grade of C, or equivalent course of studies which is passed with a minimum grade of C+. The total maximum of credit transfer shall not exceed:
 - (a) 30% of the total graduating credit hours for a particular enrolled Programme of Studies from a Diploma to Bachelor Programme;
 - (b) 50% of the total graduating credit hours for the exchange programme from other higher learning institution on the same level of studies;

- (2) For exchange of programme at the University on the same level of studies, the Dean receiving the student shall determine the total credit hours which may be transferred.
- (3) All applications for credit transfer for course of studies shall be resolved latest by the second week of the first studies semester of the student.
- (4) The credit transfer shall be based on a course by course of studies which the student has passed, and not on the overall Programme of Studies. The credit transfer for course of studies shall only be allowed only once for the whole duration of his Programme of Studies.
- (5) A course which has been given credit transfer shall not be re-registered by the student for the purpose of improving his cumulative grade point average. The student is only allowed to re-register the course as an audit course."

Amendment to the Third Schedule of the Parent Rules

4. The Third Schedule of the Parent Rules are amended as follows:-

(a) by substituting the phrase "Credit Transfer and Course Exemption" in the title of paragraph 4 of the Third Schedule to the Parent Rules, to the phrase "Credit Transfer."

Made on 21st July 2016

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