* The Japanese version is the authoritative version, and this English translation is intended for reference purposes only. Should any discrepancies or doubts arise between the two versions, the Japanese version will prevail.

The University of Tokyo Rules for the Research Students of the Research center for Advanced Science and Technology

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Article 1 Purpose

The purpose of these Rules is to stipulate necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students at the Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the "Center").

Article 2 Admission of Research Students

Any persons who intend to conduct research into advanced science and technology and any related fields at the Center, may be permitted to be admitted as a research student upon screening only if the Center acknowledges that he/she would not hinder research or education at the Center.

Article 3 Qualification for Admission

Any persons who fall under any of the following items may be admitted to the Center as a research student:

- (1) Persons who have graduated from an undergraduate program of a university; or
- (2) Persons whose academic abilities are recognized by the Center as at least equal to persons described in the preceding item.

Article 4 Method of Application

Any persons who wish to be admitted to the Center as a research student shall submit the designated application form together with his or her resume and the examination fee to the director of the Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the "director of the Center").

Article 5 Screening

The director of the Center shall screen applicants described in the preceding Article upon discussion with academic staff of an applicant's research field.

Article 6 Approval for Admission

The director of the Center shall approve admission of any persons who have passed the screening in the preceding Article and paid the admission fee by the designated date.

Article 7 Period of Research

The period of research for the research students is one year. However, if a research student applies for an extension to the period of research in order to continue the research, the Center may permit such extension by one year.

Article 8 Method of Research

Research students shall conduct research under the guidance of the academic staff designated

by the director of the Center.

Article 9 Payment of Research Fees

- 1. Research students shall pay three months' research fees or six months' research fees in advance according to their period of research.
- 2. Research fees are non-refundable.

Article 10 Amount of Examination, Admission and Research Fees

The examination fees specified in Article 4, admission fees in Article 6 and research fees in the preceding Article shall be prescribed separately.

Article 11 Submission of Report

Research students shall compile a report on their research and the results, and submit it to the director of the Center through an academic adviser immediately after their period of research ends.

Article 12 Voluntary Withdrawal

Any research students who intend to withdraw from the Center during the period of research shall apply to the director of the Center with the reason therefor and obtain the director of the Center's permission.

Article 13 Expulsion

If the director of the Center deems it inappropriate for any research student to continue his/her research due to sickness or any other reason, the director may expel the research student.

Article 14 Compliance with University Rules

Research students shall comply with the various rules established by the University of Tokyo or the Center.

Article 15 Supplementary Rules

In addition to the provisions of these Rules, any necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students shall be determined by the director of the Center upon discussion by the general faculty council.

Supplementary Provisions

- 1. These Rules shall come into force on April 1, 2004.
- 2. The University of Tokyo Rules for the Research Students of Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology established on October 18, 1988 shall be abolished.