

## Detailed Operating Rules on the Ethical Use of Information

Established Jun. 1, 2001

Article 1 (Purpose) These detailed operating rules set forth matters concerning the rights and responsibilities of information users and the review standards for unhealthy information so that a culture of sound and ethical use of information may be created and institutionalized at the University.

Article 2 (Rights of the User) If a person becomes a member of POSTECH, he/she shall be given the right to use the computer resources and information only when he/she agrees to observe the Detailed Operating Rules on the use of Computer Resources and the Detailed Operating Rules on the Ethical Use of Information of the University.

Article 3 (Responsibilities of the User) If a person with the right to use the computer resources of the University violates the review standards for unhealthy information as specified in the provision of Article 5, he/she shall be subject to sanction as specified in Article 6.

Article 4 (Application Scope) These detailed rules shall apply to any and all information communicated at the University by utilizing the electronic system (electronic mail or other systems with similar functions, information system, etc.) that uses the computer resources.

Article 5 (Review Standards for Unhealthy Information) The following information shall be deemed unhealthy information:

1. Contents that run counter to the academic atmosphere of the University
2. Contents intended to damage and defame the rights and reputation of an individual or a department
3. Contents intended to infringe on an individual's privacy
4. False information
5. Confidential information
6. Vulgar expressions such as abusive or violent language
7. Defamation against an individual, rumor, intimidation, fraud, obscenity, etc.
8. Contents that do not conform to the purpose of creation and use of each message board as provided by the information system
9. Other unhealthy information as determined by the Information Ethics Subcommittee of the Academic Information Committee

Article 6 (Sanctions) ① If the review standards for unhealthy information is violated, a review shall be conducted by the Information Ethics Subcommittee of the Academic Information Committee, and a sanction shall be imposed in accordance with Article 6, Detailed Operating Rules on the Use of Computer Resources.

② If necessary, the Office of Academic Information Affairs may take preemptive action such as deletion of the data at issue.

③ If a specific case is critical and urgent, a committee of the competent department may first review the scope of the sanction to be imposed and notify the Information Ethics Subcommittee of the Academic Information Committee of the result of such review.

### Addendum

These detailed operating rules shall be established and take effect on June 1, 2001.