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## ORDINANCE No 226/2021

## OF THE RECTOR OF THE SILESIAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

of 06 December 2021

(Legal Monitor of the Silesian University of Technology, item 1079)

on specific arrangements for the organisation of education

in the period from 20 December 2021 to 9 January 2022

Pursuant to Article 23, paragraph 1 of the Act of 20 July 2018 – the Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478 as amended), in conjunction with the Article 1, paragraph 4 of the Ordinance No 167/2021 of the Rector of the Silesian University of Technology on the organisation of education from 01 October 2021 (SUT Legal Monitor of 2021, item 787, as amended), having regard to the safety of the academic community in relation to the SARS-CoV-2 virus outbreak, it is ordered as follows:

## Article 1

- 1. In the period from 20 December 2021 till 9 January 2022, classes at the Silesian University of Technology may be held using distance learning methods and techniques, in synchronous mode, according to the timetable. Remedial classes for the first-year students, conducted outside the study programme, will continue to be conducted in a face-to-face mode.
- 2. The following preconditions for switching to distance learning methods and techniques need to be fulfilled:
- 1) meeting the limit of ECTS points that can be obtained using distance learning methods and techniques,
- 2) to comply with the total number of ECTS points that a student must obtain in courses with the direct participation of academic staff or other tutors,
- 3) to ensure the achievement of the expected learning outcomes.
- 3. A request to switch to a form of classes using distance learning methods and techniques for a given basic unit is submitted by its head to the Vice Rector for Student Affairs and Education who makes a decision in this respect.

## **Article 2**

The Ordinance enters into force on the day of its signature.

Rector of SUT: A. Mężyk