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RESOLUTION No. 44/2022

OF THE COUNCIL OF THE NATIONAL SCIENCE CENTRE

of 7 April 2022

amending the terms and regulations for awarding funding to incoming researchers for research projects funded by the National Science Centre under POLONEZ BIS 2

§ 1

Pursuant to Article 18 (4) of the Act on the National Science Centre of 30 April 2010 (uniform text in Journal of Laws of 2019, item 1384) and pursuant to the Grant Agreement No 945339 concluded with the Research Executive Agency (REA) on 14 May 2020, the Council of the National Science Centre amends as follows the terms and regulations for awarding funding to incoming researchers for research projects funded by the National Science Centre under POLONEZ BIS 2 adopted by Resolution no. 19/2022 of the NCN Council of 10 February 2022:

1) § 3 (1) shall be replaced by:

„1) they have lived, been employed¹ or studied² in Poland for more than 12 months in total in the 3 years immediately before the date of the call launch (15 March 2022). The 12-month period shall exclude:

- short holidays,
- time of mandatory military service,
- time spent as part of a procedure for obtaining refugee status,
- time spent in Poland, beginning on or after 24 February, in the case of persons defined in the Council Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/382 of 4 March 2022 establishing the existence of a mass influx of displaced persons from Ukraine within the meaning of Article 5 of Directive 2001/55/EC, and having the effect of introducing temporary protection;”;

2) in § 5, the following sentence shall be added after the numbered list:

„The period referred to in 5 (2) above shall exclude the period of employment of the applicant in the host institution beginning on or after 24 February 2022, if the applicant arrived in Poland on or after 24 February 2022 as a result of the military aggression of Russia against Ukraine.”;

3) in § 15:

a) the first sentence of footnote no. 7 referring to the second indent in subsection (6) (a) shall be replaced by:

„The 10-year period can be extended by continuous long-term documented career breaks (over 90 days) related to: 1) sickness benefits or physiotherapy benefits on account of being unfit for work, 2) mandatory military service, 3) employment outside the academic sector, 4) time spent as part of a procedure for obtaining refugee status, 5) stay in Poland, beginning on or after 24 February 2022, in the case of persons defined in the Council Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/382 of 4 March 2022 establishing the existence of a mass influx





of displaced persons from Ukraine within the meaning of Article 5 of Directive 2001/55/EC, and having the effect of introducing temporary protection.”,

- b) in subsection (7) the word „copy” shall be replaced by the words: „a copy” and the following sentence shall be added:

„Persons defined in the Council Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/382 of 4 March 2022 establishing the existence of a mass influx of displaced persons from Ukraine within the meaning of Article 5 of Directive 2001/55/EC, and having the effect of introducing temporary protection, who do not have the above mentioned documents, may submit letters of recommendation to confirm the required experience;”.

§ 2

The terms and regulations for awarding funding to incoming researchers for research projects funded by the National Science Centre under POLONEZ BIS 2 with annexes, incorporating the amendments referred to in § 1 above are attached hereto.

§ 3

The Resolution shall enter into force on the date it is adopted.

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