THE RULES OF PROCEDURE

of the Ethics Committee of the Journal *Filozofia*

Article I

Basic Provisions

The Rules of Procedure set forth the details regarding the meetings of the journal's ethics committee, created ad hoc by the publisher of the journal in cases of complaints concerning possible violations of the Code of Ethics and complaints concerning the investigation of the correctness of the editorial procedure of the journal *Filozofia*, in disputed cases and in other ethical issues related to the review process and the editorial process.

Article II

Ethics Committee Meeting

1. The Ethics Committee consists of at least three members of the editorial board, none of whom is a direct party to the dispute. The Ethics Committee meeting may be held in person or in a hybrid format.
2. The journal's publisher prepares the agenda for the Ethics Committee meeting and sends an invitation to the members of the committee, including the proposed agenda and any supporting materials related to the case under consideration, either electronically or in print, no later than 5 business days before the date of the meeting. All members of the committee are required to protect the personal data of the individuals concerned.
3. The committee, in cooperation with all parties involved, on the basis of the rules of procedure, decides on the further procedure by a majority vote, based on a discussion guided by the Code of Ethics of the Slovak Academy of Sciences and the recommendations of the Committee on Publication Ethics (COPE).
4. The decisions of the committee must be communicated in writing to all parties involved, while consistently ensuring the highest possible level of privacy protection for all parties involved.

Article III

Final Provisions

These Rules of Procedure were approved by the publisher's statutory representative in Bratislava on 05.10.2026.