

## The revision of the Rules for the Establishment and Operation of PrivacyMark System

This is to notify that the revision of Rules for the Establishment and Operation of PrivacyMark System was approved by the PrivacyMark System Committee and it took effect immediately as followed.

### 1. [Additional Condition of Disqualification](#)

- (1) To add a condition of disqualification regarding opposite sex introduction agencies (Paragraph 6 of Article 8)

[The stipulation that the entities are not given the certification of PrivacyMark pursuant to Paragraph 6 of Article 8 of “The Rules for the Establishment and Operation of PrivacyMark System”](#) is enacted.

- (2) Effective Date

It is immediately effective at the time of notification of the revision.

### 2. [The Additional Provision Regarding Assessor Registration System and Training Institution for Assessors](#)

- (1) To add the provisions regarding Assessor registration system (Chapter 5-2)

- (2) To add the provisions to prescribe the grounds to certify training institutions for PrivacyMark Assessors (Chapter 5-3)

It is enacted “The Rules of Certification of PrivacyMark Training Institution for Assessors” as the provisions of Chapter 5-3.

- (3) To clearly define the scope where JIPDEC may operate its business (Article 35)

- (4) Effective Date

It is immediately effective at the time of notification of the revision.

### 3. [The Revision of Provisions Regarding Conformity Assessment Body](#)

- (1) To clearly define the conditions to designate a Conformity Assessment Body (Article 25)

The provisions of Article 25 are enacted the conditions to designate a Conformity Assessment Body.

(2) To revise a part of the provisions regarding Conformity Assessment Body to have conformity with current operations taking advantage of establishment of the provisions regarding Training Institutions for Assessors.

(3) Effective Date

The revision of Article 25 will be effective on November 1, 2008. Articles other than Article 25 are immediately effective at the time of the notification.

4. [The Revision of Provisions regarding Assessment Fee and Accident Reports, etc.](#)

(1) To revise the provisions that could cause misunderstandings that Assessment Fee covers only on-site assessment procedures (Paragraph 4 of Article 10)

(2) To revise the provisions that could cause misunderstandings that an applicant may not pay Assessment Fee in the case of the cancellation of assessment procedure due to its non-payment (Paragraph 6 and 7 of Article 10)

(3) To clearly define the ground that an assessment fee may not be reimbursed. (Paragraph 8 of Article 10)

(4) To revise the provisions regarding accident report, etc. (Replacement of the order of provisions, etc.) (Article 19-2 and Article 20)

(5) Effective Date

It is immediately effective at the time of notification of the revision.

5. [The Additional Provisions Regarding Cooperation with the Related Organs and Organizations](#)

(1) To cooperate with the organs and organizations concerned, if required, keeping close liaison to maintain proper operations of PrivacyMark System (Article 43)

(2) Effective Date

It is immediately effective at the time of notification of the revision.