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eduGAIN Policy Review: HKAF

Review of: Hong Kong Access Federation (HKAF) Federation Policy document – Version 1.0 - 15-June-2017

Section	Name	Comments
1	Definitions	See “2. Definitions and Terminology”. With HKAF specific additions.
2	Introduction	See “3. Introduction”. References the JUCC and HKAF relationship and additional documents supporting this policy.
3.1	Governance	See “5. Governance” includes relationship of key groups.
3.2	FO Obligations	See “5.2 Obligations and Rights of Federation Operator”.
3.3	Member Obligations	See “5.3 Obligations and Rights of Federation Members”. Home Organisations MUST submit an Identity Management Practice Statement (also section 7).
4	Eligibility	See “6. Eligibility” with https://www.hkaf.edu.hk/eligibility-policy IdP eligibility is predominately HK or Macau Higher Ed with the steering committing being able to extend membership on a case-by-case basis.
5.1	Joining	See “9.1 Membership Application”. From policy template.
5.2	Withdrawal	See “9.2 Membership Withdrawal”. From policy template.
6.1	Termination	See “10.1 Termination”. From policy template. Notice of concern/rectification is specified by the Federation Operator in each case.
6.2	Liability & Indemnification	See “10.3 Liability and Indemnification”. From policy template.
6.3	Jurisdiction and dispute resolution	See “10.4 Jurisdiction and Dispute Resolution”. Disputes before the law courts of Hong Kong.
6.4	Interfederation	See “10.5 Inter-federation”. From policy template.
6.5	Amendment	See “10.8 Amendment”. Communicated with reasonable advance notice.
	MRPS	MRPS covers Organisation, IdP and SP registration. Largely technology agnostic but with reference to shibmd:Scope binding to the Home Organisation (or a right to use).
	General	Adds “Attributes”, “Audit and Compliance” and “Data Privacy and Protection of Personal Rights” sections. Appears to be a thorough review of the policy template with input from other federations.