### **USER ORIENTED QUALITY REPORT**

# TERTIARY EDUCATION STATISTICS BEGINNING OF ACADEMIC YEAR

Survey on Tertiary Education Tertiary Education consists of two main parallel sectors:

- a) Universities, including:
  - all the Universities,
  - Polytechnic Schools and
  - the Athens School of Fine Arts and
- b) Technical Sector which encompasses:
  - the Technological Educational Institutes (TEI) and
  - the Higher School of Pedagogic and Technical Education (ASPAITE).

Tertiary Ecclesiastical Education includes the Higher Ecclesiastical Academies.

Tertiary Vocational Education includes the Merchant Marine Academies (AEN), as well as the Higher Schools for Services and the Artistic Schools.

#### Legal Frame

The Survey is governed by:

- a) Joint Ministerial Decision No 13534/7-5-62 (Government Gazette 174/18-05-62, issue B) signed by the Minister of National Economy and the Minister of National Education and Religious Affairs on "Work programme of the Statistical Service of the Ministry of National Education and Religious Affairs.
- b) Law 2392/1996 (Government Gazette 60, issue A): "Access of the General Secretariat of NSSG to administrative data sources and files, Statistical Confidentiality Committee, addressing the issues concerning the conduct of censuses and statistical works, as well as issues concerning the General Secretariat of NSSG".
- c) Presidential Decree No 226/2000 (Government Gazette 195/8-9-2000, issue A) on "Organization of the General Secretariat of the National Statistical Service of Greece".
- d) Law 3832/2010 (Government Gazette 38/9-3-2010, Issue A): "Hellenic Statistical System Establishment of the Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) as an Independent Authority".
- e) Law 2916/2001 (Government Gazette 114 issue A) "Structure of tertiary education and addressing issues concerning technical sector of tertiary education".
- f) Law 3549/2007 (Government Gazette 69/ issue A) "Reform of the institutional framework concerning the structure and operation of Universities.
- g) Law 3432/2006 (Government Gazette 14 issue A) "Structure and operation of ecclesiastical education".
- h) Law 3450/2006 (Government Gazette 64 issue A) "Upgrading and restructuring the marine education and other provisions".
- i) Law 3105/2003 (Government Gazette 29 issue A) "Tourism education and training, arrangements fro tourisms and other provisions".
- j) Law 1158/1981 (Government Gazette 127 issue A) on the "Organization and management of the schools of Higher Artistic Education, the National Theater Award, and abolishing the licenses for professional actors".

### Reference period

The data of the survey refer to the beginning of academic year, yet for comparability reasons the data of the beginning of the previous academic year are also stated.

## Methodology and coverage

The survey is an annual census survey and is conducted through special questionnaires, namely the forms  $\Sigma$ E-10B and  $\Sigma$ E12B. The survey is conducted by the Hellenic Statistical Authority on all the units of tertiary and higher education of Greece.

### References

More information, such as tables with the survey results, samples of questionnaires, etc, on the Survey on Tertiary Education can be found on the web page of ELSTAT, <a href="www.statistics.gr">www.statistics.gr</a>, and at the link: "Statistical Themes > Education > Tertiary Education > Universities (Beginning & End of the Academic Year)" or "Statistical Themes > Education > Tertiary Education > Technological, Vocational and Ecclesiastical Institutions (Beginning & End of the Academic Year)".