

Prague, June 2, 2021

Dear Sirs,

We do not have any objections to the Final Report of the Economics Institute of the CAS, v. v. i. in the evaluation of research and professional activity of research-oriented institutes of the Czech Academy of Sciences for the period 2015–2019.

We welcome comments and conclusions of the evaluation. The evaluators recognize the outstanding quality of research at the Economics Institute and its unique position not only in the Czech Republic but also in its high reputation abroad. The report is well balanced and adequately assesses our research performance. We strongly welcome the recommendation to strengthen the support of our research efforts.

I hereby declare that the course of the evaluation was in compliance with the Methodology of evaluation of research and professional activity of research-oriented institutes of the Czech Academy of Sciences for the period 2015–2019.

Thank you for your work.

Yours faithfully,

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