- The KCUE formed the Committee on University Accreditation, an independent decision-making body related to evaluation, from the beginning of the implementation of the Comprehensive University Evaluation & Recognition System. The Committee was formed as an annex to the KCUE by the approval of the 61st board of directors (Feb. 8, 1993) with the aim to enhance fairness and objectivity. The Committee on University Accreditation keeps the characteristics of this Committee while being based on the rules revised in a way that fits for the implementation of Accreditation system for University Institutions. In other words, the Committee is annexed with the KCUE but at the same time has a completely independent decision-making system.
- The Committee on University Accreditation is made up of representatives from industry and social organizations, presidents or professors of universities, and university evaluation experts. The Committee deliberates and approves important items related to accreditation including the direction of university evaluation, the arbitration of objection, and the handling of evaluation results. All matters in relation to these are managed as per the rules for the Committee set forth separately.
- The Center for University Accreditation is a separately installed annexed body aimed at realizing the purpose of establishment of the KCUE in accordance with the Article 23 of the Articles of Incorporation for the KCUE. Thus, it is in principle that the direct administrative right over the operation of the center is exercised by the KCUE. However, in order to secure independence and expertise of the center, the personnel and budget matters will be operated independently. Given that the center became affiliated with the KCUE in 2009, it is viewed

that time should be given for the Accreditation System for University Institutions to be taken root. The plan is to enter the phase of responsible management (2012) and then to make the center independent.