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Ph.D. THESIS EVALUATION REPORT

(The thesis examination report proforma is divided into four parts. Part 1 consists of particulars of research scholar and thesis; Parts 2, 3, and 4 are to be completed by the examiner. Please use extra sheets wherever required)

1. PARTICULARS OF RESEARCH SCHOLAR

- (i) Name : _____
 - (ii) Registration No. : _____
 - (iii) College/Department/ Centre : _____
 - (iv) Title of Thesis : _____
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2. EVALUATION REPORT

(While evaluating the research work the examiner is expected to bear in mind that PhD is the highest academic degree and accordingly a comprehensive and critical examination of the research work is required and a detailed report justifying the acceptance/revision/rejection of the thesis is anticipated)

**Kindly use additional sheets, if required.*

A. General Comments:

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B. Strengths of Thesis:

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C. Weaknesses (if any) of Thesis:

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D. Specific Comments:

I. Has the research problem been clearly defined?

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II. Does the research problem has any theoretical or applied relevance?

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III. Are the research objectives clear?

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IV. Comprehensiveness of the literature covered:

a. Have major works, including recent ones in the field, been covered?

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b. Has it been able to identify the research gap(s) justifying the need for the present research?

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c. Has it been able to establish linkages with the research problem?

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V. Has the hypothesis been correctly formulated?

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VI. Is the research methodology well defined (viz. experiments/techniques, sampling design, data collection methods, data processing techniques, analytical tools applied, etc.)?

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VII. Are inferences drawn, on the basis of data analysis and hypothesis testing and the interpretation thereof, capable of providing solution to the research problem?

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VIII. Does/Do the published research paper(s) bear relevance to the research problem?

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IX. Kindly rate the quality of thesis in terms of:

- a. Content organisation : Excellent/Very Good/Good/Satisfactory/Poor
- b. Language clarity and coherence : Excellent/Very Good/Good/Satisfactory/Poor
- c. Research methodology : Excellent/Very Good/Good/Satisfactory/Poor
- d. Data analysis and presentation (viz. use of tables/graphs/etc.) : Excellent/Very Good/Good/Satisfactory/Poor
- e. Bibliography format: As per APA standard? : Yes/No

3. RECOMMENDATION

[Based on the overall assessment, please place the thesis in any one of the three categories (a), (b), or (c) given below striking out the statements that are not applicable. Also give a detailed report on the thesis indicating therein whether the thesis or a part of it can be published in its present form or the thesis may be revised/improved for publication on the indicated lines in the case of recommendation (a); nature and details of revision of thesis in case of recommendation (b); critical points/reasons forming basis for rejection of the thesis in case of recommendation(c) below]

I recommend that the thesis (please specify only one of the below striking-out the others):

a. should be accepted for the award of Ph.D. Degree.

OR

b. should be referred back to the research scholar for submission in revised form.

OR

c. is not acceptable for the award of Ph.D. degree and is rejected.

Signature of the Examiner

Date:

Name

NOTE: In case of recommendation (a) above, please provide a list of at least FIVE questions (in Section 5 of this report) which may be asked from the research scholar at the time of Viva-Voce.

4. RECOMMENDATION REPORT

(Please use additional sheets, if required)

(a). In case the examiner recommends that the thesis should be accepted for the award of PhD degree, please indicate whether the thesis or a part of it is recommended for publication in its present form or the thesis may be revised/improved for publication on the suggested lines. Please suggest areas or the lines on which the thesis can be improved for its publication:

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5. SUGGESTED QUESTIONS FOR THE VIVA-VOCE EXAMINATION

[In case of acceptance of the thesis, please provide a list of at least five questions which may be asked from the research scholar at the time of Viva-Voce examination]

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