THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
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VIVA VOCE EXAMINATION REPORT FOR PhD CANDIDATE

Name of candidate.....

Programme registered for: .....

Department:.....College/Institute/School:.....

Thesis title: .....

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Registration No: ..... Date of Viva Voce: .....

CANDIDATE'S PERFORMANCE AT THE VIVA
1. The candidate demonstrated detailed knowledge of the thesis and that it is his/her own work ☐Well below expectations ☐ Below expectation ☐ Meets expectations ☐ Above expectations ☐ Exceeds expectations
2. The candidate was confident in defending the direction, methodology and conclusions of the work ☐ Well below expectations ☐ Below expectation ☐ Meets expectations ☐ Above expectations ☐ Exceeds expectations
3. The candidate demonstrated awareness of where the original works sit in relation to the broader context of the discipline ☐ Well below expectations ☐ Below expectation ☐ Meets expectations ☐ Above expectations ☐ Exceeds expectations
4. The candidate demonstrated a substantive and independent contribution to the discipline ☐ Well below expectations ☐ Below expectation ☐ Meets expectations ☐ Above expectations ☐ Exceeds expectations

SN	EXAMINATION RECOMMENDATION	Tick (√)
1.0	**CANDIDATE PASSES**	
1.1	The candidate passes and no additional corrections in the thesis are required.	
1.2	The candidate passes subject to making minor corrections and revisions in the thesis as stated in the viva voce proceedings within three (3) months.*	
1.3	The candidate passes but is referred to make substantial corrections and revisions as stated in the viva voce proceedings within six (6) months, and at least two viva voce panelists must certify that the corrections have been done as directed.**	
2.0	**CANDIDATE FAILS**	
2.1	The candidate fails but should be given another chance to resubmit and defend the thesis after eliminating the weaknesses detailed in the viva voce proceedings within nine (9) months.	
2.2	The candidate fails outright (reasons detailed in viva voce proceedings).	

*Minor changes refer to editorial corrections, slight re-organization of sections and minor modifications of tables, paragraphs or sentences.

**Major changes refer to the additional literature review, re-writing and re-organization of the sections, and modification of tables, figures, paragraphs or sentences.