Assessment of MS Thesis Defense

Committee Chair Report
On Answering of Questions

Date: ______________________________

Student: ___________________________ ID# ___________________

Thesis advisor: Prof. __________________________

This instrument is designed for the sole purpose of collection of data. It does not have a bearing on the PASS/FAIL decision made by the Thesis Committee.

1. The student should be able to comprehend most of the questions asked by the general audience and the members of the Thesis Committee.

   What percent of the questions was the student able to comprehend? Check one of the following answers:

   (a) Less than 50%, (b) Between 50 and 70%, (c) More than 70%

2. The student should be able to present his/her arguments effectively, while answering questions.

   Was the student able to present effectively his/her arguments while answering the questions?

   (a) Less than 50%, (b) Between 50 and 70%, (c) More than 70%

3. The student should not only be an effective communicator, but should be able to present correct answers.

   What percent of the questions did the student answer correctly?

   (a) Less than 50%, (b) Between 50 and 70%, (c) More than 70%

The Chair of Thesis Committee is provided with a score sheet at the time of defense. The score sheet should be submitted to Mrs. Deb Wilhite along with the final result of dissertation defense.
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Committee Chair Report (Summary)
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Student Name: ____________________________ ID# _____________________

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Score Sheet

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