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## INDEPENDENT RESEARCH STUDY (IRS) FINAL REVIEWER'S REPORT

Candidate's Name		Enrolment	
Faculty			
Program			
IRS Title			
Reviewer's Name			
Reviewer's Designation		Organization	
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### OVERALL STYLE AND ORGANISATION:

Please indicate your response by **circling** the most appropriate number. Please state not relevant, where appropriate.

1. In terms of contents, the IRS title is

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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2. In terms of conciseness, the abstract is

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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3. In terms of clarity of presentation, the IRS is

Comments:				
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4. In terms of organization (chapters, bibliography, Appendices, etc.), the IRS is

Comments:				
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Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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5. The language and grammar are

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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6. The spellings are

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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## ROBUSTNESS OF IRS

7. The terminology used is

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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8. The literature review is

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	



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9. Research objectives are

Comments:				
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10. The methodology is

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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11. The data collected for the analysis and testing are

Comments:				
Not appropriate at all			Most appropriate	
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12. The quantitative (statistical)/qualitative analysis is Comments

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13. Data/information interpretation and conclusion are

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14. The discussion corresponds to the results of the study

Comments:									
Not appropriate at all					Most appropriate				
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15. The discussion is

Comments:									
Not appropriate at all					Most appropriate				
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16. References are

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17. The novelty level of the research is

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## RUBRICS FOR INDEPENDENT RESEARCH STUDY (IRS) FINAL EVALUATION MARKS DISTRIBUTION

Sr. #	Description	Allocated Marks	Obtained Marks
1.	A student identified an area of study in which an original contribution can be made.	3	
2.	Title of the research study is relevant and appropriate.	3	
3.	The student made a clear argument for the need to conduct research on his/her topic/Justification.	3	
4.	Hypotheses / Research Questions were appropriate and clearly articulated.	3	
5.	The scope of the research study is appropriate.	3	
6.	The purpose of the study was clearly stated.	3	
7.	Supporting literature was provided for hypotheses/research questions (if any)	3	
8.	A thorough and critical approach to the literature is demonstrated. Theoretical implications of the study are appropriate.	3	
9.	The research design is appropriate to address hypotheses/research questions	3	
10.	Estimated number of participants /Sample is appropriate for the study. Description of measures to be used in the study is provided.	3	
11.	Data collection procedures are appropriate and clearly articulated.	3	
12.	A student identified and adequately described statistical procedures used to analyze the data.	3	
13.	Student adhered to guidelines set forth by the APA.	3	
14.	The research study is well organized, and written in a clear, concise, and grammatically correct in all aspects.	3	
15.	The conclusion drawn is based on the question raised/hypothesis developed and discussed in the results	3	
16.	Overall, Final Presentation	5	
<b>Total Marks</b>		<b>50</b>	

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Reviewer's Signature

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Date