Appendix A must be completed by each member of the graduate committee excluding the graduate faculty representative. A total of three copies of Appendix A must be completed and submitted to the School of Graduate Studies.

Appendix A-Graduate Committee Members

ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT PERFORMANCE IN ORAL DEFENSE

Semester ________________ Year __________

Please check the graduate program the candidate completed:

_____ Biology
_____ Counseling Psychology
_____ English
_____ Environmental Studies
_____ Industrial Technology
_____ Sport Studies

Please check the designated degree:

_____ M.A.
_____ M.S.
_____ Applied Masters

Please respond regarding the student’s research paper/thesis and oral defense by circling the most appropriate response:

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Please respond frankly to the following questions regarding the student’s competency level in completing his/her graduate program:

What particular strengths or weaknesses did you identify in this candidate? 
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Other Comments____________________________________________________________________
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