

RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF DISSERTATION PROSPECTUS

To: The SSE Graduate Studies Office

Department: _____

Subject: Recommendation for approval of the prospectus for a dissertation submitted by

Mr./Ms. _____ SSN: _____

One copy of the prospectus for the Ph.D. dissertation is enclosed. It is approximately three doubled-spaced typewritten pages. The prospectus has been approved by members of a formally appointed dissertation committee. The prospectus provides the following information: (1) title of dissertation; (2) name of student; (3) name of department; and (4) the names of the dissertation director (designated) and members of the dissertation committee. The prospectus includes: (1) a summary of earlier work on the problem; (2) the plan for the investigation; (3) a statement of the expected results; (4) major sources used and a selective bibliography.

I recommend that the Dean approve this prospectus.

Sincerely,

Signature of Dissertation Director

Signature of Department Chair

Signature of Committee Member

Date

Signature of Committee Member

Additional signatures if required:

(For Dean's use only)

This prospectus has been approved ()

This prospectus has not been approved ()

Associate Dean of SSE Graduate Studies

Date