**PRINCIPAL SUPERVISOR’S STATEMENT**

[Name of the candidate]

**Title of the PhD thesis:**

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**Principal supervisor:**

Professor X

The student has fulfilled the requirements of the Danish PhD programme under the Ministerial order and according to the PhD plan:

* Carried out independent research work under supervision
* Completed approx. 30 ECTS PhD courses
* Participated in active research environment outside The University of The University of Southern Denmark
* Gained experience of teaching and other forms of knowledge dissemination
* Completed a PhD thesis on the basis of the PhD project

**Overall assessment of the PhD study:**

[Assessment of the candidate’s performance during the PhD study, dissemination activities, courses, participation in active research environments and change of research environment abroad as described in the PhD plan for the study.

The principal supervisor’s opinion on the candidate’s progression in performance in carrying out independent research under supervision. Short description of the areas of research or the skills the candidate has performed especially well in during the study]

**List of published work included in the thesis:**

[Optional]

**List of published work not included in the thesis:**

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**List of submitted papers/work in progress:**

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**Date:** [dd name of month yyyy]

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