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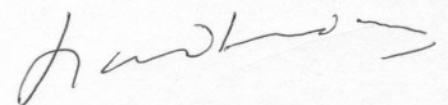
I am pleased to write about my student Miss Muhamuda K, who worked under me as a PhD scholar from 2002-2006. During this period she worked on a project on production, characterization and utility of rabies monoclonal antibodies in diagnostics and Immunotherapy. The project was completed successfully in time. Apart from this, she got experience in other aspects of rabies, particularly diagnosis, epidemiology, post-exposure treatment and molecular biology. She has expertise in all the routine Virological techniques like cell culture, ELISA, Immunoblot, Immunofluorescence and animal inoculations. I am extremely impressed by her skills in these techniques.

Apart from getting expertise in the field of rabies, she also got experience in the field of Neurovirology in general and studied other neurotropic viruses like Japanese encephalitis, Measles, Herpes, enteroviruses and HIV.

During her tenure in the department, I found her to be very keen on learning new techniques, was very cordial with fellow students and faculty and took an active part in all the teaching activities such as seminars and journal clubs. She presented papers at both national and international conferences and won best paper award in a national conference. She has already prepared 5 scientific papers from her PhD work and submitted to various peer reviewed international journals.

I am very much of the opinion that she will continue to do excellent scientific work, in whichever field she chooses in future and will be a great asset for the laboratory in which she will continue her future research work. I wholeheartedly recommend her selection for the scientific assignments both within the country and abroad. I wish her a very fruitful scientific career for the future.

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