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I certify that Sri Ashis Kumar Das, M. Sc., has worked under my supervision and guidance in the Department of Zoology, University of North Bengal for his Ph. D. studies entitled, "**Ecology and Behaviour of Little Cormorant (*Phalacrocorax niger* Vieillot) and Night Heron (*Nycticorax nycticorax* Linnaeus) at the Raiganj Wildlife Sanctuary, West Bengal,**". I am forwarding his thesis for Ph. D. degree (Science) of the University of North Bengal.

I recommend that he has fulfilled all the requirements according to the rules of the University of North Bengal regarding the words embodied in his thesis.

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