

Certification of Completion of the Requirements for

Ph.D. Minor in Statistical Science

Department of Statistics

Requirements: Four (4) graduate courses in statistics, at least three (3) of which must be at the 600-level or above, taken from the Department of Statistics. Coursework must be approved by the Director of Graduate Studies of the Department of Statistics.

Student Name: _____

University ID: _____

Ph.D. Program: _____

Course 1: _____ Grade: _____

Course 2: _____ Grade: _____

Course 3: _____ Grade: _____

Course 4: _____ Grade: _____

To initiate research for the dissertation, the student chooses a professor who will agree to direct the dissertation. The department shall then recommend to the dean for approval a research committee composed of the chosen director (who will also normally serve as chairperson of the committee), two or more additional faculty members from the major department, and a representative of each minor. The committee should be selected from the members of the graduate faculty who are best qualified to assist the student in conducting the research for the dissertation. In the event that the dissertation research does not involve the area(s) of the minor(s) whether outside or inside the department the major department may request, with the consent of the minor-field representative(s), the substitution of a representative or of representatives from some other field(s) more appropriate to the topic of the dissertation.

Statistics Director of Graduate Studies signature: _____

Date: _____