



# National Textile University, Faisalabad

## Office of the Graduate Studies & Research

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### Notification (30<sup>th</sup> ASRB Meeting)

**Agenda Item # 5 (a):**            **Policy Regarding Nomination of National & International Examiners for PhD Thesis Evaluation**

Director, GSR reiterated the procedure of local and foreign external examiners selection for evaluation of PhD Thesis that as per current practice Supervisor of a PhD student proposes local and foreign examiners to Sub-Committee for recommendation of examiners to Convener ASRB for final selection. He presented following suggestion to improve the procedure of selection of external examiners more transparent and unbiased:

“Proposed nominations of external examiners by a Supervisor will be placed before “Subject Expert” for neutral evaluation and recommendations and the final selection of examiners will not be disclosed to anyone including Supervisor”

#### Decision

- a. Board after detailed discussion unanimously agreed with the procedure already adopted for selection of external examiners without any change.
- b. Board resolved that Sub-Committee may call a “Subject Expert” by invitation if required / needed.
- c. Board further resolved that all the proceedings / matters of graduate programs should be routed through Director Graduate Programs, HoD and concerned Dean/Director.

  
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