Section A: to be completed by the applicant
Name: ___________________________ ID number: ___________________________

Section B: to be completed by the referee
The above-named person has applied to The Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology at Tel-Aviv University for M.Sc. studies. We would be grateful if you could please provide a confidential reference on the applicant’s suitability. Please feel free to reply in Hebrew, even though the general questionnaire is in English.

1. How long have you known the applicant?
More than half a year ____________, between 2 and 6 months ____________, Less than 2 months ______

2. In what form have you known the applicant?
Lab project ________, Seminar ____________, Regular course______, Lab course ______
Other (specify) ______________

3. Please grade the applicant on the following criteria, using the suggested numerical scale:

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4. Would you accept the candidate as a M.Sc. student in your laboratory?
Yes ________, No ________, please indicate the reason(s): ______________________________________

5. General comments about the candidate:
________________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________

6. Referee’s details
Name (please print): ___________________________ Position: ___________________________
Institution and department: ___________________________
Telephone number: ___________________________ E-mail address: ___________________________

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Signature Date

Please return by Fax directly to 03-640-9749 (not via the applicant). Thank you for your time and input!