**To**: **The Graduate Studies Authority**  Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Request for an Academic Leave of Absence:**

**Year \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Semester \_\_\_\_\_\_**

**1. Personal Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_ Student I.D. no.: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address\*: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**2. Background:**

I began my PhD studies at the University of Haifa in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I received a leave of absence before, in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**3. Academic Status:**

 I am a first stage (A) student

I I submitted the PhD research proposal but it has not yet been approved.

 I am a second stage (B) student – My PhD research proposal was approved on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Did you receive a PhD scholarship?** Yes / No (please circle)

**Did you receive another kind of stipend from the Graduate Studies Authority?**

Yes / No Clarify\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**4. Please explain your request for the leave of absence:**

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**5. Supervisor's comments and recommendation:**

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Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**6. Chairperson of the PhD Committee's comments and recommendation:**

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Chairperson of the PhD Committee:

 Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_