FORMAT FOR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION (to be typed on a separate sheet)

Indian Academy of Sciences
Indian National Science Academy
The National Academy of Sciences, India

Summer Research Fellowships 2012
TO BE USED ONLY FOR STUDENT APPLICANTS*

Name of applicant: __________________ Name of teacher: __________________
Institution: __________________ Title/position: __________________
Course studying and year: __________________ Institution: __________________
Broad discipline of interest: __________________ Quote online registration No.** __________________
1. I know the applicant for ___ years as an undergraduate/graduate/postgraduate/others (specify)
2. I Know the applicant quite well fairly well not so well
Summary of evaluation (tick appropriate boxes)

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<th>General aptitude</th>
<th>Outstanding (among top 5%)</th>
<th>High (5-10%)</th>
<th>Medium (10-20%)</th>
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<td>Breadth of scientific interest</td>
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<td>Knowledge of the discipline</td>
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<td>Communication/writing skills</td>
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Applicant’s strong qualities:
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Applicant’s weaknesses:
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Name & address in capital letters: ____________
Date: ____________  Signature of the Teacher: ____________

* This should be filled and signed by the teacher (with the seal of the institution), sealed in an envelope, and sent to the Academy (The Coordinator, Science Education Programme, Indian Academy of Sciences, C.V. Raman Avenue, Near Mekhri Circle, Sadashivanagar, Bangalore 560 080) along with the print copy of the application, or sent separately by the teacher.

** Online registration number to be obtained from student.

Additional comments on the applicant (please use additional sheet if necessary)