

## STATEMENT

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4.3 Biological sciences /Environmental microbiology and biotechnology/

Subject: competition for the award of the Title Doctor in the field of higher education 4. Natural sciences, mathematics and informatics, professional direction 4.2. Chemical Sciences (anorganic chemistry).

### **1. Information about the consent**

The procedure has been announced for the needs of the "Chemistry" department at Shumen University.

I participated in the composition of the scientific jury for the procedure according to Order no RD-16-017/ 19.02.2024 of the Rector of SHU.

### **2. Brief information about the candidates in the procedure**

Doctoral student Tsvetan Vasilev Tsenov finished his higher education in 2020 with the professional qualification of Master of Chemistry in Shumen University, city of Shumen.

### **Fulfillment of the requirements for occupying the academic Position.**

2.1. Fulfillment of the requirements under ZRASRB and PPZRASRB. According to the application for the minimum scientometric requirements for acquisition of the title “Doctor”, the candidate meets the requirements and participates with 90 points out of the 80 required under ZRASRB.

### **4. Evaluation of the educational and teaching activity for each candidate**

The candidate has 1 year of teaching.

### **A brief description of the presented scientific papers/publications**

The candidate submits 2 published articles for participation in the competition. Scientific articles, of which 3 with an impact factor and an impact rank, which bring a total of 40 points. Research and publications are quartiles 2 with Q2.

His publications have been cited 1 time in journals with an impact factor and impact rank. There are 17 publications in secondary databases. There is 22 participations in scientific conferences.

## **5. Synthesized evaluation of the basic scientific and applied sciences candidate contributions**

The scientific contributions of Tsvetan Tsenov, as presented are original and unquestionable and command respect for one constructed teacher and specialist.

## **6. Main criticisms and recommendations**

I have no critical notes and recommendations for the candidate.

## **7. Summary**

The summary is made according to the requirements and meets the main ones results of the dissertation work.

## **8. Conclusion**

Based on the materials provided to me for the preparation of a statement regarding the candidate for obtaining the title "Doctor" of Tsvetan Vasilev Tsenov, after a careful analysis of all the documents, I accept as completely worthy the candidacy of the participant in the procedure, as it permits me most politely to recommend to the members the honest Scientific jury to vote positively for Tsvetan Vasilev Tsenov, so as I myself will convincingly do. I wish Dr. Donchev many scientific and professional successes.

20.03.2024

city of Shumen

Signature:

