

on site. The contributions of the dissertation paper objectively reflect the work done, they are 11 in number, and 3 of them are original in nature.

The self-abstract is written on 35 pages and corresponds to the content of the dissertation paper. There are 3 publications on the topic of the dissertation, and Nikola Nizamov is the first author in one of them. The PhD student presented the results of the research on the dissertation at 3 scientific forums in Bulgaria with international participation.

Conclusion

In conclusion, I could characterize the dissertation paper submitted to me for an opinion as follows: relevant; accompanied by rich literary review; with correctly set objectives and tasks; with sufficient volume of materials and appropriate methods of work; with well-interpreted results; with clearly formulated conclusions, contributions and recommendations for the practice.

The above circumstances and the documents accompanying the dissertation paper show that the objectives of the educational and scientific degree of the PhD studies have been fully complied with, which gives me reason to vote with a positive vote for awarding Nikola Stefanov Nizamov the PhD educational and scientific degree in the scientific specialty. "Parasitology and invasive diseases in animals and humans", field of higher education 6.0. Agrarian sciences and veterinary medicine, professional area 6.4. Veterinary medicine.

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