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CORRECTIONS AS PER THE EXAMINERS' REPORT ON A RESEARCH REPORT SUBMITTED FOR PARTIAL FULFILLMENT FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

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LIST OF CORRECTIONS REQUESTED AND THE REMEDIAL ACTIONS TAKEN

#	Comments from the Examiners	Corrections / Status
1.	There should be no sub-titles within the abstract.	All sub-titles within the abstract have been removed and the abstract has been consolidated. See page 3 of the report.
2.	The spacing of the report should be double-spacing.	The entire report page layout has been changed to "**Double Spacing**" as per the requested correction.
3.	The sections and subsections should be bold.	All sections and subsections in the entire report have been updated to bold.
4.	The scope and limitation of the dissertation are missing.	Research scope is covered in Chapter 3: Research Methodology, under subsection 3.7, Scope and Contribution. Research limitations are also covered in the same chapter under subsection 3.5.

5.	The organisation (structure) of the thesis is absent. This is important to guide the readers as to what they should expect in the other chapters.	The report is structured using the Table of Content as the guiding template of the flow of the report. Sections, subsections, Tables and Figures in the table of content are all linked to the content in the body of the report.
6.	There should be an introduction to the literature.	Noted. Brief introduction to the subject matter being addressed by the authors being referenced has been provided in the literature review section in Chapter 2.
7.	The population size, sampling size and sampling technique should be indicated and justified.	Population size, sampling size as well as sampling techniques have been indicated in subsection 3.1.1: Design and Data Collection of Chapter 3: Research Methodology.
8.	On page 16, Table 1 (heading of the table) in chapter 2, is actually a figure and should be renamed Figure 2.1. On page 17 too, Table 2 should be changed to 2.1. On page 18, Table 3 should be changed to 2.2. Again, on page 18, Figure 1 should be changed to Figure 2.2. etc. The rest of the figures	Noted. Tables and Figures have been linked to the body of the text in the report.

	and tables are numbered correctly. In chapter 4, the table numbering should start from Table 4.1 and the figure numbering should also start from Figure 4.1, etc.	
9.	The heading of Chapter 5 should be “Summary and Conclusion” instead of Research Conclusion we have at the moment. The chapter should be structured as follows: • 5.1 Introduction • 5.2 Summary of findings • 5.3 Conclusions and Implications • 5.4 Recommendations	Heading of chapter 5 has been changed as per the recommendations and the structured into the recommended subsections.
10.	With the summary and findings, you should restate your research objectives and then show how each of them has been achieved.	Research objectives have been restated and demonstrated how they have been achieved.

I would like to thank the Examiners for pointing out the corrections that needed to be implemented in this report. I have updated the report accordingly and linked the tables with the body of text for ease of reference.

Best regards,

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