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## EXAMINATION APPEALS BOARD

No. 2019/71/915

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Pronouncing its ruling on the appeal of Mr [name], appellant, resident in [residence], against a negative assessment by Dr R.E. de Vries, examiner of the Faculty of Behavioural and Movement Sciences (Psychology) of the Vrije Universiteit, defendant.

### **I. Course of the proceedings and admissibility**

The appellant submitted an appeal by undated letter against the decision of the defendant, dated 15 April 2019. The notice of appeal was received on 26 July 2019, and therefore not in due time.

On 12 August 2019 the appellant was requested on behalf of the Board to show, by 24 August 2019 at the latest, why he could not submit the notice of appeal within the time limit. On 22 August the appellant replied that he only realized that the mark for the Measurement Theory and Assessment examination could be incorrect when he received the assessment of the Personality Theory and Assessment examination.

### **II. Considerations of the Board**

The Examination Appeals Board has established that the appellant did not submit his notice of appeal in due time. Because there was no appeal clause in the announcement of the assessment, some exceedance is acceptable. In this case the Board considers the exceedance no longer reasonable.

### **III. Ruling**

The Board declares the appeal manifestly inadmissible.

Pronounced in Amsterdam, on 10 December 2019, by Dr N. Rozemond, chairperson, and Prof M.W. Hofkes and Dr J.R. Hulst, members, in the presence of J.G. Bekker, secretary.

Dr N. Rozemond,  
chairperson

J.G. Bekker  
secretary

The person concerned can submit an appeal against a judgement of the Examination Appeals Board, stating a sound justification, to the Higher Education Appeals Tribunal, Postbus 16137, 2500 BC The Hague. The term for the submission of a notice of appeal is six weeks. The registry fee is €47.00.