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In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

Question: Shaykh – May Allaah give you Tawfeeq – a questioner from out of this country asks: "Some of the students of knowledge, when they return to their countries in order to teach the people the matters of their religion and the 'Aqeedah, then it is required from them to show a recommendation (Tazkiyyah) from a Salafee scholar. His Question: Is such a recommendation obligatory, in order to teach the people? Whilst knowing that it is often difficult to acquire such [a recommendation]."

Shaykh Saalih bin Fawzaan al-Fawzaan [May Allaah preserve him]: "When he holds a university degree from the Islaamic University [of Madeenah], Al-Imaam University [Riyadh], Umm Al-Qura University, from an Islaamic University, then this is a recommendation.

This is a recommendation for him. The one that requires a personal recommendation is the one that does not have a certificate from a university. This one needs a recommendation from the known scholars. Yes."