



'ABD-AL-VĀḤED (AUTHOR)

'ABD-AL-VĀḤED B. MOḤAMMAD, 8th/14th century author. There is no positive proof that this individual was a Persian, though his association with Persians makes that conclusion plausible. His extant commentary on Naṣīr-al-dīn Ṭūsī's *Sī faṣl dar taqwīm* or *Resāla fī ma'refat al-taqwīm* ("Epistle on knowing the calendar") was composed in 797/1394-95, while Ḥājjī Qalīfa ascribes to him a commentary on the *Molaḳkaṣ fī l- hay'a* ("Compendium of astronomy") written by Jaḡmīnī in the early 14th century, as well as a *Manzūma fī l-aṣṭorlāb* ("Didactic poem on the astrolabe"), which he composed for his pupil, Moḡammad Šāh Fenārī.

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