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I, **Mr. Dhaval Bhavsar**, declare that the thesis entitled, “**Development of Mesoporous Silica Nanoparticles as a Novel Platform for Targeted Delivery and Controlled Release of Anticancer Agent**”, herewith to the Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara for the award of Ph.D. in Pharmacy comprises independent investigations carried out by me in the Pharmacy Department, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, India. Wherever references have been made to the work of others, it has been clearly indicated with the source of information under the title of references at end of each chapter. I further declare that the results of this work have not been previously submitted for the award of any degree or fellowship.

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