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This is to certify that this Ph.D. Thesis entitled “**AN EMPIRICAL STUDY OF CONSUMER BEHAVIOR TOWARDS GREEN COSMETICS IN SELECTED CITIES OF GUJARAT STATE**” submitted by **MS. SHAH PRUTHA PRITESHBHAI** to The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara for the award of degree of Doctor of Philosophy under Faculty of Commerce and Business Management Studies is to the best of my knowledge, is a record of bonafide research work carried out by her under my supervision and guidance.

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