

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the research topic entitled "**Study on Handle Characteristics of Fabric**" which is submitted herewith to The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara for the fulfilment of the award of the degree of **DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN TEXTILE ENGINEERING** is the result of the work carried out by me in Textile Engineering Department, Faculty of Technology & Engineering, The M. S. University of Baroda, Vadodara and The Department of Textile Technology, Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi under the guidance of **Dr. S. S. Bhattacharya**, Professor, Department of Textile Engineering, Faculty of Technology & Engineering, The M. S. University of Baroda, Vadodara and **Dr. Apurba Das**, Professor, Department of Textile Technology, Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi.

I further declare that the result of this work has not been previously submitted for any degree / fellowship.

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