

## DECLARATION

In accordance with the university, ordinance No: ACED/309 Ph.D., I the undersigned, hereby declare that the work presented in this thesis entitled "Evaluation of role of adipokines in atherosclerosis" submitted herewith to The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda for the fulfillment for the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Pharmacy is the result of work carried out by me in the Dept of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Zydus Research Centre, Ahmedabad.

The result of this work has not been previously submitted for any degree for fellowship.

Whenever references have been made to the work of others, it has been clearly indicated with the sources of information under the section of references.

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