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NOTIFICATION

PLAGIARISM POLICY

The Academic Council in its 105th Meeting held on 25th March 2021, vide Item No. 105.03 (c), approved the following policy concerning Plagiarism:

- 1. Plagiarism check is mandatory for the evaluation of all the Dissertations, Thesis and Project Reports at all levels (i.e., B. Tech, M. Tech, and Ph.D.) using widely acceptable Software such as 'iThenticate', etc.
- 2. A copy of the Plagiarism Report should also be submitted along with the Dissertations, Theses, and Project Reports to Dean (PGS) / Dean (UGS).
- 3. There is the Limit-of-Confidence for the Plagiarism Report of Dissertations, Theses, and Project Reports. As per UGC's anti-plagiarism policy, the allowable Limit-of-Confidence shall be 10% after excluding the contents of original research papers published by the concerned Students/ Scholars, the references with the titles of the papers.
- 4. In case Plagiarism is found, it shall be brought in the knowledge of Dean (PGS) / Dean (UGS). The Institute has the liberty to reject the thesis/dissertation/project, in case of non-compliance or plagiarism.
- 5. The limit may be relaxed up to a maximum of 20% with the due justification of the Supervisor and approval of the Dean (PGS) / Dean (UGS).
- 6. The supervisor shall be responsible for the Plagiarism Check and a record of which will be maintained in the Office of Dean (PGS).

This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Registrar

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