

DECLARATION

I hereby, declare that the work presented in this thesis entitled "APPLICATION OF FUNCTIONALISED CHELATING RESINS FOR SELECTIVE SORPTION OF METAL IONS WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO HEAVY METALS" is entirely original and was carried out by me under the supervision of Professor Abhijit Roy, Department of Chemistry, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling for the award of Doctor of Philosophy in Chemistry.

To the best of my knowledge, the thesis has not been submitted previously for the award of any degree to this University or any other University.

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