

DECLARATION

I do hereby declare that the thesis entitled
**Therapeutic potential of active principles isolated from fruits of
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Wistar rats**

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