

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the work presented in this thesis entitled " Material characterisation and eletro-optical studies of a ferroelectric liquid crystal " is based on the original work done by me under the supervision of Dr. K.G.Balakrishnan in the Department of Electronics, Cochin University of Science and Technology and that no part thereof has been presented for the award of any other degree.

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