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I hereby declare that the thesis entitled "**DEVELOPMENT OF METAL OXIDE THIN FILMS BY CHEMICAL BATH DEPOSITION METHOD FOR SOLAR CELL APPLICATION**" submitted to **ALAGAPPA UNIVERSITY**, Karaikudi for the award of the Degree of **Doctor of Philosophy** in **Chemistry** is my original work and that it has not previously formed the basis for the award of any Degree, Diploma, Associationship, Fellowship or any other similar title of any University or Institution.

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