

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

31st August 2023

Dear Sun Pharma Science Foundation Science Scholar Awards Committee 2023,

I certify that the research work entitled “**Nanotechnology based affordable and label-free electrochemical approach for early cancer diagnosis**” submitted for the Sun Pharma Science Scholar Award has received “ethical clearance” and the institutional scientific ethical body confirmed approval [Proposal Number: NIT (A.P)/R&D/Project/11–12/1/Vol.2/IEC-02, Approval date 27/09/2016] for this study.

This research project was conducted at the Special Center for Nanoscience, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, and was approved by the Department of Science & Technology (DST)’s Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) team. Patients who were selected for the study, gave written consent at the time of blood sample collection; necessary approvals were also obtained from the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi, and the Government of India before the commencement of the research.