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<u>JUSTIFICATON LETTER</u>

I solemnly certify that the citation of the research work submitted by Mr. Atharva Rajendra Bhide as a nomination for Sun Pharma Science Scholar award embodies original work done by him under my supervision. I have known Atharva for about four years since he joined in Department of Pharmacy as a Ph.D. research scholar and JRF in DST-SERB project. His probity, dedication and determination towards his research work as well as any other tasks assigned to him has been worthy of appreciation during this tenure. I could really see in him the qualities of committed researcher with a creative and cursive mind. Therefore, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani consistently sponsored him fellowship since April 2022.

His ability to discern any experimental problem leading to differing results and swiftly troubleshooting it have been the key for his research success. The quality of his research work was evident in each end-semester presentation conducted by the department.

He is a quick learner, multitasker and has excellent laboratory skills. He is proficient in analytical/bioanalytical method development, nanoformulation development and cell culture work. Application of his skills allowed fabrication of non-spherical nanoparticles encompassing preclinical success. The sequel of his abilities and skills fetched him 5-publications and an award in national competition.

Above all, Atharva enthusiastically participates in group activities as well as excels any independent task assigned. He has been an active participant in all the departmental celebrations. Despite his qualities, his reverence towards all the faculty members and non-teaching staff remained unchanged. It would be an added achievement for the department to watch the transition of our nomination into an award winner. Therefore, I strongly recommend Atharva into the nomination for Sun Pharma Science Scholar Award.

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