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I, **Mohd Waris Khan**, solemnly declare that this thesis of research on “**Design and Development of Security Test Case Optimization Framework**” is my original work. The study has been conducted under the guidance of **Dr. Dharendra Pandey** and **Dr. Suhel Ahmad Khan**, at Department of Information Technology, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University (A Central University), Lucknow. It is further declared that to the best of my knowledge and belief it has not been submitted earlier for the award of any degree. I also undertake that the thesis is essentially free from all kinds of plagiarism.

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