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### Code of Ethics to check Malpractices and Plagiarism in Research

### **Purpose of Plagiarism Software:**

Institute has developed a mechanism to check the menace of plagiarism by implementing plagiarism software called PlagScan. The objective of this mechanism is to encourage plagiarism free education/research. The execution and penalties are framed as per the guidelines of UGC. Plagiarism software can be utilized to check the literature of following:

- 1. Research papers submitted in "Tech Pallottine International Journal of Research in Engineering, Technology and Applied Sciences".
- 2. Ph.D thesis of the research scholars registered in Mechanical Engineering Department.
- 3. M.Tech project thesis of PG students of Mechanical and Computer Engineering.
- 4. Faculty members of the Institute who wish to submit their paper in various journals and conferences.
- 5. Draft for patent filing from the institute.
- 6. UG project thesis of the students.

#### **Execution Details:**

1. Permission of R & D cell in prescribed format is necessary to access the plagiarism software.

R & D Cell Coordinator: Dr. V. B. Kute

R & D Cell Co-coordinator: Dr. A. R. Bhende

2. The format is available at our intranet portal http://svpcet.in/Download.

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3. Plagiarism software can be accessed from Digital Library.

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Plagiarism report is to be attached in the Thesis.

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- 5. Plagiarism would be quantified into following levels in ascending order of severity:
  - 1. Plagarised matter upto 10% accepted
  - 2. Level 1: Plagarised matter >10% & <30% resubmitt with moderate corrections
  - 3. Level 2: Plagarised matter >30% & <60% resubmitt with major corrections
  - 4. Level 3: Plagarised matter >60% rejected

#### **Penalties:**

Penalties in case of plagiarism shall be imposed as per UGC guidelines.

Date 15th March 2018

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