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I certify that the thesis entitled “**AN ECONOMETRIC ANALYSIS OF LITERACY, WAGES, WORK PARTICIPATION AND FERTILITY AMONG WOMEN IN BACKWARD DISTRICT OF A.P**” is the original research work of **E.M.M.LATHA**, Research Scholar, Department of Economics, Osmania University. This research was planned and carried out under my supervision and this has not been submitted for the award of any degree in the past. In my opinion the thesis may be submitted for the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Economics.

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