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The Dean Academics

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Dear Prof Sharma,

Ref: Follow Up on Research Scholar Subi Chaturvedi's Meeting with SRC Members

I enclose the Minutes of Research Scholar Subi Chaturvedi's (Entry No. 2009HUZ8500) Meeting with her SRC on 23rd September, 2013. The Minutes have been circulated and approved by the SRC members and a copy for information has been sent to Prof V. Sanil, HOD, HSS.

In the light of the student's refusal to acknowledge any academic wrongdoing, despite the SRC presenting her with evidence of plagiarism, detected by Turnitin, in the research work submitted to me on the 8th of July 2013, before the DRC meeting to approve HSS PG Grades; may I suggest the following:

- i) The student be issued a strong warning by the Dean's office based on the SRC's confirmation that plagiarism has indeed been detected
- ii) Any institutional effort to retain her as a Ph.D scholar at IIT Delhi, be presumed on her given commitment that she will not repeat such an action in the future.

Without these actions, it will be very difficult for the Department to process any of the 'solutions' we discussed informally. The matter of plagiarism, as you know, has already been raised and minuted in the DRC of August 7, 2013.

Thanking you for your kind cooperation,

Best Wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Amrit Srinivasan'.

Amrit Srinivasan

(Supervisor)