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Date: March 24, 2017

Subject: **Responsibility on the Supervisor of Plagiarized PhD/ MS/ MP**

Dear Sir/ Madam,

01. The National Quality Assurance Committee (NQAC) in its 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on January 09, 2017 upheld the following decisions of the HEC Plagiarism Standing Committee Meeting held on September 24, 2016:

- If the plagiarism is established in the thesis of MS/ MPhil/ PhD scholar then the supervisor will also be held responsible for this act and will be black listed for five (05) years
- A disciplinary action against such supervisor should also be initiated by the respective university

02. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

With kind regards,

(Sadia Bukhari)

Assistant Director (QAD)

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