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## NOTIFICATION

### Ph.D. Public viva-voce Examination

I am to inform that the public viva-voce examination for Ms.R.Dharani on her Ph.D. thesis entitled "**Photothermally Driven Liquid Crystal Elastomer Actuators**" will be held on 14.05.2026 at 11.00 a.m. in the Department of Industrial Chemistry, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.

Dr. R. Thangamuthu (Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR-CECRI, Karaikudi) will be the External Examiner for viva-voce examination and Dr.S.Umadevi ( UGC Assistant Professor, Department of Industrial Chemistry, Alagappa University, Karaikudi) is the Guide.

The Research Supervisor, the members of the Departmental Research Advisory Committee, the Ph.D. candidate and all other participants including the faculty members interested in this topic will be allowed to attend the viva-voce examination. The Research Supervisor is requested to make all arrangements for smooth conduct of viva-voce examination.

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#### To:

1. Dr.S.Umadevi (Supervisor)  
UGC Assistant Professor,  
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Alagappa University, Karaikudi - 630 003.
2. Dr. R. Thangamuthu (Examiner)  
Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR-CECRI,  
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3. The Head, Department of Industrial Chemistry, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.
4. Ms. R.Dharani (Ph.D Scholar)  
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5. All the Deans / Heads of the Departments / Directors / Principals of Constituent Colleges,  
Alagappa University.

with a request to conduct the viva-voce examination

Directed to be present for the Ph.D. viva-voce examination

With a request to circulate among the staff, scholars and students

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