## Biostatistics Statement

Title: Sequential chemotherapy and icotinib as first-line treatment for advanced EGFR-mutated non-small cell lung cancer: a multicenter, pilot randomized controlled trial

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This letter is to confirm that I have read the ethics application prepared for this study, and that in my opinion the statistical methods and techniques mentioned are appropriate for the research.

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,

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