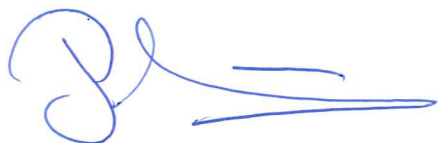


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To whom it may concern:

I herewith confirm that I reviewed the proposed publication entitled “**Pancreatic stellate cell: Pandora’s box for pancreatic disease biology**” (World Journal of Gastroenterology; ESPS Manuscript NO: 29925) by Ratnakar R Bynigeri, Aparna Jakkampudi, Ramaiah Jangala, Chivkula Subramanyam, Mitnala Sasikala, D Nageshwar Reddy, and Rupjyoti Talukdar for adequacy of language use, including but not limited to choice of wording and grammar, and confirm language proficiency of the authors in this very interesting paper.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'JP', followed by a long horizontal line.

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