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Dear Editor,

I am writing to you regarding the manuscript entitled “ The effects of albumin/glutaraldehyde glue on healing of colonic anastomosis in rats”. I reviewed the paper and faithfully report that the proper statistical methods were used for the analysis of the data. Specifically, parametric tests have been applied for normally distributed data and non-parametric tests for skewed data. Adjustment of the significance value has been performed in case of multiple comparisons. Therefore, I confirm that the statistical analyses of this manuscript are appropriate and complete and no further clarifications or analyses are needed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'A. Haidich'.

Anna-Bettina Haidich