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Certificate of Statistical Analysis

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Title of Study: Evaluation of the Diagnostic and Therapeutic Utility of Retrograde Through-The-Scope Balloon Enteroscopy and Single-Balloon Enteroscopy

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Dear Editors,

This letter serves to certify that I have extensively reviewed the statistical analysis performed by the authors of the manuscript entitled "Evaluation of the Diagnostic and Therapeutic Utility of Retrograde Through-The-Scope Balloon Enteroscopy and Single-Balloon Enteroscopy." Hereby, I certify that the analysis performed in this study which is based on descriptive statistics is accurate and represents what has been presented in the result section.

Of note, I am a research scientist at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso with more than 18 years of role as a research, methodology and biostatistics consultant at different institutions, formerly serving as an editorial board member of World Journal of Meta-analysis, and current reviewer of World Journal of Gastroenterology, as well as an assistant editor and biostatistical reviewer of International Journal of Surgery, and the editorial board member of journals including Digestive Diseases and Sciences, Frontiers in Medicine, and Frontiers in Pharmacology.

The raw data and detail analysis are available upon editors' and reviewers' request. Please contact me for any question.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "M. Bashashati".

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