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To World Journal of Gastroenterology Editors,

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Title: How to examine the anastomotic integrity intraoperatively in totally laparoscopic radical gastrectomy? methylene blue testing prevents technical defect-related anastomotic leaks

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

Please contact me if you have any queries. Sincerely,

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