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To whom it may concern,

Title of study: Texture analysis of the rectum and anal canal wall in the differential

diagnosis of perianal fistulising Crohn's disease and glandular anal fistula

Manuscript Type: Retrospective study

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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 statistics methods and techniques mentioned are appropriate for the research.

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely,

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