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To Whom it may concern:

Title of study: **Clinical value of the Toronto IBD Global Endoscopy Reporting (TIGER) Score in ulcerative colitis**

This letter is to confirm that I have read the ethics application prepared for this Study. I have evaluated and reviewed the statistical methods of this study. To my opinion, the statistical methods mentioned in this study are appropriate for the research.

Please feel free to contact with me with questions.

Sincerely,

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