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To whom it may concern,

I, Marco Spadaccini, as corresponding author of the manuscript "Endoscopic Management of Benign Biliary Strictures: looking for the best stent to place" declare that there are several native English speakers among the authors who helped in improving the manuscript.

Best regards

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