# Certificate of Biostatistics

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To whom it may concern

Title of study: Scoring systems for the prediction of mortality in decompensated liver cirrhosis: A meta-analysis of test accuracy
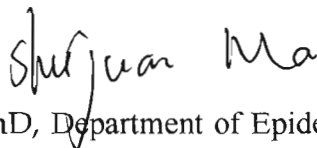
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  This letter is to confirm that I have read this study, and that in my opinion the statistical methods and techniques mentioned are appropriate for the research.

  Please contact me if you have any queries.

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