Certification

Title of Study: Pretreatment serum albumin-to-alkaline phosphatase ratio is an

independent prognosticator of survival in patients with metastatic gastric cancer

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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 statistical methods and techniques mentioned are

appropriate for the research.

Please contact me if you have any queries.

Sincerely.

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