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To Whom it may concern

Title of Study: Prediction model for HBeAg seroconversion to peginterferon-alfa in treatment-experienced patients with HBeAg-positive chronic hepatitis B based on a response-guided therapy strategy

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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.



Sincerely,

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