ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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CLASSIFICATION	LANGUAGE EVALUATION	SCIENTIFIC MISCONDUCT	CONCLUSION
[ ] Grade A: Excellent	[Y] Grade A: Priority publishing	Google Search:	[Y] Accept
[Y] Grade B: Very good	[ ] Grade B: Minor language polishing	[ ] The same title	[ ] High priority for publication
[ ] Grade C: Good	[ ] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing	[ ] Duplicate publication	[ ] Rejection
[ ] Grade D: Fair	[ ] Grade D: Rejected	[ ] Plagiarism	[ ] Minor revision
[ ] Grade E: Poor		[Y] No	[ ] Major revision
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		[ ] Plagiarism	
		[Y] No	

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The proposed method is new and easily reproducible and it is based in a deep knowledge of CTT technique.The only weakness we detect is the dificulty to know the exact day of non compliance with the intake of markers during study protocol. This infomation is the key to perform the method you propose. This fact could be solve with a diary to complete during the seven days of protocol, helping to detect the exact days of non-compliance.

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You have listed the various scenarios on the basis of the deep comprehension of the original article and CTT technique.The new method you proposed is easily feasible, which helped increase the accuracy of the CTT measurements indeed. Although there may be some difficulty to ensure the exact time of those non compliance with the intake of markers, methods can be carried out to solve it.

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Your approach is novel and reliable. This manuscript is based on the   of the original technique.This new technique helped increase the accuracy of the CTT measurements. Non compliance with radio-opaque indicators sometimes makes difficulty of determine the exact TCC, your method will solve it.