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To,

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The Selection Committee

Sun Pharma Science Foundation

Subject: Declaration of 'no conflict of interest'

Dear Selection Committee,

This is to certify that Ms. Oyahida Khatun, a final-year Ph.D. student in my laboratory, submitted her thesis titled 'Dissecting Molecular Interactions Between SARS-CoV-2 and Human Cellular Factors: Mechanisms of Infection, Replication, and Pathogenesis' for the Sun Pharma Science Foundation Science Scholar Fellowships, academically and financially has no conflict of interest with supervisor and co-authors.

Thanking You,

Sincerely,



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