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Dear Professor Manolis Papadrakakis,

I am pleased to submit the manuscript entitled “MPMICE: A hybrid MPM-CFD model for simulating coupled problems in porous media. Application to earthquake-induced submarine landslides” for evaluation at the Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering. The submission is made on behalf of me and the co-authors, Professor Gustav Grimstad and Senior Researcher Seyed Ali Ghoreishian Amiri.

Hope that the manuscript will prove to be interesting and of quality sufficient for publication.

Yours sincerely,

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