To,
Prof. Dr. Siddiqur Rahman
Consultant & Surgeon, Refractive Surgery Department,
Managing Director,
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Green Road, Dhaka-1205

Subject: Application for Providing Dataset of Diabetic Retinopathy for Research Purposes.

Dear Sir,
We are delighted to inform you that we have a group of students from East West University who are currently pursuing their BSc in the Department of Computer Science and Engineering. These students

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are presently engaged in their BSc Capstone project under the supervision of

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The BSc Capstone project is a significant research endeavor worth 6 credits, spanning an entire year. Diabetic retinopathy is a serious eye condition which affects individuals with diabetes that damage the blood vessels in the retina, leading to vision problems and potentially blindness if left untreated. Bangladesh has experienced a rise in the number of people diagnosed with Diabetic retinopathy over the past few decades. So, the students have chosen to focus their research on Diabetic Retinopathy utilizing various Advanced Artificial Intelligence.

To accomplish their objectives effectively, they require appropriate data related to this field. The data will serve as the foundation for their analysis, preprocessing, and implementation of their ideas. Furthermore, a mutation between Vision Eye Hospital and East West University will be done in the upcoming days and due credit will be given to the data source, with proper acknowledgment and citation in their thesis report, as well as in any subsequent research publications resulting from the utilization of this dataset.

Considering the aforementioned circumstances, I kindly request your assistance in providing them with the requisite dataset for their research endeavors. Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your attention and support.