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Hi Barney -

We consulted with HHS and ASF. OCGR is going to send a note to the reporter to decline, noting that the paper is not peer-reviewed. Please let us know if you receive similar requests.

Thanks, Jen

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Hi Nissa and Jen,

This is one we don't want to answer without high-level input, but wanted you to know about the rising controversy.

BG