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This is to confirm that the article entitled "COVID-19 pandemic and role of Behaviour Change Communication" submitted to the *Indian Journal of Medical Ethics* is original and has been co-authored by the undersigned. This article describes the role of behaviour change communication during the pandemic situation, highlighting the social cause and concern. This article is appropriate to the readers of this journal.

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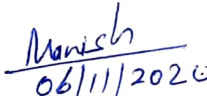
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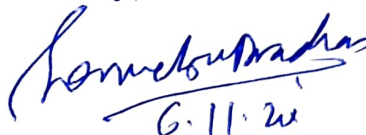
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