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Re: "Unmet research ethics committee requirement components and review outcomes of medical trainees' research protocols in a Thai medical school"

Dear The Editors:

This is to confirm that the article entitled "Unmet research ethics committee requirement components and review outcomes of medical trainees' research protocols in a Thai medical school" submitted to the Indian Journal of Medical Ethics is original and has been co-authored by the undersigned. All authors have participated in the work sufficiently to meet the ICMJE guidelines for authorship. All have read and approved the manuscript. The submission is not under consideration for publication in any other journal. We give consent to Dr. Thana Khawcharoenporn to act as the author for correspondence. There is no financial support, sponsorship or relevant competing interests pertaining to this article. We have read the terms and conditions of authorship of IJME and accept them.

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