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Dear Francisco Saldanha da Gama,

Please find the paper entitled “Coordinating drones with mothership vehicles: The mothership and drone routing problem with Graphs” co-authored with Prof. Justo Puerto and Carlos Valverde, we wish to submit to Computers and Operations Research. The authors believe C&OR is the appropriate journal for the proposed paper because a significative number of high-quality papers focused on the same subject have been previously published on C&OR and part of them are already in the references of the paper.

Yours sincerely,

**Lavinia Amorosi**

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