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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing this letter to support the application of Kalshabay Yerkezhan, whom I met as a foreign scientific adviser to a doctoral student at the Asfendiyarov Kazakh National Medical University. Kalshabay Yerkezhan completed scientific work on the topic "Optimization of CT volumetry in the living donor liver transplantation", achieved the goal and completed all the tasks on the topic of the dissertation. The results of discussions and collaboration on scientific research were published in the international Radiology Journal Insights into Imaging (2023) with a high impact factor. The results obtained have important implications in radiology and liver transplantation. The scientific research was carried out on a sufficient amount of material using modern research methods and statistical analysis.

In addition, she completed an observership in the fall of 2022 year at the Radiology Department of the Beaujon Hospital in Paris (France), where she acquired additional knowledge in the field of imaging and CT volumetry of the liver.

Doctoral student Kalshabay Yerkezhan demonstrated strong analytical and organizational skills. She has proven herself to be a knowledgeable and motivated researcher throughout her collaboration and work on the scientific article.

Yours sincerely,

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