**Cover Letter**

**Self-Health Monitoring and Reporting System for COVID-19 Patients using CAN Data Logger**

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**We propose a system that can request data from the required sensor used to measure the pulse rate, body temperature, or oxygen saturation. The requested data is sensed by the respective sensor placed near the patients’ body and sent to the CAN data logger over the CAN bus. The CAN data logger live streams the sensor values and stores the same to an excel sheet along with details like the patient’s name, patient’s age, and date. This information can then be accessed by the physicians.**

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