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Dear Doctor:

I am enclosing herewith an attached file containing the manuscript entitled “Clinical evidence of Lyme disease in dogs and disease awareness among students and veterinarians in Veracruz, Mexico” submitted for possible evaluation to be publish as Original Research Paper.

This paper contributes to the current knowledge on the significance of adequate communication between veterinarians, the various health care professionals and public health organizations to promote a greater understanding of the importance of zoonoses and of how to investigate and control them, increasing awareness amongst qualiﬁed veterinary personnel and human health care workers and to facilitate inter-disciplinary discussions and collaborative ventures. My corworkers, Dr. Blanca Paola Boria-Gamboa, Dr. David Itzcoatl Martínez-Herreraand I think this paper may fit into the scientific scope of Veterinary Science Research.

With the submission of this manuscript I would like to undertake that the above mentioned manuscript has not been published elsewhere, accepted for publication elsewhere or under editorial review for publication elsewhere; and that our university representatives are fully aware of this submission. I also certify that all listed authors participated meaningfully in the study, that they have seen and approved the final manuscript, have agreed on authorship order, and to the best of my knowledge, nobody has any conflict of interest whatever.

I declare that all participants were informed about the study purpose and their written consent was obtained prior to taking the survey. In addition, this research was revised and approved by the BioEthics and Animal Welfare Committee of the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science, University of Veracruz.

Finally, as the submitting author of this article I accept the conditions of submission and the Veterinary Science Research Copyright.

Best regards and thank you for your consideration.

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