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Dear Dr Huret

Re: Atlas of Genetics and Cytogenetics in Oncology and Haematology

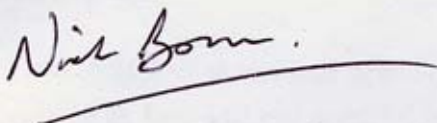
I am writing to express my support for your work in maintaining and developing the Atlas.

I have been responsible for cancer cytogenetic services in the Northern region of the UK since the late 1980s. As you know, the explosion in publications over this time period makes the effective management of published information of critical value, in particular the clear identification of clinically important correlations between tumour genetics, diagnosis and prognosis. The development and format of the online Atlas has been extremely helpful in this regard. We use this resource on a daily basis to help interpret our karyotype findings, and to identify key references and clinical correlations. It is also a very valuable training resource for the next generation of cancer geneticists. I know that my colleagues in other Cytogenetics centres in the UK find the Atlas similarly helpful.

I very much hope that you will be able to secure further funding to develop this valuable enterprise

With best wishes

Yours sincerely



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