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Article #1: J. of Invest Dermatol. (2010) 130(8): 2017–2030. "PKC- δ and - η , MEKK-1, MEK-6, MEK-3, and p38- δ Are Essential Mediators of the Response of Normal HumanEpidermal Keratinocytes to Differentiating Agents"

Gautam Adhikary, Yap Ching Chew, E. Albert Reece, and Richard L. Eckert **Article #2:** J. of Investigative Dermatology (2008) 128, 517–529. "Localization of the TIG3

Transglutaminase Interaction Domain and Demonstration that the Amino-Terminal Region Is

Required for TIG3 Function as a Keratinocyte Differentiation Regulator."

Ralph Jans, Michael T. Sturniolo and Richard L. Eckert.

Dear Dr. Vigues

Thank you for informing me about the fabricated data in these two articles. We will publish the respective retractions/corrections in one of the up-coming issues of our Journal.

Best regards from Vienna

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Dr. Tschachler,

Please find attached a letter from the Provost and Executive Vice President of the University of Maryland, Baltimore related to an investigation concluding that the data presented in two published articles were compromised.

Please let me know if you have any questions,

Best.

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