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# Retraction Note: Criminal tendency detection from facial images and the gender bias effect

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The authors have retracted this article [1] because they did not seek approval from their ethics committee before undertaking this study that uses human biometric data. Both authors agree with this retraction.

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