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Dear editor,

I declare that I have no relevant or material financial interests that relate to the research described in the article “Political Fragmentation and Government Stability. Evidence from Local Governments in Spain” published in American Economic Journal: Applied Economics. No IRB approval was obtained, as it is not required for the research methods employed in the paper.

Sincerely,

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