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Re: AEJ-M Disclosure Statement

Dear Editor,

I declare that I have no relevant or material financial interests that relate to the research described in my paper entitled “Risk and Return in Village Economies” (with Krislert Samphantharak).

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robert Townsend'.

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