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Dear Mr. Leong, Mr. Abdul Latiff, Dr. Yusof, Miss Ooi, and Dr. Abdul-Rahman,

I am pleased to inform you that your manuscript "Intermittent Audio Failure Analysis of a Remote Speaker-Microphone for a Two-Way Radio" has been selected as an Editor's Choice article for 2016 from the Journal of Failure Analysis and Prevention.

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On behalf of myself and the team of associate editors of the Journal of Failure Analysis and Prevention, I congratulate you for the selection of your article as an Editor's Choice article. Thank you for submitting your outstanding work to our Journal. We look forward to your continued contributions to the Journal of Failure Analysis and Prevention.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Stevenson Editor, Journal of Failure Analysis and Prevention