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Prof. Dr. Haşim Altan
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Dear Hasim,

This letter confirms the donation of a field measurement dataset to the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) Global Thermal Comfort Database II. This is an important outcome of the methodological framework developed to contribute to the adaptive thermal comfort studies as part of the PhD study undertaken by Mr. Bertug Ozarisoy at the Graduate School, School of Architecture, Computing & Engineering (ACE), University of East London (UEL), London, United Kingdom.

I received the associated dataset from the PhD thesis entitled ‘Assessing the Domestic Energy Use and Thermal Comfort of Occupants in a Post-war Social Housing Development Estate in Famagusta, Northern Cyprus’ on 10th May 2021. The dataset has been processed via the [project web tool](#) for quality assurance before being published in the open access [ASHRAE Global Thermal Comfort Database II](#). The database is the result of a project led by an international team of experts to collate field measurements of thermal comfort for public use.

The dataset of this PhD thesis is a valuable contribution to the ASHRAE Global Thermal Comfort Database II. The field study in the South-eastern Mediterranean climate of Cyprus is a unique context and a noteworthy addition to this public resource.

Sincerely,



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