



## Expression of Concern

### An Effective Feature Optimization Model for Android Malware Detection

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The Editors wish to alert readers to potential concerns regarding the reliability of the findings reported in “**An Effective Feature Optimization Model for Android Malware Detection**”. The journal has initiated an additional editorial assessment of the article’s methodology, data provenance, and reported outcomes to confirm their reliability and reproducibility.

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