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Finally, please note that this research did not undergo review by a university Internal Review Board for human subject research because the research relies entirely upon public records data.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "S. L. Ross", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

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