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In September 2015, we were alerted by the authors that a paper published in the July 2014 issue of the AMJ should be retracted. The article published was:

Srirangaraj S, Kali A, Charles MVP. Antibiotic screening of urine culture as a tool for internal quality audit. AMJ 2014;7(2):73–77.

After conducting an investigation, it was determined that a significant portion of the text of the paper had been plagiarised. The *Australasian Medical Journal* took immediate action, including:

- 1) Retracting the paper on the AMJ website.
- 2) Banning the authors from publishing in the AMJ in the future.
- 3) Notifying the heads of the authors' institution about the actions taken.
- 4) Emailed the authors of the original paper from which the text was plagiarised to inform them of the actions taken.
- 5) Retracting the paper on Pubmed and PMC.

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