Suppl. 1. Survey for the advancement of *CE*

1. Gender
① Men ② Women

2. Age (yr)
① 20–30 ② 31–40 ③ 41–50
④ 51–60 ⑤ >60

3. Work type
① University hospital or tertiary referral center
② Secondary hospital
③ Fellow
④ Private clinic

4. How often do you read *CE*?
① >1–2 times per week ② 1–2 times per month
③ 1–2 times per year ④ Never

4-1. If your response included numbers 1–3, *CE* was
① very helpful ② not so good ③ not helpful

4-2. If your choice was "never," the reason was
① lower quality
② not an SCIE journal
③ no recent trends
④ no interest about it being a domestic journal
⑤ do not know how to access the journal

5. What types of articles are the most beneficial to you?
① Reviews ② Meta-analyses
③ Original articles ④ Editorials
⑤ Quizzes ⑥ Case reports ⑦ Guidelines

6. What type do you read least?
① Reviews ② Meta-analyses
③ Original articles ④ Editorials
⑤ Quizzes ⑥ Case reports ⑦ Guidelines

7. Willing to submit a paper to *CE*?
① Yes ② No

7-1. If your answer was "no," the reason was
① not SCIE
② mismatched with journal trends
③ long duration to publication
④ difficult acceptance
⑤ difficult process
⑥ no concerns

8. Have you ever used *CE* as a reference?
① Yes ② No

8-1. If your answer was "no," the reason was
① not SCIE ② domestic journal
③ lower quality ④ do not know *CE* well
⑤ have not written a paper

9. Are you willing to accept a peer review request from *CE*?
① Yes ② No

9-1. If your answer was "no," the reason was
① not SCIE
② because it is not the journal I want
③ difficult review process
④ too busy
⑤ no experience reviewing

10. Expectations for *CE*
① Increase the number of publications
② Quality improvement (including SCIE, improved visual design such as diagrams and pictures)
③ Increase the number of guidelines or reviews
④ Increase the number of case reports
⑤ Publish manuscripts by famous scholars
⑥ Enter SCIE
⑦ Others

CE, *Clinical Endoscopy*; SCIE, Science Citation Index Expanded.