Online Supplementary Material to:

Unilateral or single-session bilateral surgery for correction of medial patellar luxation in small dogs: short and long-term outcomes  
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Questionnaire

1) How would you grade the lameness of your dog before surgery?  
a. Severe  b. Moderate  c. Mild  d. None

2) Which pelvic limb was lame?  
a. Right  b. Left  c. Both  d. Don't remember

Group U

3) Do you still see any residual lameness?  
a. Yes  b. No

4) If yes, which limb?  
a. Operated limb  b. Contralateral limb  
c. Both  d. Don’t know

5) How would you grade the severity of lameness?  
a. Stiff  b. Occasionally lame  
c. Always lame but mild  d. Moderate or severe lameness

6) Did your dog undergo a surgery for the contralateral side?  
a. Yes  b. No

7) If yes, where?  
a. Our institution  b. Other referral center  c. General practice

8) If no why  
a. Not enough clinical signs  b. Costs  
c. Scared of a 2nd surgery  d. Other

9) If you had to choose again between staged unilateral surgery or single-session bilateral surgery, what would you choose?  
a. Staged unilateral  b. Single-session bilateral
10) How would you qualify the orthopaedic function of each operated limb?
   a. Excellent  
   b. Good  
   c. Fair  
   d. Poor  

11) How would you qualify the overall orthopaedic function of your dog?
   a. Excellent  
   b. Good  
   c. Fair  
   d. Poor  

**Group B**

3) Do you still see any residual lameness?
   a. Yes  
   b. No  

4) If yes, which limb?
   a. Left pelvic limb  
   b. Right pelvic limb  
   c. Both  
   d. Don’t know  

5) How would you grade the severity of lameness?
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   d. Moderate or severe lameness  

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