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Dear Editor,
Enclosed please find the revised version of our manuscript entitled “Activation of Calpain-1 in Human Carotid Artery Atherosclerotic Lesions”, which has been edited according to the final suggestions of the referee 2.
In the revised version we have further improved the pictures of double staining immunohistochemistry, and edited the text as detailed below:

- The double-staining procedure has been described in the Methods section
- Unnecessary capitals have been removed from the title
- Keywords have been deleted from p. 2
- Tables have been redrawn with the MS Word Table function
- Figure numbers have been removed from image files

We sincerely hope that the current improvements will make the manuscript acceptable for publication in BMC Cardiovascular Disorders.

Sincerely,

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