Author's response to reviews

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Dear Dr. Le Good,

Please find enclosed the second revision of our manuscript entitled
"Comparison of ELF, FibroTest and FibroScan for the non-invasive assessment of liver fibrosis" to be submitted for publication in BMC Gastroenterology.

Please find attached the revised manuscript and a point description of the changes made. We would be grateful for consideration of the present manuscript to be published in BMC Gastroenterology.

Sincerely yours,

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Point-to-Point description of changes made

1. Authors’ contributions: Please indicate that all authors read and approved the final manuscript.

   This was added in the revised manuscript (S. Page 12, para 2 of the revised manuscript)

2. References: References should be cited in the text using consecutive numbers in square brackets. Currently we can not find reference 24 cited

   The reference was cited in the text(s. page 10, para 2, last sentence of the revised manuscript)

3. Figures: All figures must be cited; figures not cited will be excluded from the final manuscript. Figures must be cited with in the text, not just in figure placement text.

   Figures were cited in the text (s.page 8, para two of the revised manuscript)