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Dear Prof. Norton

We wish to submit our revised manuscript entitled “Lymphatic marker podoplanin/D2-40 in human advanced cirrhotic liver – Reevaluation of microlymphatic abnormalities” for consideration to be published in BMC Gastroenterology.

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