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Dr. Roxane Rajabi  
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Re: Characteristics of pncA Mutations in Multidrug-resistant Tuberculosis in Taiwan (MS ID: 1275184982533499 version 2)

Dear Dr. Rajabi

The manuscript has been revised in accordance with your suggestion and resubmitted in a revised form for your consideration to be published in the BMC Infectious Disease.

We thank for the opportunity to improve the quality of our manuscript and have attempted most of the suggestions from you and reviewers into our revision. We hope the manuscript in its present revised form can meet your approval of publication.

Sincerely yours,

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Dear Reviewer 1: Elvira Richter

The manuscript has been revised in response to your comments.

Q1. All questions have been adequately been answered. There is only one point remaining concerning table 2. According to what have the results been sorted? The number of the mutation site seems to be a reasonable sorter. If there is not another important argument for the actual sorting, I would propose to change it according to the mutation site.

Ans: The Table 2 was revised in accordance with your suggestion. The results had been sorted according to the mutation site. The strains with concomitant multiple mutations were indicated specifically. Please see Table 2 of the new manuscript.

Your attention and kind advices are highly appreciated.

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