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Dear BioMed Central Editorial Production Team

Thank you for your letter regarding our manuscript: MS: 5666109001596981 entitled “Long-term outcome of infective endocarditis: a study on patients surviving over one year after the initial episode treated in a Finnish teaching hospital during 25 years” by Maija Heiro, Hans Helenius, Saija Hurme, Timo Savunen, Kaj Metsärinne, Erik Engblom, Jukka Nikoskelainen and myself.

We have made the formatting changes requested, i.e. removed from the Figures the titles and figure numbers, as well as performed the cropping of the figures. Figures 2a and 2b are now presented as separate files.

We hope that after these revisions, you will find this paper satisfactory and suitable to be published in your Journal.

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