Title: Evaluation of a curcumin analog as an anti-cancer agent inducing ER stress-mediated apoptosis in non-small cell lung cancer cells

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Dear Dr. Lacson,

Thank you so much for giving us the opportunity to revise our manuscript with the title “Evaluation of a curcumin analog as an anti-cancer agent inducing ER stress-mediated apoptosis in non-small cell lung cancer cells” (MS:6082800539531192). Accordingly, we have revised our manuscript. The point-to-point responses to each comments are provided as followings:

1) Did you specifically obtain ethical permission to carry out the animal studies (rather than just adhere to general guidelines)? If so, please give the full name and affiliation of the committee that gave ethical approval, together with a reference number if applicable.

Response: We did obtain ethical permission to carry out the animal studies. The full name and affiliation of the committee have been listed in the revised manuscript.

2) Please RESTRUCTURE the Abstract:

Response: The word count of the abstract is 201. And the abstract is structured into separate sections, including background, methods, results and conclusions.

3) Replace names with initials in Authors Contribution section

Response: We have replaced names with initials in Authors Contribution Section.

Thank you for your further consideration.

Best regards,