Author’s response to reviews

Title: A retrospective analysis of survival and prognostic factors of male breast cancer from a single center

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Subject: Re-Submission

“A retrospective analysis of survival and prognostic factors of male breast cancer from a single center”.

Dear Ms. Patricia Ratin,

I would like to re-submit the enclosed original research article for review in your reputable journal.

On the 30th of October 2013, you wrote the following requesting an ethics statement:

Research involving human subjects (including human material or human data) that is reported in the manuscript must have been performed with the approval of an appropriate ethics committee. Research carried out on humans must be in compliance with the Helsinki Declaration (http://www.wma.net/en/30publications/10policies/b3/index.html). A statement to this effect must appear in the Methods section of the manuscript, including the name of the body which gave approval, with a reference number where appropriate.

In response, and after informing and getting approval of all authors, I changed the following part in the text (Page 5, line 11) ’’Necessary review board approval was obtained’ with the following text ’’The approval of the ethics committee of the Mansoura University, to which the Mansoura Cancer Center belongs, was obtained.’’

The reference number for the approval is 73/12/2012.

Thank you in advance for considering our work.

On behalf of the authors
With best regards

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