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Dear Dr. Thomas Ruhstaller

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The manuscript *Comparative benefit from small tumour size and adjuvant chemotherapy: clues for explaining breast cancer mortality decline* has been revised according to the points raised the Editor.

Regarding the name of the Ethics Committee and Consent Statement, the sentence “The protocol design was approved by members of the institute's Research and Ethics Committees.” Was changed with “The protocol design was approved by both the Scientific Committee and the Ethic Committee of the Istituto Nazionale Tumori and informed consent was requested to all patients”.

The Author’s Contribution were added after the Acknowledgements section.

Best regards.

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