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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed, herewith, the manuscript mentioned above and Figures 1-7 and Table 1 and Table S1, with the request to evaluate it for publication in BMC Cancer.

As you suggested, we performed the following changes:

1). Line numbering was provided.

2). Ethics Statement (page 17) was provided.

3). All email addresses of all authors were provided.

4). As suggested, the figures were formatted (page 1 as figure 1, page 2 as figure 2, page 3 as figure 3, etc.). We also changed the respective references to the figures in the manuscript file.

We thank you very much for your assistance and will appreciate hearing your decision.

Yours sincerely

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