Author's response to reviews

Title: Novel markers for differentiation of lobular and ductal invasive breast carcinomas by laser microdissection and microarray analysis

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Dear Editor and Reviewers,

Thank you very much for accepting our manuscript for publication in BMC Cancer. We are delighted to address the final comments before acceptance:

Our microarray data at Gene Expression Omnibus are now publicly available. We did go through the manuscript formatting checklist one more time and we believe that the revised manuscript conforms to all of the points. Section headings have been revised. Sentence case for all headings and subheadings is used.

Reviewer: Edgar Dahl

Minor Essential Revisions
Abstract: Why do the author call the breast tumours samples "cells". "We examined 30 samples (10 normal ductal cells, 10 normal lobular cells, 5 IDC cells, 5 ILC cells)" "Cells" must be replaced by "carcinomas"
AW: The text has been modified.

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published
AW: The text has been checked.

Reviewer: José Palacios
No revisions were requested.

With best regards,

Sincerely Yours,

Jan Bouchal, PhD
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and on behalf of all co-authors

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