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Dear Dr. Sabina Alam,

thank you very much for re-reviewing our manuscript

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by Klaus-Peter Dieckmann and Ralf Gehrckens.

We deeply appreciate the notification of acceptance.

As requested, the patient’s informed consent form will be sent in an eMail attachment and also via air mail.

According to the requests regarding design and style of the manuscript as outlined in your notification mail, we re-revised the manuscript.

In particular, we designed the title page according to the rules given on the web-site of BMC Cancer (according to “sample page”). All eMail addresses are now given. Affiliations are marked by superscript numbers.

In the Acknowledgement section, the following sentence was introduced (as requested): "Written consent was obtained from the patient for publication of study”. As we obtained informed consent directly from our patient we did not use the phrase “or their relative”
Note to the Editor: The statement of informed consent had also been given in the section “Consent” right at the end of the discussion (Conclusion). Is it really necessary to give this statement twice? If not, the formal consent section could be deleted during editorial processing.

We hope that the paper is now in the condition to be finally accepted by the Editorial Board. Again thank you very much for reviewing

With kind regards

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