Author's response to reviews

Title: Lack of association of acute-phase response proteins with hormone levels and antidepressant medication in the perimenopausal depression

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Dear Sir,

I have made the revisions which the reviewer suggested.

1. I have changed the title of the manuscript: Lack of association of acute-phase response proteins with hormone levels and antidepressant medication in the perimenopausal depression (new title)

2. I have given data regarding the levels of FSH, LH, E2 and cycle irregularity in three groups of women. The first group consisted of women with a first perimenopausal-associated episode of depression, the second one of women with a history of depression and the third one of normal controls. The analysis of this data showed that depressed women with a history of depression had lower levels of LH. I have used table 6 to show these results.

3. I have removed table 8

4. Eftychia Bega, Certified Translator, Ionian University Graduate, Member of the Panhellenic Association of Professional Translators Graduates of the Ionian University (PEEMPIP) has made the corrections of the English language

Yours sincerely,

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