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Dear Doctor Alam,

Re: Manuscript 1184896948197653

Thank you for requests concerning relocation of certain sections misplaced in the latest version of the above-cited manuscript resubmitted on January 15, 2009. I believe that we have correctly addressed the problem and that all sections appear in the proper order in this 3rd resubmission.

Specifically, we have cut and pasted the ‘competing interests’ statement and placed it between the conclusion and author’s contributions section, created an ‘authors contribution’ section, and cut and pasted the ‘acknowledgements’ section so that it now appears between the author’s contributions and the references list.

As instructed, we have uploaded the revised manuscript to the BMC website and checked that the files are correctly formatted.

We hope that these modifications meet with your approval and remain at your disposal for any complimentary information you might require.

With kind regards,

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