Author’s response to reviews

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Dear Editorial Team,

please find attached the final corrected manuscript.

AS per requests I have

1. Removed qualifications of the authors

2. listed affiliations in the order requested, department, institute, city, country.

3. Corrected headings to lower case eg. prefer Abstract to ABSTRACT

4. Linked affiliations and authors with superscript numbers

5. Removed the title from figure 1. (separate attachment)

6. Corrected the spelling of elastomeric (NOT elastome*t*ric) Please correct the spelling in Reference 22 Ackermann et al. The *t* should be removed- I can’t seem to do it.

7. Corrected the reference spacing again. (commas between authors)

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