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RE: Effects of Korean Red Ginseng (Panax Ginseng Meyer) on Bisphenol A Exposure and Gynecologic Complaints:
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Dear Dr. Tom Rowles, BMC Complementary & Alternative Medicine,

I would like to secondly resubmit our manuscript entitled, “Effects of Korean Red Ginseng (Panax Ginseng Meyer) on Bisphenol A Exposure and Gynecologic Complaints: Single blind, randomized clinical trial of efficacy and safety” as a full-length research article to your journal.

Please let me answer with a point-by-point description of the changes made:

Comment) Thank you for providing us with a Trial Registration Number for your study. However, at present we appear to be having some difficulties in accessing the online record for this. Might you be able to provide us with a functioning link to this record?

Answer) Here is the government website of my trial:

https://cris.nih.go.kr/cris/en/search/basic_search.jsp

Please refer the following evidence (photo):
Comment) Based upon your response to our query regarding sample size calculations, we understand that your manuscript details a pilot study. In this case, we would ask this to be made much clearer in your manuscript. At present, no reference to it being a pilot study appears to feature.

Answer) On page 7, we highlighted our previous study, which resulted in significant difference between KRG consumption and reduction of oxidative stress (p=0.03).
This manuscript is an unpublished work, and it is not under consideration for publication elsewhere. All authors are aware of and agree to the contents of the paper. There are no conflicts of interest. We sincerely hope that you find our work worthy of publication, and we look forward to receiving your favorable reply.

Yours sincerely,

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