Author's response to reviews

Title: Eating habits of a population undergoing a rapid dietary transition: portion sizes of traditional and non-traditional foods and beverages consumed by Inuit adults in Nunavut, Canada.

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The Editor-in-Chief,
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Dear Editor,

Thank you for the reviewers’ valued comments in relation to this manuscript. Based on the advice of the reviewer we have now made the minor essential revisions as outlined below.

We are grateful for the opportunity to resubmit.

Sincerely,

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Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

- Line 114: should eat be past tense?

Not in this case.

- Line 184: rearrange the sentence to avoid beginning with ‘Table 4’

Thank you, good point. The sentence now reads:

The mean (SD) and median portion sizes (g) of dairy products, eggs, and non-traditional meats and meat products consumed by Inuit adults in this study is shown in Table 4.

- Line 275: change ‘certain’ to ‘certainly’

Thank you for pointing this out. We have now changed the word to ‘certainly’

Discretionary Revisions (which are recommendations for improvement but which the author can choose to ignore)

- Please be sure that the anonymity of the communities is assured (i.e. the communities were identified

We have now removed the names of the communities.