Author's response to reviews

Title: Surgical strategy to prevent cardiac injury during reoperation in infants

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Dear Editors,

On behalf of the other authors, I appreciate very much the helpful changes you have requested, and I hope I have corrected them satisfactorily. I apologize for the tardiness of this re-submission, as I was recently out of town without access to the manuscript materials.

Enumerated below are the details of the corrections:

1. The Title: Dr. Knott-Craig has requested that the title of the paper be changed to read "Surgical strategy to prevent cardiac injury during reoperation in infants." This alteration is reflected both in the manuscript and in the online submission process.

2. The Title Page has been aligned to the left.

3. The text "Title" and "Authors" has been removed from the title page.

4. The title has been changed to sentence case.

5. The author qualifications have been removed from the manuscript and submission system.

6. The affiliation has been changed to the proper format.

7. Author affiliations are indicated by a superscript numeral.

8. All headings have been changed to sentence case.

9. "Case Description" has been changed to "Case Presentation."

10. The abstract is identical in both the manuscript and submission system.

11. A section on "Competing Interests" has been added, indicating there are none.

12. We elected not to include an "Authors' Contributions" section.

13. The figure labelling has been changed, eliminating the A,B,C...etc. subsections, and all 7 figures are separate and individually numbered within the text and figure legends.
Thank you again, and please do not hesitate to contact us with any further changes that are needed.

Sincerely,
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