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Title: Histologic continuity in pulmonary mucinous cystic neoplasia: in support of the adenoma-carcinoma sequence.

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Re: Manuscript; Title - “Histologic continuity in pulmonary mucinous cystic neoplasia: in support of the adenoma-carcinoma sequence”.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed our manuscript for consideration for publication as a case report in your esteemed journal. Primary pulmonary cystic neoplasia are relatively rare tumors. We describe a case which shows a continuous spectrum of histologic change from benign to malignant, which may be interpreted as the counterpart of molecular progression in these tumors.

The Institutional Review Board (IRB) has waived its right to grant approval to this study based on this being a single case report where no additional tests were done to enhance the potential academic or educational value of the publication.

The authors confirm that they have contributed to the study from conception to the preparation of the manuscript.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

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