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Stockholm, Sweden, 3 March 2020 To the Editor-in-Chief Professor C.M. Fitzpatrick, Dr D. Solera and reviewers, Thank you for the additional comments regarding our manuscript entitled "Brief episodes of rapid irregular atrial activity (micro-AF) are a risk marker for atrial fibrillation: A prospective cohort study" (BCAR-D-19-00938R2). We appreciate your careful review that has already improved the manuscript a lot. Enclosed is a detailed response to the remaining concerns of the reviewers. On behalf of the authors, Sincerely yours, Tove Fredriksson, M.D.Karolinska-Institutet, Danderyds HospitalDept of Clinical SciencesStockholm, Sweden Sotirios Nedios (Reviewer 1): This is a revised manuscript of a case-control study showing the relation of micro-AF (≥5 APCs,