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Dear Valentina Pinzi,

We are submitting the revised manuscript with the ID NURL-D-18-00509R3, entitled "The therapeutic value of cerebrospinal fluid ctDNA detection by Next-Generation Sequencing for meningeal carcinomatosis: a case report" for publication in BMC Neurology. According to the comments, we have already revised the manuscript. The following are our reply to the comments, item by item.

Once again, thank you for your kind reconsideration.

Yours sincerely,
Hui Bu
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