Author's response to reviews

Title: Enhanced caveolin-1 expression increases migration, anchorage-independent growth and invasion of endometrial adenocarcinoma cells

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Dear Dr. Lambert

We are resubmitting to you our manuscript (MS: 2777858815881218) for consideration as an Original Article in the journal BMC Cancer. The manuscript entitled: “Enhanced caveolin-1 expression favors migration, anchorage-independent growth and invasion of endometrial adenocarcinoma cells” now includes the editorial modifications requested. These are detailed subsequently.

Yours Sincerely

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Point-by-point response to editorial requests

Peer review of your manuscript (above) is now complete, and we are delighted, in principle, to accept the manuscript for publication in BMC Cancer. However, before acceptance, we would ask that you please address the following editorial requests:

R: We are happy to hear that our manuscript has been accepted pending inclusion of the information missing.

1. Ethics - Please revise the Methods section of your manuscript to include the name of the ethics committee that approved your study. We recommend the following format: "This study was approved by the ethics committee of [xxx] Hospital [or University]."

R: We have now included the following statement on page 7:
This study was approved by the ethics committee of the San Borja Arriarán Clinical Hospital, School of Medicine, University of Chile.

2. Authors' contributions - Please include an 'Authors' contributions' section before the Acknowledgements and Reference list. For the Authors' contributions we suggest the following format (please use initials to refer to each author's contribution): "AB carried out the molecular genetic studies, participated in the sequence alignment and drafted the manuscript. JY carried out the immunoassays. MT participated in the sequence alignment. ES participated in the design of the study and performed the statistical analysis. FG conceived of the study, and participated in its design and coordination. All authors read and approved the final manuscript."

R: We have now included the following statement on page 22:

**Authors' contributions**
AQ and GO conceived of the study, and participated in its design and coordination. MV and FG obtained and classified histologically the endometrium samples. CC carried out the qPCR experiments. HH carried out the Western blot experiments. SH and ND performed the invasion experiments. ND and DB performed the proliferation and anchorage-independent growth assays in soft agar. ND, DB, LL and AQ prepared the manuscript. GO, CR and LL helped in the analysis of the data, revised and corrected the manuscript.
In addition to these suggested corrections, we have included an additional affiliation for AFGQ on page 1 and acknowledged an additional source of funding on page 2.