Author's response to reviews

Title: Coronin 2A (CRN5) expression is associated with colorectal adenoma-adenocarcinoma sequence and oncogenic signalling

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Dear Prof. Furuya

We thank you very much for your decision to publish a suitably revised version of our manuscript “Coronin 2A (CRN5) expression is associated with colorectal adenoma-adenocarcinoma sequence and oncogenic signalling” in BMC Cancer. We carefully addressed and resolved the remaining editorial concerns. Below please find our point-to-point response to the comments raised.

Yours sincerely,

Christoph Clemen

Point-by-point response:

Editorial comments:

1. Please include a statement to confirm whether informed consent was obtained from the study participants. For all research involving human subjects, informed consent to participate in the study should be obtained from participants (or their parent or guardian in the case of children under 16) and a statement to this effect should appear in the methods section.

   We added the statement “…, informed consent was obtained from the patients, …” to the Methods section (page 6, line 126).

2. Authors’ contributions: please confirm whether all authors approved the final version of the manuscript.

   We added the sentence, “All authors approved the final version of the manuscript.”, to this section (page 26, line 636).