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Dear editor:

Thank you very much for checking our manuscript entitled The mutation spectrum in familial versus sporadic congenital cataract based on next-generation sequencing. The order of authors in our manuscript file has been corrected as the same as those entered in the submission system. We have studied editors’ comments carefully. According to the Editorial Policies, we have made a careful revision on the section of Declarations. We have confirmed as required that the manuscript version is clean and does not include tracking changes or highlighting. We look forward to your further review and kind consideration.

In this paper, we analysis a large targeted group of genes in the setting of genetically heterogeneous congenital cataract patients using next generation sequencing approach. It provides significant diagnostic information and enabled more accurate genetic counseling. Our results contribute to expand the mutation spectrum and frequency of genes responsible for congenital cataract and also reported the different distribution of mutation genes in familial versus sporadic cases in Chinses. BMC Ophthalmology is one of the most prestigious journals focusing...
on aspects of diagnosis and molecular genetics as well as epidemiology of eye disorders. We hope this study will spark your attention and interest.

We hereby confirm that this manuscript is our original work and has not been published and is not being submitted simultaneously elsewhere. We further confirm that all authors have checked the manuscript and have agreed to the submission.

I will serve as the corresponding author to handle correspondence at all stages of review and possible publication.

Thank you very much for your time and kind consideration.

Sincerely yours,

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