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Point-by-point response letter

1. Table 1 was adjusted according to the reviewer’s recommendations.

2. Table 5 was corrected.

3. Table 9 was removed from the manuscript (both the table and the reference to the table in the manuscript – the subsection 3.c.7 was removed, without any loss of the content of the manuscript).

4. Sections were reordered and are following according to the sequence.
5. We removed the subtitle “3.b.4 Type of performed analysis” and added to the “3.b.3 Type of performed tests” once the content of the previous 3.b.4 should actually belong to the 3.b.3. Now it is clear and more fluid for reading purposes.

6. We improved the name of the “3.c Hormone findings” subsection to “3.c Hormone findings from the selected studies”, as well as the following sub-sections (for instance, from “basal levels” to “hormone basal levels:” ) so the reader can be better located along the manuscript.