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Dear Editor,

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Response to Reviewer Comments

Reviewer's code: 02444931

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

N/A

RESPONSE:

Thanks.

Reviewer's code: 02530212

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I agree that this commentary on hot topics about Impaired inactivation of digestive proteases: the possible key factor for the high susceptibility of germ-free and antibiotic-treated animals to gut epithelial injury make us understand pathogenesis of IBD clearly.



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RESPONSE:

Thanks.

Reviewer's code: 03017551

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The author has concluded a very their valuable comments on such report. This is an important contribution to the etiology of inflammatory bowel diseases.

RESPONSE:

Thanks.