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Dear Editor,

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

(1) Response to reviewer 00505125: We appreciate the timely and positive review our manuscript received and recommendation of acceptance of the manuscript. We have corrected the minor typographical error on page 9, line 8: intravitreal.

(2) Response to reviewer 00547586: Thank you very much for your time and efforts in reviewing the manuscript. We appreciate the thoughtful comments from reviewer and we have thoroughly addressed the issues raised by him/her. We have added the suggested by the reviewer references describing the antioxidant and prooxidant effects as well as references describing the pro- and anti-apoptotic effects of cerium oxide nanoparticles. In addition, the definition of oxidative stress described by Sies H (1985) is appropriately cited in the manuscript.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Ophthalmology*.

Sincerely yours,

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