

ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 12641-Review.doc).

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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) Discussion has been updated to include the detailed discussion about RGS1. The assumed role of RGS1 in gastric cancer progression has been added.

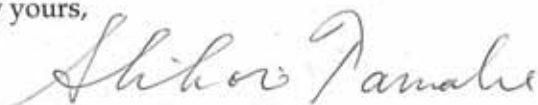
(2) The missing discussion and references about NOTCH have been added and discussion was updated to compare the data with results in literature.

(3) The Material and Method section and Result section has been updated to answer reviewer's requests. The links with RGS1 and Notch to MSC, EMT and cancer cells were added in discussion.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,



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