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Sir,

Please find attached a new version of our manuscript **15646** entitled: "NEW PROGNOSTIC MARKERS IN LIVER CIRRHOSIS" you kindly invited me to write for your journal. Some languages errors have been identified by the reviewer and are now corrected. The changes are underlined. We hope this new version is now suitable for publication in the *World Journal of Hepatology*.

Sincerely yours,

Prof. V Di Martino, MD, PhD

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'V' followed by a horizontal line and a vertical stroke.

RESPONSES TO REVIEWERS

Reviewer 00053746

Thank you for your prompt review and your positive comments.

Reviewer 02438659

Thank you for your positive evaluation. Given the available literature, no overall conclusion on which marker is better than the others is possible. I think a “final conclusion” indicating that further research on these markers should be conducted (an obvious statement) is not very useful. Language errors have been corrected.

Reviewer 00013213

Thank you for your positive feedback and for taking the time to report all linguistic inaccuracies. They have been corrected (changes underlined). However you suggested some incorrect changes (“septic” means “infected”, not “septicemic”; “quintiles” is different from “quartiles”).