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Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 16319-edited-review.doc).

**Title: Bezoar-induced small bowel obstruction: clinical features and diagnostic values of MSCT**

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers. The answers to comments are as follows:

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Sincerely yours,

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