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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 33075 -review.doc).

Title: Localization and role of metabotropic glutamate receptors subtype 5 in the gastrointestinal tract

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Dear Dr. Ma,

Thank you very much for your letter dated April 27 and for the accompanying referee' comments on the paper (33075).

I am submitting a revised manuscript that incorporates the recommendations of the referee.

Response to Editors: A schematic picture about functions of mGluR5 has been added in the manuscript.

Sincerely,

Andrea Ferrigno, PhD, Corresponding Author

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Ferrigno', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.