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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript (file name: 1123-review.doc).

**Title:** Infliximab induces remission in CMUSE (cryptogenic multifocal ulcerating stenosing enteritis): first case

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

1 All editor comments have been applied.

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

(1) Reviewer 1: "incomplete" was changed to poor

(2) Reviewer 2:

1. Vascular studies were indeed not performed as we felt it would not alter the clinical decision proces in this particular case. Systemic antibodies (ANA and ANCA) were performed and found negative, this was added to the text. Complement factors were not measured before starting therapy.

2. Figures were added.

3. Inflammatory mediators were not increased throughout the entire disease/treatment process. This seems to be typical for CMUSE and can differentiate from Chrohn's disease.

4. All textual suggestions were applied to the manuscript.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,



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