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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 11579-review.docx).

**Title:** Prostatic Surgery Associated Acute Kidney Injury

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

(1) 1. The use of eGFR equations was emphasized in the preoperative and postoperative period. 2. The new AKI definitions were added in the manuscript and recommendations to use them to AKI diagnosis were done. 3. We incorporated a brief discussion about biomarkers in the conclusion. 4. We highlight the important role of the nephrologists in this setting. 5. We update the recommendations as suggest by the reviewer.

(2) Our review article focuses on acute kidney injury after prostate surgery. In the introduction, only a brief reference about AKI in the postoperative setting was done in the third paragraph. Anyway, we embrace the suggestion of the reviewer and we exclude it from paper. Furthermore, some changes were done in order to shorten the article.

(3) The manuscript was revised by American Journal of Experts before submission. We kindly ask for the reviewer to highlight the grammar mistakes that should be revised.

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Costalonga'.

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