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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 12130-review.doc).

Title: Preliminary study of a new pathological evolution based clinical hepatolithiasis classification

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

1 Format has been updated

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

- (1) Columns has been defined as Observational study;
- (2) Title has been limited to be less than 12 words; abstract has been re-written; core tip and comments have been provided;
- (3) Language has been edited and certificate has been provided;
- (4) Statistics has been checked to make sure all the *p* values are provided when needed;

3 References and typesetting were corrected; PMID and DOI were provided when possible;

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

Sincerely yours,

A photograph of a handwritten signature in black ink on a light-colored background. The signature reads 'Xiao-Ping Geng' in a cursive, slightly slanted script.

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