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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word Journal of Gastroenterology (file name: ESPS-13092(20140929).doc).



Title: Tumor regression grades: Potential outcome predictor of LARA after preoperative radiotherapy

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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

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be the name 'Jin Gu' in a stylized, cursive script.

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