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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 20131-Answering reviewers.doc).

**Title:** Biomarkers of skin toxicity induced by anti-EGFR antibody treatment in colorectal cancer

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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) This is a well updated review on skin toxicity related anti-EGFR antibody treatment of colorectal cancer. I suggest to have a Figure to illustrate the mechanism of anti-EGFR to its target and all related phenotypic changes.

Reply: Thank you for reviewing our manuscript. According to your comment, I added a figure which describe the mechanism of anti-EGFR antibodies and its target and related phenotypic changes as Figure 1.

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, reading "Naoki Takahashi". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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