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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (with highlight changes: file names: **3013-edited (download)-revision-with mark changes.doc** and without highlight changes: file names: **3013-edited (download)-revision.doc**).

**Title:** Relationships of CDXs and apical sodium-dependent bile acid transporter in Barrett's esophagus

**Author:** Jingbo Zhao, Hans Gregersen

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**Responses to the comments from Editor:**

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**Reply:** The word number of title is reduced to 12 words. The nonfunctional words are not used in the title.

2, The telephone number should be '+' + 'Country Code' - 'NDD' - 'your phone number'

**Reply:** Denmark only has country code, no NDD number.

3, Please provide language certificate letter by professional English language editing companies or native- English experts.

**Reply:** The paper has been carefully read by Professor Hans Gregersen who is the previous director of our research Center; he made a lot of changes of English language and grammar. Now the English language has been approved considerably. Professor Hans Gregersen has also been added as co-author into the paper, because he finally approved this paper.

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#### **Point to point response to the reviewer (00227592)'s comments**

**Comment:** This commentary describes some interesting findings recently reported by Ma et al. The content is very good, but it would be better if it is edited by a native English speaking writer.

**Reply:** We appreciate the reviewer's positive comments. The paper and English language have been edited and corrected by Professor Hans Gregersen who is the previous director of our research Center. Now the English language has been approved considerably.

#### **Point to point responses to the reviewer 2's comments**

This is a very nice commentary on an interesting article. The author clearly demonstrated his/her expertise in the field by a concise introduction of the background. The author then summarized the key findings of the original paper, fully by a critical analysis of the findings and thoughtful speculation of the relevance to further studies. This is a good example of commentary article and I don't have any concerns.

**Reply:** We appreciate the positive comments.

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jingbo Zhao". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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