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Dear Sir/Madam,

Hereby we would like to confirm that our manuscript has been edited for proper grammar and spelling by a native English speaker. Additionally, correct usage of articles, prepositions, conjunctions, abbreviations, punctuation, italic font of Latin words, biomedical terms, tenses, active voice and passive voice, and sentence structure, as well as checking of the academic rules and norms, and for scientific misconduct, details of the materials and methods, manuscript integrity, manuscript title appropriateness, logical organization of the Introduction, Results and Discussion sections, have been checked.

On behalf of all authors,

Yours sincerely,

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