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Dear Editor,

We thank the managing editor and the reviewers for their suggestions.

Please find enclosed the revised manuscript in Word format (file name: 4437-review.docx).

Title: Autophagy and Cancer

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

1 Format has been updated (*only a single email address has been included in the corresponding author section*).

2 The following changes has been made as suggested by the reviewers. All changes are highlighted in the text.

Reviewer 02446204

(1) Page 5, line 12: The word "tumorigenesis" has been replaced by the word "tumor suppression" to convey a clearer role of autophagy in tumor suppression.

(2) Page 5, line 18-21: Examples of tumor suppressor genes (ULK3, UVRAG, and Bif-1) participating in the regulation of autophagy signaling has been included in the text. An additional reference (No. 18) has been added correspondingly.

(3) As suggested, the original section of "Autophagy and tumor maintenance, and its role in chemotherapy" has been divided into two sections, "Autophagy and tumor maintenance" and "Autophagy and tumor therapy resistant tumors".

Reviewer 00503759

(1) Graphic illustrations (Figure 1 and 2 A, B) explaining the pathways of autophagy in carcinogenesis have been added.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

We now believe that we fulfilled the requirements and thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

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