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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 4916-review.docx).

**Title:** "Esophageal tuberculosis presenting with hematemesis"

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

- 1] Format has been updated
- 2] Reviewer number – 00504462 had raised no queries
- 3] Reviewer number – 00186380 had 2 queries

Following changes have been done accordingly in the main manuscript:

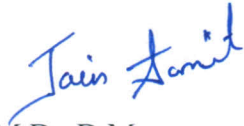
A] "Diagnostic thoracocentesis revealed a turbid pleural exudates with pH = 7.38, glucose = 72mg/dl, total protein = 4.3mg/dl, total cells = 2200/mm<sup>3</sup>, consisting of 80% lymphocytes and 20% polymorphonuclear cells and LDH = 724 U/L. Pleural fluid adenosine deaminase was 69U/L, while smears, cultures and cytology, were negative"

B] "and chest x-ray showed complete resolution of pleural effusion."

- 4] References and typesetting were corrected.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Gastroenterointestinal endoscopy*

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Jain Samit".

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