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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 5922-review.doc).

**Title:** When combination therapy isn't working: Emerging therapies for the management of Inflammatory Bowel Disease

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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 reviewers

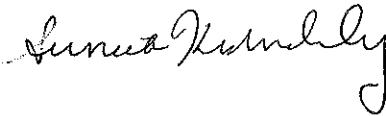
(1) Reference was added to explain the benefit of MTX in patients who are unable to use thiopurines

(2) Clarification was made about the variable clinical response to steroids

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, appearing to read 'Suneeta Krishnareddy', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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