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Monjur Ahmed, Rosa M Jimenez Rodriguez, and Pashtoon Kasi
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Dear Drs. Monjur Ahmed, Rosa M Jimenez Rodriguez, and Pashtoon Kasi:

I wish to resubmit our manuscript for *World Journal of Gastrointestinal Oncology*, which is titled **“Efficacy and safety of grasping forceps-assisted endoscopic resection for gastric neoplasms: a multi-center retrospective study.”** The paper was coauthored by Sho Suzuki, Mitsuru Esaki, Toshiki Horii, Chika Kusano, Hisatomo Ikehara, and Takuji Gotoda.” The manuscript ID is 61191.

We wish to thank you for your careful review of our manuscript. The manuscript has been rechecked, and the necessary changes based on the issues raised by the science editor and reviewers. We hope that this revised version of the manuscript is now suitable for publication

Thank you again for your efforts in reviewing our manuscript. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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Reviewer 1

Comments #1: The manuscript entitled "Efficacy and safety of grasping forceps-assisted endoscopic resection for gastric neoplasms: a multi-centre retrospective study" is well written, and presents excellent methodology and results. the manuscript is important for world literature because it describes a new technique for treating a high incidence pathology. Therefore, I suggest publishing this manuscript.

Thank you so much for your comments. We revised some parts of the manuscript according to science editor's suggestions.

Science editor

Issues raised:

(1) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide the original figure documents. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor;

Thank you so much for your comments. We prepare the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor;

(2) PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout;

Thank you so much for your comments. We revised the part of reference according to the Format for references guidelines.

(3) The “Article Highlights” section is missing. Please add the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text.

Thank you for your important comments. We added the “Article Highlights” section at the end of the main text.

Revised manuscript: page 13, line 300-page14, line 335