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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 8459-review.doc).

Title: The utility of intravascular ultrasound imaging for coronary artery disease management

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

1 Format has been updated:

- The manuscript has been edited by American Journal Experts, their recommendations are introduced, including the title of the manuscript has been changed to "The use of intravascular imaging in managing coronary artery disease"
- Fonts changed to Book Antiqua font of size 10
- Keywords: each keyword now is separated by a semicolon, not a comma
- Table has been moved to the end of the article
- Figure legends at the end of the article created
- Each figure is on a separate sheet at the end of the article

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer:

- (1) Typing errors are corrected (Figure 1)
- (2) Improvements in style and format of the article:
 - "these" changed to IVUS in chapter "Relation between IVUS measurements and FFR";
 - Figure legends are removed from the text and moved to the end of the article;
 - References are numbered
- (3) Comment on Expert Consensus Statement on FFR, IVUS and OCT is added in section "Assessment of angiographic intermediate lesions", according reference is added [18]
- (4) We have changed few titles and we have added few subtitles to improve the structure of the article and to follow the context easily
- (5) Figure legends are removed from the text
- (6) The sentence about substitution of angiography by IVUS/OCT is added in Conclusions

3 References and typesetting were corrected due to a new reference.

Editorial certificate from American Journal Experts is added.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Cardiology*.

Sincerely yours,

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