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PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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exhibiting suboptimal response to entecavir

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[] Grade A: Excellent [] Grade B: Very good [<mark>Y</mark>] Gr	ade C:
Scientific quality Good	
[] Grade D: Fair [] Grade E: Do not publish	
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Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript	[] Grade A: Excellent [Y] Grade B: Good [] Grade C: Fair [] Grade D: No scientific significance
Language quality	[] Grade A: Priority publishing [Y] Grade B: Minor language polishing [] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [] Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	[] Accept (High priority) [Y] Accept (General priority) [] Minor revision [] Major revision [] Rejection
Re-review	[Y] Yes [] No
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Tenofovir alafenamide is a novel tenofovir prodrug with improved pharmacokinetics and reduced renal and bone toxicity compared with tenofovir disoproxil fumarate. The findings of the study highlight the potential benefits of switching to tenofovir alafenamide in managing chronic hepatitis B patients with suboptimal response to Entecavir, providing improved treatment outcomes and minimizing long-term safety concerns. The study is well designed and performed. Results are well discussed. After a minor editing, this manuscript can be accepted.