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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 10620-review.doc).

Title: An unusual presentation of glomus tympanicum tumour: new bone formation in the middle ear

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

1 Format has been updated including abstract and core tip

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers

(1) We have added to the discussion that a further literature search elucidated no relation between glomus tumors and bony overgrowth (not limited to the middle ear) as suggested.

(2) We have highlighted in the peer review section (Comments, section 11) that unfortunately imaging was no longer available for the patient due to loss and archiving of files within the NHS system.

(3) Specific audiological findings were documented in the case report section including exact thresholds.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Gaurav Kumar'.

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