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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

It was a nicely written review by the expert of the field. Some minor comments for consideration: 1. A figure to illustrate the mode of action of Halofuginone would be very helpful to readers. 2. Please consider to summarize the effects of Halofuginone in different parts of GI tract in a Table. 3. Please discuss the role of Halofuginone in chronic viral hepatitis in the era of very effective antiviral agents.