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To the attention of the Editor of *The World Journal of Orthopedics*

Dear Prof. Ji,

Please find enclosed the resubmission of the paper "**Challenges of Bone Tissue Engineering in Orthopaedic Patients**" for your consideration in the editorial process. All changes have been made according to your instructions. This resubmission has been approved by the authors (Enrique Guerado & Enrique Caso), forms part of a program on the research line of Tissue Engineering; some of the papers involved in this program have already been published, but the present paper has not been published or submitted to any other journal. The authors have made substantial contributions to all of the following:

- (1) The conception and design of the paper, acquisition of data, analysis and interpretation of data.
- (2) Drafting the article and revising it critically for important intellectual content.
- (3) Final approval of the first version to be submitted.
- (4) Final approval of the resubmission.

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Yours sincerely,

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