Dear editor,

The edited manuscript has been enclosed in Word format. Here are my answers to the reviewers.

Title: Follicular Lymphoma Presenting like Marginal Zone Lymphoma: A Case Report

Manuscript NO: 74545

The reviewers' comments:

1. Follicular Lymphoma vs Marginal Zone Lymphoma is treatment options (including chemotherapeutics regime) different for these types? Answer: The treatments for follicular lymphoma and marginal zone lymphoma are similar. R-CHOP therapy serves as one of the first-line regimens for both.

2. What is the main reason for relapse of this patient? Please clarifies this items in your discussion?

Answer: The mutation of gene TP53 was detected in the tumour, which predicts dismal survival. Although complete remission was achieved initially, early relapse occured because of the adverse impact of the molecular aberration.

The answers to the reviewers' comment were also stated as a paragraph in the discussion part of the manuscript.