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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 4946 review).

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

1 the grammar of the manuscript was reviewed and corrected.

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

(1) erdheim chester syndrome was replaced by erdheim chester disease

(2) the requested reference from blood 2011 (Arnaud et al) was added and addressed.

(3) the number of case reports with GI involvement in ECD was mentioned

(4) as for the choice of treatment by vinblastine + prednisone - we added an explanation in the article that a course of interferon was offered by us but the patient preferred to be treated elsewhere.
we have no data as for the considerations by the treating staff choice of vinblastine + prednisone ,
nor endoscopic follow-up after treatment, but the main purpose of the article is to describe the
unusual GI involvement in ECD and it's unique endoscopic features.

3 References were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

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