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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 8992-review.doc).

Title: Minimally Invasive Surgery for Submucosal (Subepithelial) Tumors of the Stomach

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

1 Format has been updated

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

(1) The title was changed from "Minimally Invasive Surgery for Submucosal (Subepithelial) Tumors of the Gastrointestinal Tract" to "Minimally Invasive Surgery for Submucosal (Subepithelial) Tumors of the Stomach".

(2) We added the sentences about the diagnostic use of endoscopic unroofing technique. (The sentences were added to "Endoscopic Resection" part.)

(3) We added a table that shows the comparative data of morbidity, mortality and therapeutic outcomes between laparoscopic and open resection. (The table was inserted into "Laparoscopic Surgery" part.)

(4) All the revisions were highlighted with green color.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

Sincerely yours,

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