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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 13790-edited.doc).

Title: Ledipasvir and Sofosbuvir: Interferon free therapy for HCV genotype 1 patients.

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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

Answer to Reviewer's Comments

The Sofosbuvir-Ledipasvir combination therapy showed good results when administered to the patients having advance Cirrhosis / Fibrosis. The results of data presented by Gane et al., at 64th meeting of American Association for the study of liver diseases, Washington showed that the advanced level Cirrhosis patients were included in the study and the SVR was around 100.

There is no data published regarding HCV/HIV co-infection patients. The SVR for HCV is great; hopefully it showed parallel results in patients having HCV/HIV co-infection.

The cost of the Sofosbuvir treatment has been reduced for the different countries including Pakistan, India and Egypt. In Pakistan the cost for 6 month treatment of Sofosbuvir therapy is around \$ 3000. Reduction in price will make the treatment accessible for large patient population in many countries.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

- Statement for conflict of Interest is added.
- PMID and DOI of papers have been added.

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

Sincerely yours,

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