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To

Editors of

*Berkala Ilmu Kedokteran (Journal of Medical Sciences)*

Dear Editors,

We would like to express our gratitude regarding the revision and the opportunity to resubmit a revised copy of our manuscript, **“*Centella asiatica*: Alternative Dry Skin Therapy in Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus”** to be published in your journal as an original review article. In this occasion, we would also like to express our gratitude to the reviewers for the positive feedback and helpful comments.

We have revised the writings of this manuscript, including the citation and list of references as there were duplication of two references in the previous manuscript:

1. Reference number 8 with 23
2. Reference number 4 with 36

We also have made several adjustments following the comments from reviewers, as shown in the table below:

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| **No** | **Reviewer Comments** | **Author Replies** |
| 1. | Reviewer A   * Comments highlighted in the paper regarding typographical error and error in Table 1 * Provide the aims of this review | Regarding the comments and feedback from reviewer, we have made several changes including:   * We have tried to fix the typographical error in this manuscript and changed the content of Table 1 collumn “Reference” with the name of the author and its citation. * The aim of this review had been added to the last paragraph of Introduction section. |
| 2. | Reviewer C   * Pada setiap baris naskah mohon diberi nomer agar memudahkan penunjukkan bagian yang harus direvisi.  Naskah juga mohon diberi nomer halaman. * Pada tabel 1, terdapat tulisan error dan angka-angka 15,14, dll. Apakah maksudnya? * Dalam naskah terdapat pemerian, tetapi cara pemeriannya tidak konsisten (ada yang menggunakan trip/dash, ada yang menggunakan nomor 1, 2, 3) * Pada naskah dituliskan hal yang teknis sekali, misal rumus penghitungan dosis, apakah memang hal tersebut relevan? * Sepanjang naskah masih banyak didapatkan kesalahan tata tulis (English grammar), baik kesesuaian subyek-predikat, tata kalimat, salah ketik (typo), dll.  Untuk mengatasi hal tersebut, setelah naskah ini direvisi dan sebelum di-resubmit, naskah bisa dicek menggunakan software bahasa Inggris atau proofread oleh ahli bahasa Inggris | We have made several changes to fulfill the inquiries from the reviewer, including:   * We have added line numbers and page number to this manuscript. * On table 1, we added detailed explanation for the column “References”. In this revised manuscript, we changed the reference number “14, 15, etc” with the name of the author and the number of reference for citation. * The list in this manuscript has been changed into numbered list only. * The formulation for dosage calculation has been removed from this manuscript. * We have tried to make a correction regarding the typographical error in this manuscript. This manuscript has been proofread by English linguist/translator |

We believe that this revised manuscript is appropriate for publication by *Berkala Ilmu Kedokteran (Journal of Medical Sciences)* because its investment and novelty in the future of dermatology studies in T2DM dry skin therapies.

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Thank you very much for your consideration.

Yours’ sincerely,

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