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Dear Editor in Chief of Radiology and Oncology,

Please find attached our manuscript entitled: ***“Expression of LOC285758, a potential long non-coding biomarker, is methylation-dependent and correlates with glioma malignancy grade”***

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Our study revealed for the first time that long noncoding RNA LOC285758 was differentially expressed in glioma subtypes. Furthermore, we found that this expression is methylation-dependent and that methylation correlates with WHO malignancy grade. Methylation was also distinctive between astrocytoma I-III and other glioma subtypes. Those results are novel and have not been published yet.

We sincerely hope that you will find our work acceptable for publishing in the journal Radiology and Oncology.

Kind regards,

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