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**Manuscript title: "Newmixed-ligand Ni (II) and Zn (II) macrocyclic complexes with bridged bicyclo-[2,2,1]-hept-5-en-*endo*-2,3-*cis*-dicarboxylate: synthesis, characterization, antimicrobial and cytotoxic activity”**

Dear Prof. Miloš Đuran,

Thank you for useful comments and suggestions on the structure of our manuscript. Accordingly, we revised the manuscript and the detailed corrections are listed below at the point. Corrected sentences are highlighted in the text on the manuscript.

Responsee to the referees` comments and demands

**Inorganic Chemistry Sub Editor**

Comment In Experimental, *In vitro antimicrobial assay* (p. 5) it was omitted that Ampicillin and Nystatin were used as a positive control.

Response: It was corrected. The sentence "Ampicillin and Nystatin were used as a positive control. " were added. (p. 5)

Comment. Instead of "The cytotoxicity of complexes 1 and 2 was tested towards selected human cancer cell lines: cervix adenocarcinoma (HeLa) and human myelogenous leukemia (K562)" should be "The cytotoxicity of the obtainedcomplexesandstartingcompoundsweretested". The text below lists the corresponding investigated cell lines (p. 13).

Response: The sentence "The cytotoxicity of complexes 1 and 2 was tested towards selected human cancer cell lines: cervix adenocarcinoma (HeLa) and human myelogenous leukemia (K562)" is replaced with the following: "The cytotoxicity of the obtainedcomplexesandstartingcompoundsweretested" (p. 13).

Comment. Table IV: Complex should be replaced by Compound (p. 13). Below the Table IV should be deleted "All data are results from three independent experiments, each carried out in triplicate", as the same sentence is already written in the Experimental (p. 7). However, Table IV needs to be technically adjusted.

Response: Below the Table IV Complex was replaced by Compound. The sentence "All data are results from three independent experiments, each carried out in triplicate" was deleted. Table IV is technically adapted.

We hope that our paper is now sutable for publication in Journal of the Serbian Chemical Society.

March5th, 2019. Sincerely yours,

Dr Branka Dražić