Dear Editor,

I am submitting the manuscript titled *“*Binuclear copper(II) complexes: synthesis, structural characterization, DNA binding and *in silico* studies” by Abdul Waheed Kamran, Saqib Ali, Muhammad Nawaz Tahir, Muhammad Zahoor, Abdul Wadood, and Muhammad Iqbal for publication in *journal of the Serbian chemical society.* The main concern of the reviewer regarding the DNA-binding studies of the previously submitted version of the same manuscript titled “Synthesis, structural elucidation, DNA binding and Molecular docking studies of binuclear copper(II) complexes” has been addressed in the current form where the whole procedure has been re-performed and the discussion has been modified radically as suggested by the reviewer. the manuscript is being resubmitted with modified title. The manuscript has neither been previously published, nor currently submitted for review to any other journal and will not be submitted elsewhere before a decision is made. I trust this manuscript will qualify all the standards of the *journal of the Serbian chemical society* for publication. Five potential reviewers have been appended below:

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