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Dear Sir,

Submission of article “**Molecular Characterization of Human Peripheral Blood Stem Cells**”. We are here to inform you the submission of our above title manuscript at the “**South African Journal of Science**” for consideration as **Research Articles**. We also declared that this article was not published nor under consideration simultaneously by any other publication.

This manuscript is representing the molecular characterization of peripheral blood stem cells. Peripheral blood is used as the source of isolated stem cells instead of a common source; bone marrow. These studies using multidisciplinary approaches demonstrate the possibility to obtain hematopoietic stem cell (HSC) and mesenchymal stem cell (MSC) from mononucleated blood. For these reasons, we think our manuscript should be published.

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