

**RETRACTION NOTE**

Retraction Note to: Hispidulin induces ER stress-mediated apoptosis in human hepatocellular carcinoma cells in vitro and in vivo by activating AMPK signaling pathway

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The Editor-in-Chief has retracted this article. Concerns were raised regarding a number figures, specifically:

- Figure 1E has been previously published as Figure 1D in¹.
- Figure 1E: the upper left hand panel has been previously published in Figure 7B of²

The Editor-in-Chief therefore no longer has confidence in the reliability of the data reported in the article.

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