Reply to the letter to the editor concerning: ‘Classification of parotidectomies: a proposal of the European Salivary Gland Society’

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Dear Editor,

Thank you very much for the opportunity to reply to the letter of Professor Malgorzata Wierzbicka to our paper “Classification of parotidectomies: a proposal of the European Salivary Gland Society”.

First of all I would like to thank the favorable comments from Professor Wierzbicka to the classification proposed by the European Salivary Gland Society.

I appreciate the clever suggestion to include the temporomandibular joint (TMJ) in the list of non-parotid structures that could be resected. It is true that the list published did not pretend to be exhaustive. We agree to include TMJ in future presentations or publications.

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