

**Retraction Note**

# Retraction Note: A Hot Pepper cDNA Encoding a Pathogenesis-Related Protein 4 Is Induced during the Resistance Response to Tobacco Mosaic Virus

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