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### PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Review the information in the first sentence of the abstract because "the Breast cancer is the most common cancer in women worldwide".</li> <li>- Concerning the sample size, in the materials and methods part I see that it is mentioned 30 samples, while in the results there are 32 samples.</li> <li>- About the formula used to choose the sample size, you talk about the prevalence of oral squamous cell carcinoma when your study is on breast carcinoma.</li> <li>- Too small sampling given the prevalence of breast cancer and especially ER + breast cancer.</li> <li>- In the result part, need to describe the ki67 cut-off to differentiate between LOW and HIGH Ki67 proliferative index expression as well as the reference used.</li> <li>- The results are biased between Table/Figure 3 and Table/Figure 4. In the Table/Figure 3, the number of cases of tumor mass with LOW Ki67 is 8 cases but in the Table/Figure 4, it is 6 cases. In addition, the number of cases of tumor mass with HIGH Ki67 is 24 cases in the Table/Figure 3 but in the Table/Figure 4, it is equal to 26 cases.</li> </ul>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Need more details in the method part (such as nature of fixative used, formalin or other, antibody clones, thickness of tissue sections, etc.). The experimental protocol must be detailed.</li> </ul>	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments		

### PART 2:

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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