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A Retraction of the Original Research Article

**PRDM16 upregulation induced by MicroRNA-448 inhibition alleviates
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