

## RETRACTION

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### **miR-29b enhances the proliferation and migration of bone marrow mesenchymal stem cells in rats with castration-induced osteoporosis through the PI3K/AKT and TGF- $\beta$ /Smad signaling pathways**

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