

**RETRACTION**

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**MicroRNA-326 inhibits cell proliferation and invasion, activating apoptosis in hepatocellular carcinoma by directly targeting LIM and SH3 protein 1**SHIPING HU, YUN RAN, WENLIN CHEN, YUNCHENG ZHANG  
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