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I am pleased to inform you that, three senior physicians agreed to join us as foreign editors. Dr. MA Jabbar MBBS, MD, FACP is Director of Pediatric Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism, Department of Pediatrics/Hurley Medical Center, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Michigan State University Program/ Hurley Medical center, Flint, Michigan (USA). Dr. Zahed Ikram, MRCP, FRCP is Consultant Physician and Geriatrician, St. Richard's Hospital, Chichester, UK. Prof. Shibendu Ghosh, Vice-President, Society of Tropical Medicine, Association of Physicians of India & Hypertension Society of India (Kolkata).

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Eagerly waiting for your new manuscripts.

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