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RE: Submission

Dear Editors of Acta Chimica Slovenica:

Please find attached to this cover letter our manuscript entitled "***Recent Chemical Methodology Advances in the Total Synthesis of Meroterpenoids***", which is being submitted exclusively to the *Acta Chimica Slovenica* for publication as a review article (by invitation from Prof. Ksenija Kogej). All authors have seen and approved the submission of this work.

This manuscript highlights the recent efforts in the area of total synthesis of meroterpenoids at the frontline of contemporary complex molecule synthesis and method development. We described some of the most impactful syntheses that were disclosed during the last five years.

We propose the following reviewers that have the suitable expertise to evaluate our work:

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None of the results described herein have been published or are under consideration for publication anywhere, including the internet.

Thank you for your consideration of our work.

Sincerely,

David Sarlah