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Dear Ms. Mora and Mr. Vega,

According to the "Text and illustrations format corrections guide from associate Editors" and the recommendations of reviewers 1 and 2, we are submitting a second version of the article "Cellular development of the germinal epithelium during the adult reproductive life history of the Golden Mussel *Limnoperna fortunei* (Bivalvia: Mytilidae)". The following items are attached:

- Correction Form

- Second Manuscript
- Letter to the Finance Department.
- Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and Fig.7 (excel data). The figures are being sent separately, with resolution for proper publication quality.

We hope the modifications in the article attend the requirements of the anonymous reviewers and the editorial board.

Sincerely,

Claudenice Dei Tos, Irani Quagio-Grassiotto & Talita Sarah Mazzoni