Dear respected editors and reviewers:

Based on comments, we have made corrections as follows:

Comments:

1. The manuscript requires a minor editing. Some minor language polishing should be corrected.
   
   Answer: the manuscript has been edited by a native speaker.

2. Please discuss the limit of the study.

   Answer: there are limitations in our study. The study was a retrospective study and only a small cohort of patients were included. All the procedures were performed by experienced doctor. For difficult colonoscopy, the safety of intubation of linear echoendoscope into cecum should be further studied.

3. References should be edited according to the journal’s guideline.

   Answer: we have edited references according to the journal’s guideline.

Kind regards

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