Editor Comment:

The revised manuscript2013/I-SRR/8709 remains with critical problems:

The following comments were not considered:

Dosage of additional hormones suggested were not done or justified.

The conclusion remains with the anti-proliferative function of the lime juice, which is not supported by data.

The origin of fruit used for test, from a market has some problems because there is not a positive control: Effects are due to compound from lime juice or it is contaminated with chemicals as insecticides and herbicides used in the fruit plantation?

The sample size is too small. Five rats/treatment is small and the statistical test used (t-student) cannot be applied for small sample size.

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