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To

Dr. K. Dhama

The editor-in-Chief

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Sub: Submission of Review article.

Dear Dr. Dhama,

I would like to submit this review article entitled "**Evolution of H5N1 Avian Influenza Viruses**" for your consideration with a view to publication as a review article in your esteemed journal "**Advances in Animal and Veterinary Sciences**." As you are aware of the emergence of H5N1 Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza virus which poses a potential threat for animal and public health. Here we review different strategies of evolution, role of wild birds in transmission and evolution of the virus, emergence of resistance viruses, transmission to humans and its control strategies etc.

We look forward to your favourable consideration.

Yours sincerely


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