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Thank you for your interest in and support for success of the journal.

Jung Wan LEE, Ph.D.

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Dear Editor,

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In this paper, we prove the impact of competitive pressure and innovation capability on business performance. the study shows that 1) competition pressure influences business performance, 2) competition pressure also influences Innovation Capability. 3) The results of the study also showed that innovation influences business performance. 4)

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We confirm that the paper is original and has not been published previously, it is not under consideration for publication elsewhere, and the manuscript is not being simultaneously submitted elsewhere. We have no conflicts of interest to disclose.

Please address all correspondence concerning this manuscript to me at [noorlalie-s@feb.unair.ac.id](mailto:noorlalie-s@feb.unair.ac.id)

Thank you for your consideration of this manuscript.

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