In the original article by Wu, et al., entitled "Long Noncoding RNA HOST2 Promotes Epithelial-Mesenchymal Transition, Proliferation, Invasion and Migration of Hepatocellular Carcinoma Cells by Activating the JAK2-STAT3 Signaling Pathway" [Cell Physiol Biochem 2018;51(1):301-314, DOI: 10.1159/000495231], the images of the immunohistochemistry of STAT3 in Fig. 1A have been mistakenly selected during typesetting. The correct Fig. 1 is displayed below.

The authors confirm that all of the results and conclusions of the article remain unchanged, as well as the figure legend.

The authors sincerely apologize for this mistake.

**Fig. 1.** Positive rate of JAK2 and STAT3 protein expression is higher in HCC tissues. Note: A: Protein expression of JAK2 and STAT3 in HCC and para-cancerous tissues; B: Positive rate of JAK2 and STAT3 protein expression in HCC and para-cancerous tissues; *, P<0.05, compared with para-cancerous tissues; Analysis of data in the map using a paired t test, n = 136; JAK2, janus kinase 2; STAT3, signal transducer and activator of transcription 3; HCC, hepatocellular carcinoma.