Erratum

Investigation of diversity of plasmids carrying the $bla_{TEM-52}$ gene

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There were errors in Table 1. Except for plasmid p727, in all cases where the element upstream of $bla_{TEM-52}$ is currently indicated to be Tn3, this should be changed to Tn2. In the case of p727, the element upstream of $bla_{TEM-52}$ should be labelled ‘unknown’. The cause of the errors was the design of the Tn-$bla_{TEM}$ linking PCR (Materials and methods section, Genetic environment upstream of the $bla_{TEM-52}$ gene) based on the sequence EF141186, which was previously classified as Tn3-$bla_{TEM-52}$. This element should be correctly classified as Tn2-$bla_{TEM-52}$. The authors apologize for the errors.

References