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Dear Pr. Kerr, dear Bill,

We would like to thank you for the opportunity to revise and resubmit our paper to the *Journal of Economic Geography*, and to thank the referees for the comments, which have helped us, revise it. We have done our best to address the referees’ comments thoroughly. We have scrupulously followed their suggestions and made the modifications and clarifications that they recommended. These suggestions have led to substantial improvements. We enclose detailed answers to the referees.

As you suggested, we revised so as to XXX

Here we briefly list the major changes brought to the paper:

1. As requested by referee 1, XXX

2. Following remarks of referee 2, XXX

3. XXX

4. XXX

5. XXX

We hope that you will be satisfied by the outcome, and we thank you for the interest you have shown in our work. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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