Additions and Corrections

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Suleiman Al-Khalil,* Ahmad Alkofahi, Dawud El-Eisawi, and Asfar Al-Shibib: Transitorine, a New Quinoline Alkaloid from *Ephedra transitoria*.

Page 262: The authors wish to withdraw from the literature the trivial name "transitorine". This alkaloid is not of novel structure, since it represents an already known tautomer of kynurenic acid. The 4-keto tautomer of kynurenic acid is the preferred form in polar solvents (e.g., DMSO- d_6 , as used to determine the NMR spectra of "transitorine") (Leeson, P. D.; Baker, R.; Carling, R. W.; Curtis, N. R.; Moore, K. W.; Williams, B. J.; Foster, A. C.; Donald, A. E.; Kemp, J. A.; Marshall, G. R. *J. Med. Chem.* **1991**, *34*, 1243–1252).

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Erkan Balogu and David G. I. Kinston*: A New Semisynthesis of Paclitaxel from Baccatin III.

Page 1068: Structure **11** (Scheme 1) should have a $-CO_2H$ group instead of a $-CO_2Me$ group.

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Rita Aquino,* Nunziatina De Tommasi, Medardo Tapia, Maria Rosaria Lauro, and Luca Rastrelli: New 3-Methoxyflavones, an Iridoid Lactone, and a Flavonol from *Duroia hirsuta*.

Page 562: The mp for compound 1 should read 220–221 °C, and mp and $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ data for compounds 2–4 should be deleted.

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