Dear Editor,

I would like to submit a manuscript for the protocol collection issue entitled “A simple and efficient method for studying protein import into chloroplasts using protoplasts” by Lee et al.

In this protocol paper, we describe the detailed protocol for preparation of protoplasts and use of protoplasts to study protein import into chloroplasts in Arabidopsis. Protoplasts became a powerful and versatile tool for various studies in protein targeting and trafficking in plants. Protoplasts may represent a system very close to the true in vivo system. Therefore, we think this approach can be very useful in elucidating the protein targeting mechanism in plants.

We hope that this manuscript is suitable for publication in your protocol issue and looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Best wishes,

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