Dear editor,

We would like to thank you for recommending our manuscript for publication in The Cryosphere and for the technical corrections that you suggested. We have made the corrections in the revised version of the manuscript.

There was a little bug in the web interface during the prevision revision and we were not able to correct it by ourselves. When we added J. Vessaire in the authors list, it shifted the corresponding author from N. Taberlet to N. Plihon (the system probably remembered the author position in the list). We were able to add N. Taberlet again but not to remove N. Plihon from the corresponding authors list.

Best regards,

The authors