

Interactive comment on “Maastrichtian carbon isotope stratigraphy and cyclostratigraphy of the Newfoundland Margin (Site U1403, IODP Leg 342)” by Oliver Friedrich et al.

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Dear Zhengtang Guo, Nicolas Thibault, Helmut Weissert, and anonymous reviewers, thank you very much for handling and commenting on our paper. Your suggestions are much appreciated and we will do our utmost best to incorporate them and to improve the manuscript. All comments mention the need for a more detailed discussion on the carbon isotope stratigraphy, as well as a more expansive correlation of Maastrichtian carbon isotope records, and we will gladly provide this. To reflect changed author contributions related to the reviewer comments, we have decided to list SJB as first author and OF as second. Please find our response to the comments and suggestions made by the reviewers and Nicolas Thibault in the attached PDF file. We have copied

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the interactive comments in grey and written our replies in black. We hope that our comments below are sufficiently clear, but do not hesitate to contact us if there are any problems. We would like to thank you in advance for further consideration of our manuscript for publication in Earth and Planetary Science Letters.

Thank you very much and kind regards, on behalf of all authors,
Sietske Batenburg and Oliver Friedrich

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