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Submission of manuscript to Climate of the Past Subject

Dear Professor Thornalley, Dear editor,

Please find enclosed our edited final revised manuscript, entitled "Oligocene-Miocene paleoceanography off the Wilkes Land margin (East Antarctica) based on organic-walled dinoflagellate cysts" (cp-2017-148).

We follow the review report, and have made the following final edits to the figures and the

- Fig. 3: made the colour coding consistent with that of Fig. 4 and 5.
- Fig. 4. and 5: as suggested by the reviewer, we separated out Selenopemphix antarctica and Selenopemphix spp. pars
- Fig. 5: we adjusted the d18O compilation, which now shows the megasplice of De Vleeschouwer et al., 2017. We adjusted the caption accordingly.
- Fig. 6: as suggested by the reviewer, we split relative abundances from absolute abundances in
- Fig. 7: as suggested by the reviewer, we made a full-page figure, and we also separated out Selenopemphix antarctica from the other Selenopemphix species.

The final version of the manuscript still contains 7 figures, 2 tables and about 6500 words.

In anticipation of your reply,

Best regards, also on behalf of my co-authors,

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