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In our work [1–3] we study the coupling between spin polarization and orbital angular momentum that occurs due to sharp subwavelength changes of the spatial beam profile. It was recently brought to our attention that similar demonstrations of near-field optical spin-orbit interactions have been published [4–6]. Our work describes scattering through round and square apertures as opposed to plasmonic ring and spiral grating structures, and our approach focuses on changes in the spatial beam profile instead of using a dynamical approach to analyze the change in phase. However, there is sufficient overlap between their work and ours that we should have referenced their work in our Letter. We are glad that we can correct this omission in this erratum.

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