Reviewer's report

Title: Genetic study of common variants at the Apo E, Apo Al, Apo CIII, Apo B, LP(a), lipoprotein lipase (LPL) and hepatic lipase (LIPC) genes and coronary artery disease (CAD): variation in LIPC gene associates with clinical outcomes in patients with established CAD

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Reviewer's report:

Authors have satisfactorily addressed most of the concerns I raised.

General

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

Minor Compulsory Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

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