Reviewer's report

Title: Survivin gene silencing sensitizes prostate cancer cells to selenium growth inhibition

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Major Compulsory Revisions:
- Results should be reproduced in at least one additional tumor cell line.

Minor Essential Revisions:
- MSA dose-effect curves should be generated in the presence or absence of shRNA.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

'I declare that I have no competing interests'