Reviewer’s report

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In this revised manuscript, Bouga et al. have answered my questions and made some corrections in this revised manuscript. However, there are some points that need to be addressed by the authors as noted below.

One major compulsory revision

As the authors also agree that the results of Western blotting are not consistent with those of RT-PCR in the cases of Hyal-2 and Hyal-3. And, to the authors’ opinion, this inconsistency does not correspond to mRNA deterioration in the samples obtained. I suggest that additional examinations, regarding any mutations of the genes or alternative splicing of mRNA should be performed.

One minor essential revision

Linguistics review should be necessary. For example:
Page 10, row 11: “.......; significant also expression.....”.

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

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

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.