Reviewer's report

Title: A panel of kallikrein markers can predict outcome of prostate biopsy following clinical work-up: an independent validation study from the European Randomized Study of Prostate Cancer screening, France

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Reviewer: ARADHANA KAUSHAL

Reviewer's report:

- Major Compulsory Revisions

Good paper but needs more review of previously published screening studies so that a reader who is not familiar with prostate cancer screening can appreciate the difficulties involved with the process.

- Discretionary Revisions

none

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

'I declare that I have no competing interests'