Reviewer's report

**Title:** Evaluation of the impact of transient interruption of antiangiogenic treatment using ultrasound-based techniques in a murine model of hepatocellular carcinoma

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**Reviewer:** Cedo Bagi

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Nice manuscript that highlights 2 points; First confirms "rebound" effect of neovasculature following withdrawal of Sorafenib, and Second - demonstration of CEUS technology in preclinical model of cancer.

Minor comments:
1. Authors should add (if possible) matching histology/histocchemistry slide showing the rebound of tumor after cessation of treatment to strengthen their claim.
2. Avoid some redundancies in introduction/discussion section.

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

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

**Statistical review:** Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

No Competing interest!