Reviewer’s report

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Reviewer: Angeles Garcia-Pardo

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General

The authors have provided satisfactory responses for my concerns. It would had helped to have been able to see the second manuscript where they apparently study the mechanisms downstream of caspase-3

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Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

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Minor Essential 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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Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

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What next?: Accept without revision

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No