Reviewer’s report

**Title:** CHEK2 1100delC is prevalent in Swedish early onset familial breast cancer

**Version:** 3  **Date:** 23 July 2007

**Reviewer:** Petr Pohlreich

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**General**

**Re-review:**

I agree with the changes made in Methods and in Table 1. Dividing of breast cancer cases into groups has been clarified and seems to be relevant. “Mutation specific primers” were tested to clearly distinguish between DNA from 1100delC carriers and non-carriers.

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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, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

'I declare that I have no competing interests'