Reviewer's report

Title: Nuclear hBD-1 accumulation in malignant salivary gland tumours

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Reviewer: Katsuhiro Uzawa

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Because the sample of the immunohistochemistry is too small and the quantity of hBD-1 gene expression is not confirmed, this study does not achieve a criteria of the publication.

What next?: Reject because too small an advance to publish

Level of interest: An article of insufficient interest to warrant publication in a scientific/medical journal

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.