Reviewer's report

**Title:** Effect of obesity on constant workrate exercise in hyperinflated men with COPD

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**Reviewer:** Henrik Watz

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This is a well-written manuscript about an important topic in pulmonary medicine. I have no further comments or remarks.

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

**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'