**Reviewer's report**

**Title:** The Felix-trial Double-blind randomization of interspinous implant or bony decompression for treatment of spinal stenosis related intermittent neurogenic claudication

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**Reviewer:** David H Kim

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Given that the described study is already underway, I understand the difficulty of instituting any significant change in the protocol. However, my original concerns still stand. I await the results of the study with interest.

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

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

**Statistical review:** Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I am a consultant for Pioneer and Medtronic, both with related products.