Reviewer's report

Title: Bilio-Entero-Gastrostomy: prospective assessment of a modified biliary reconstruction with facilitated future endoscopic access.

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Reviewer: REZA F SAIDI

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This study looked at different BEG reconstruction techniques in management of biliary stricture in 17 patients. The idea is not novel but important. I have several comments:

1- The rational or selection criteria for BEG types (I-III) need to me described.
2- The long term of biliary reflux is unkown is this cohort with short followup.
3- What was the incidence of recurrent cholangitis after BEG?
4- The difficulty score is subjective and non-scientific.
5- The authors should discuss the reasoning to change form BEG I and II to BEG III

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.