Reviewer's report

Title: Hemangioma of the prostate - an unusual cause of lower urinary tract symptoms : Case report

Version: 1 Date: 14 September 2010

Reviewer: Robert Svatek

Reviewer's report:

This article presents a unique case of hemangioma of the prostate. The manuscript may be improved with minor essential revisions. First, there are multiple grammatical errors that should be addressed. The pressure flow results should be reported (Qmax and PVR) for those measurement taken before TURP in addition to after surgery. Finally, in the discussion, it would be beneficial for the reader for the authors to provide guidelines on what to do differently in the following scenarios: (1) the setting of a patient with LUTS and evidence for a prostatic hemangioma based on ultrasound - what is the recommended treatment/approach for management? and (2) If during a TURP, one discovers evidence of a prostatic hemangioma, what maneuvers/techniques can be recommended?

Robert Svatek, MD, MSCI
Associate Professor
Division of Urologic Oncology
Department of Urology
UT Health Science Center San Antonio

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

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

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