Reviewer's report

Title: Thymoquinone Attenuates Cisplatin-Induced Hepatotoxicity via Nuclear Factor Kappa- beta

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The manuscript entitled “Thymoquinone Attenuates Cisplatin-Induced Hepatotoxicity via Nuclear Factor Kappa- beta” by Al-Malki and Radwan. The manuscript studied the protective effect of Thymoquinone against the toxicity of cisplatin. The rationale of manuscript is clear, methodology is enough, and parameters cover the goal of study, results well presented in clear manner and the discussion clarify the results.

I recommend it for publication in BMC complementary & alternative medicine after minor.

Minor revisions

1. In abstract, line 14 mention the antioxidant enzymes evaluated.
2. In introduction, page 3, second paragraph, line 9, rephrase statement starting although.
3. In statistical analysis, replace Avova by ANOVA.
4. In discussion, first paragraph, rephrase the statement starting cytoplasm till hepatic cell.

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'