Reviewer's report

**Title:** Principles of Cartilage Tissue Engineering in TMJ Reconstruction

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**Reviewer:** Edela Puricelli

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The changes introduced to the manuscript resulted in a clearer presentation of the text, which is now acceptable for publication. A further review of the English language, however, is still recommended, since some sentences are difficult to understand (eg, "Whereas the situation of determined cells is well known to researchers an clinicians in TMJ reconstruction." (end of page 10) seems to be incomplete).

**What next?:** Accept after discretionary revisions

**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.