Reviewer's report

Title: Long term follow up results of sequential left internal thoracic artery graft on severe left anterior descending artery disease

Version: 1 Date: 1 September 2010

Reviewer: Armen Yuri Gasparyan

Reviewer's report:

The authors of the manuscript present own results on coronary artery bypass procedures with sequential anastomoses of the left internal thoracic artery (LITA) to LAD. Overall, long-term patency rate of LITA anastomoses is high (91.5%). Experience of the authors is exemplary and the report itself is of great interest to cardiothoracic surgeons.

There are just some comments. In the discussion section, the paragraph before conclusion should be deleted, as it is not based on the results of this study; references 19-21 should be deleted as well.

Extensive copy-editing and correction of writing are needed.

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

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.