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The authors assessed the therapeutic effect of vasoactive intestinal peptide on form-deprived amblyopic kittens in this study. Below are my comments regarding the manuscript.

1-Page numbers are lacking.

2-Page 4, lines 1-24: These information should be in the methods (first paragraph) and in the results (second paragraph) sections.

3-Page 5, line 1: "...keep enough toys, cat scratching boards and cat litter in.."
Please revise the sentence.

4-Please give the exact p values rather than giving p<0.05.

5-Discussion, second paragraph, line 37: ".....thereby inhibiting the physiological effect of vascular endothelial growth factor on visual development."

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