Reviewer's report

Title: Secondary pulmonary alveolar proteinosis: A Single-center Retrospective Study (A case series and literature review)

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Zhang et al. present a revised version of their single-centre retrospective study of 9 Chinese patients with secondary PAP.

In my opinion, the two first points of major essential revision have not been really adressed. However, adding the total number of PAP seen in their centre (157) is a good point.

Other comments have been take into account.

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