Reviewer's report

Title: Wound healing effects of Malaysian propolis and Brazilian red propolis on connective tissue fibroblasts in the healing process

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Reviewer: Kazuo Azuma

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The results of this manuscript are too weak to indicate the beneficial effects of the test materials.

Major points;

1) Introduction: The authors must describe the concrete mechanism of the propolis on bioactivities.

2) Materials and Methods: The author must reveal the composit of the propolis they used.

3) Discussion: To be shorten. And The author must compare the results of this study with the previous studies.

4) Discussion: The authors must describe why the diferrence between the Malasian and Brazilian propolis.

5) Discussion: The author will want to indicate the beneficial cite by flavonoids. However, they do not show how and which flavonoids are contian. The readers will not be able to understand the mmechanisms of the propolis used in this study.

Level of interest: An article of insufficient interest to warrant publication in a scientific/medical journal

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.