

## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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<b>Scientific quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
<b>Language quality</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This manuscript was an invited one and summarized the latest findings about fully covered self-expandable metal stents (FCSEMS) for biliary strictures, biliary leak, and post-sphincterotomy bleeding; however, unfortunately, this manuscript included no original and informative tables or figures. The author had better provide some tables and figures which showed treatment outcomes of each stent including its advantages and shortcomings.