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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an interesting study about endoscopic treatment with colonic stents for colonic obstruction from extracolonic compression. The manuscript is well written and to the point. However, I think the authors should add some analysis to their results, regarding the long term outcomes of the patients included in the study. There is an ongoing debate about the role of endoscopic stent insertion in patient overall survival and malignant disease advancement (see Sabbagh et al 2013 Ann Surg and Amelung et al Br J Surg 2019). The authors should check whether patients treated with colonic stents were able to complete their oncological treatment without surgical intervention and what was the long term rate of ostomies in this cohort. Overall, I thank the authors for an interesting read and congratulate them on their work.