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PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Scientific quality	Good
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Conclusion	[] Accept (High priority) [] Accept (General priority) [Y] Minor revision [] Major revision [] Rejection
Re-review	[Y]Yes []No
Peer-reviewer statements	Peer-Review: [Y] Anonymous [] Onymous Conflicts-of-Interest: [] Yes [Y] No

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear author, great work to study an area of interest, whoever you need to clarify some points: at Abstract section of your study, your conclusion is short and deficit. You need to mention if the mesh used in all cases of fixed type or not and what is the type and also if the size 15x15 or not You need minor English polishing Otherwise i think it deserve to be published Good luck



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1. The study doesnot mention whether the two different procedures were done by the same surgeon. There will be bias if this was performed by different surgeons 2. Also, the authors have to clarify whether the injury to the inferior epigastric artery occured during port insertion or during the flap elevation 3. The total size of the umbilical port in SILS-TAPP is also not mentioned 3. The port closure techniques are not mentioned in the methodology