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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Outstanding manuscript. The use of gelfoam injected at the end of the procedure through the needle appears to prevent bleeding from the spleen. Have the authors done more cases?