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The manuscript is of interest. Few grammatical errors are listed below: Title: Where are we now: Page 3, line 14:particulated cartilage Page 4, line 15:scaffold with Page 6, line 10: alcian blue Page 6, line 19: Sixteen fully.. Page 6, line 23: In a similar study, Frisbie et al (2009) compared... Page 8, line 3: glue. A... Reference list: First author in bold. Ref 14, journal name is in bold letters



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The present review aims to investigate the state of the art regarding Cartilage Autograft Implantation System or Particulated Juvenile Allograft Cartilage. The technical part of the work, i.e., searching the literature and selecting the studies to fulfill the criteria defined, looks good. However, the organization of the m/s does not follow the general rules for review articles. Some characteristic examples are as follows: 1. The chronological listing of the various observations, especially in the sections regarding “Basic Science” without any criticism does not help the reader. 2. In some cases the text seems to be written in a “copy-paste” way (i.e., compare page 4, 1st paragraph, and the abstract of ref. 4). 3. The same (or very similar) text is written in different cases, i.e., page 4, 1st paragraph (Basic science - in vitro experiments for CAIS) and page 9, 1st paragraph (Basic science - in vitro experiments for PJAC), although the results of different techniques are presented in the different pages. 4. In page 5, last paragraph, the authors refer to a study being “in press” therefore they must correct the way of its presentation. 5. There are several typo and syntax errors (i.e., see page 4, line 5 from end “in another study published in 2012...” but the cited work has been published in 2013, or page 6, line 2 from end “In a similar study published by Frisbie et al in 2009, compared



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empty defects, CAIS technique....."), as well as words not separated by space. All text should be examined "word by word". Without the above corrections, the m/s is not suitable for publication.