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## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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**Reviewer's Country/Territory:** China

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<b>Scientific quality</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input 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 Grade E: Do not publish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
<b>Conclusion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Dear authors: Congratulations on the good work! As stated, alcohol consumption is an independent risk factor for cancer development as well as the promotion of metastatic disease, a major cause of morbidity and mortality in cancer patients. Understanding the role of EVs in organ-organ communication networks will likely contribute to the development of future opportunities to combat cancer metastasis. The paper was organized in an easy-to-follow manner and the figures were easy to read. The review could be accepted at this form. Best regards.