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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This paper will be worth publication. There is some mistyping which should be corrected carefully. page 5, line6: expensive should be extensive. page 7, line6: 9 mm should be 9 cm. page 9, line3: ARIDD1a should be ARID1A. page 10, line1: PTSEN should be PTEN. page 15, line1: koyama should be Komiyama. Tominagha should be Tominaga. page 20, line8: Shigetomy should be Shigetomi. In addition, following sentences should be modified as understandable. Page 8, last line "both endometrial lesions on the ovarian tissue." This sentence may be "both endometrial and ovarian tissue." Page 9, following sentence can be omitted, "Romero and Bast Mutation of p53."

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I- Regarding historical background ; I think you should mention the following authors who described the risk of ovarian cancer in endometriotic tissues: In 1925, Sampson [1] first described malignant changes in endometriosis and proposed the following criteria for diagnosing the carcinomatous development in endometriosis: (i) coexistence of carcinoma and endometriosis within the same ovary, (ii) a similar histological pattern and (iii) exclusion of a second malignant tumor elsewhere. Later, in 1953, Scott [2] postulated that in addition to the criteria by Sampson, morphological changes demonstrated by benign endometriosis that are contiguous with malignant tissue is a prerequisite for adjudication of a malignancy originating from endometriosis 1. Sampson JA. Endometrial carcinoma of the ovary arising in endometrial tissue in that organ. Arch Surg.1925;10:1-72. 2. Scott RB. Malignant changes in endometriosis. Obstet Gynecol. 1953;2:283-289. II-A summary of more recent cohort studies showed a standardized incidence ratio around 2[13].Please add %. III-. "In addition, protection against both diseases can be reached by tubal ligation, hysterectomy and progesterone treatment[33]." I think these factors cause decrease in incidence of ovarian cancer rather than "protection" III- "The findings showing that the basal is has app. five times". Please, use do not use abbreviations of text. IV- "At the same time, stem cell transformation can be underlying cause of ovarian cancer (Bapat et al. [40], for review see Duke and Taylor[41])". You mentioned the name of the author then the reference number, please use one of them only. V-In Conclusion: You mentioned that : "Despite the fact that the links between endometriosis and ovarian cancer appear to



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be clear, we have to keep in mind that having endometriosis might be less risky than undergoing in vitro fertilization, which can increase the risk of ovarian cancer three times[64]". Which is not coordinate with what you mentioned before : "Some studies found that the risk is increased up to 8-fold[17]"



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You have written a succinct and easy to understand review of the current research on endometriosis and ovarian cancer. Well done!