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ACADEMIC CONTENT EVALUATION	LANGUAGE QUALITY EVALUATION	CONCLUSION
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Revision
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejected	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Poor		

JOURNAL EDITOR-IN-CHIEF (ASSOCIATE EDITOR) COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is concise, well written paper describing a modified surgical methodology for ilio-inguinal lymph node dissection. This editor-in-chief generally agrees with the comments from the two reviewers, but still would like to suggest a few revisions as listed below. 1) Merge the primary and secondary subtitles, “OPERATIVE TECHNIQUE” and “Modified skin bridge technique”, into one subtitle “OPERATIVE TECHNIQUE OF MODIFIED SKIN BRIDGE” . 2) Use the past tense of the verbs in all sentences in the above-mentioned section. 3) Create a new section subtitled as “RESULTS” or “OUTCOMES” , taking the first paragraph of DISCUSSION section and the later part of the above--mentioned section as the contents. 4) In the DISCUSSION section, indicate what are the differences between the earlier [ref 2] and your recent modified “skin bridge techniques” for ilio-inguinal lymph node dissection, and what are the limitations or potential drawbacks of your new technique.