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Reviewer A

The meta-analysis presented by Liu and colleague is complete and clear. The authors reported clearly the methods and the results. I have no other comments, in my opinion the manuscript can accepted as it for publication.

We thank Reviewer A for their review and comments.

Reviewer B

I was glad to review the work of the authors regarding this very interesting systematic review of Treatment Modalities to Manage Hepatocellular Carcinoma Patients with Portal Vein Thrombus. The manuscript is well-written and the incorporated tables and figures make the study easy to follow.

I strongly recommend acceptance for publication of the paper after minor changes.

1) I would suggest a brief discussion on Surgical management in hepatocellular carcinoma with portal vein tumour thrombosis

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We have added the following to the Discussion: “It is also worth mentioning that novel surgical techniques in liver resection may also prove to be promising in this setting [29].”

We thank Reviewer B for their review and comments.