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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

A good case for reporting as it is about young neonate, prenatal diagnosis, acute presentation, low weight, challenge to manage, difficult approach laparoscopic versus open. Even though the case is important, the manuscript needs to be rewritten with better grammar, concise description of the operative part, sequencing of information needs to be changed in the body, the histopathology is mentioned before the operative/treatment part. The CBD is mentioned as a common and rare entity in the same paragraph. Conclusions about this being the largest cyst needs clarification that at 28 days it is largest as even larger cyst has been reported earlier (16cm in 4 months baby). A mention about the delay in surgery and implications on the liver fibrosis needs appropriate mention. T-Tube cholangiogram is mentioned as angiogram, ligament of Treitz as Trevelis, al needs to be changed. This paper brings out the difficulty which a surgeon encounters while operating in an acute setting with a large CBD with previous cholangitis, which makes laparoscopic approach dangerous so a suggestion that open approach might be safer in these subset of patients.
RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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Good job of editing has been done, and conveys a message regarding the management of CBD in the neonatal period.