



**SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1**

**PART 1:**

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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Ophthalmology Research: An international Journal</a>       |
| Manuscript Number:       | <b>2013_OR_4789</b>                                                    |
| Title of the Manuscript: | <b>What is the normative size of the blind spot scotoma in adults?</b> |

**PART 2:**

| <b>FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Authors' response to final evaluator's comments</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. To clarify whether glaucoma is one of the causes of blind spot enlargement (line 30). Normally glaucoma cause glaucomatous visual field defect such as paracentral scotoma, arcuate scotoma, annular scotoma, nasal step, temporal wedge defect, and generalized constriction often with residual island.</li><li>2. Technical error: CSF (line 35), I2e in Table 1 (perimeter target)</li><li>3. Suggest changing the word <b>greater</b> to <b>better</b> for visual acuity measure (line 194 and line 200).</li><li>4. Missing CASP point score for Dolderer (2006) in Table 2</li><li>5. Sequence list of authors (Table 1, Table 2 and Table 3), suggest to list the authors follow the sequence based on the years of publication (start from 1931 to 2006).</li></ol> | <p><b>Yes, blind spot enlargement in Glaucoma has been documented in the literature</b><br/>(3 )Hart, WM. Becker, B. The onset and evolution of glaucomatous visual field defects. <i>Ophthalmology</i>. 1982; 89: 268-79.<br/>(4) Reed, H. Drance, SM. The essentials of Perimetry. Static and Kinetic. Oxford University Press. Oxford. 1972.<br/><b>Also highlighted on the ORBIS web site:</b><br/><a href="http://www.cybersight.org/bins/content_page.asp?cid=1-2897-3816-3819">http://www.cybersight.org/bins/content_page.asp?cid=1-2897-3816-3819</a>)</p> <p><b>These have now been changed. (line 36 &amp; table 1)</b></p> <p><b>Changed line 231 &amp; 237</b></p> <p><b>Score added table two</b></p> <p><b>Tables adjusted to follow publication time line.</b></p> |