

Dear Lian-Sheng Ma,  
Company Editor-in-Chief  
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Thank you for giving us an opportunity to submit a revised draft of the manuscript titled “Renal transplantation in gigantism-A case report and review of the literature” to the *World Journal of Transplantation*. We appreciate your efforts and are grateful to your team. We have incorporated the changes to reflect the comments provided by the reviewers and the Science Editor.

Comments from Reviewer

**“the authors describe a very rare case in a well-structured and detailed way including the published knowledge. The main concern in this patient during the follow-up period would be monitoring renal function for hyperfiltration”**

Response: Thank you for pointing this out. We have mentioned this concern in paragraph 5 of discussion

“Although it has been reported that transplanting small kidneys in to large recipients (donor kidney weight/ recipient body weight <2g/kg) causes hyperfiltration and results in decreased creatinine clearance and proteinuria 6-months after transplantation (11), in our patient, the single kidney graft has proved sufficient enough to keep him off renal replacement therapy and with normal serum creatinine levels as noted at 1-year post-transplant, and without proteinuria. Additionally, the second kidney from the same deceased donor was eventually implanted to a different recipient in our centre who benefited from an equally good graft function”

Comments from the Science Editor

**1. Issues raised: (1) The title is too long, and it should be no more than 18 words; (2) The “Author Contributions” section is missing. Please provide the author contributions; (3) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide the original figure documents.**

Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor; (4) PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout; and (5) The “Case Presentation” section was not written according to the Guidelines for Manuscript Preparation. Please re-write the “Case Presentation” section, and add the “FINAL DIAGNOSIS”, “TREATMENT”, and “OUTCOME AND FOLLOW-UP” sections to the main text, according to the Guidelines and Requirements for Manuscript Revision.

**Author responses:**

1. The title is 12 words long. We hope that this is satisfactory.

2. Author contributions have been added

**Author contributions:**

JPG, SC, and JX wrote the manuscript, JPG revised the manuscript, VEP performed the transplant, FJMFD organized the pre-transplant work up, VEP and FJMFD made critical corrections to the manuscript, all the authors reviewed and approved the final version.

3. Original figure documents have been provided and prepared as per the editor’s request.

4. PMID and DOI for the references have been provided. All of the authors have been listed.

5. This is case report focusses on the unique challenges related to the intra-operative decision making process. We presented the paper in a way that reflects this specific issue and we hope that the Editor would kindly consider this acceptable.

We are most grateful for your kind consideration and we are looking forward to having your comments.

Kind Regards,

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