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### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The paper "Radiologic features of Castleman's disease involving the renal sinus: A case report and review of the literature" should be published in journal, after minor corrections with the editor.



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Guo et al. described a rare case of a plasma cell type of Castleman's disease involving only the right renal sinus. Although this disease is rare, clinicians should try to diagnose it preoperatively by imaging features. Therefore, this manuscript is important.

However, some concerns have been raised. 1) The authors mainly demonstrated the imaging examination to differentiate the plasma cell type of Castleman's disease from malignant lymphoma. However, because the lesion was suspected to be a malignant renal pelvic carcinoma, right radical nephrectomy was performed to the patient in this case. These facts suggests that the preoperative qualitative diagnosis is difficult. Therefore, the authors should indicate the imaging features of malignant renal pelvic carcinoma which are different from Castleman's disease. 2) There are some mistakes in this manuscript. For examples, according to Table 1, it seems that five patients underwent MRI scans (References; 3-6). However, the authors indicated that "Four of these patients underwent MRI scans [4-6]." in 1st paragraph of page 5. In addition, E is shown in Figure 1 of Figure legends. However, D is correct and E is incorrect. The authors should revise the mistakes adequately. 3) The authors indicated the findings of MRI such as hypointense on T2WI and hyperintense on DWI are characteristics to distinguish plasma cell type of Castleman's disease from other renal sinus lesions. When the authors show the findings of MRI of representative differential diagnosis (for example, renal pelvic carcinoma and malignant lymphoma), it will be much easier for the readers to understand this manuscript. 4) The authors indicated that hydronephrosis is caused in the case that Nagahama reported (Reference 5 in Table 1). Therefore, the authors should add "Yes" in the blank column of hydronephrosis. 5) It is important whether the MRI imaging findings are associated with histological subtypes of Castleman's disease. Therefore, the authors should add the information in Table 1.

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This is an interesting clinical case report by Guo et al. They clearly describe the case and discussed with other similar cases of previously reported Castleman's disease with renal sinus involvement. The case is well presented, with appropriate references, adequate



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figures and a interesting discussion, highlighting the key points concisely clearly and logically. I consider it meritorious to be published.

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