TITLE:

I. RECOMMENDATION
1. Approved for printing
   yes/no

2. Approved with minor comments
   yes/no

3. Approved after incorporating amendments
   yes/no

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   yes/no

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II. REVIEWS REPORT

8. Is the subject an important one?  
   yes/no

9. Does the article possess scientific/practical/educational value?  
   yes/no

Title

10. Is the title consistent with the problem actually presented?  
    yes/no

11. Does the title reflect the main message of the study?  
    yes/no

Abstract

12. Is the abstract presented in structured form?  
    yes/no

13. Does the abstract give an adequate picture of the entire article?  
    yes/no

Introduction

14. Is the background of the study made clear and helpful to readers unfamiliar with the subject?  
    yes/no

15. Is the purpose of the article clearly stated?  
    yes/no

Case Report

16. Is the case clearly presented?  
    yes/no
17. Does the case add any novel findings to current knowledge?
   yes/no

**Material and Methods**

18. Is the research design appropriate and the methods clearly explained?
   yes/no

19. Are the criteria for selecting the sample clearly explained and justified?
   yes/no

20. Are the essential characteristics of the sample adequately described?
   yes/no

21. Is the sample size adequate and representative?
   yes/no

22. Have the data been collected in a systematic and comprehensive manner?
   yes/no

23. Is the statistical methodology appropriate?
   yes/no

24. Are there any ethical concerns about this study?
   yes/no

**Results**

25. Is the analysis of the data systematic?
   yes/no

26. Are the results credible?
   yes/no

27. Are the results important?
   yes/no
Discussion

28. Is the interpretation of the results clearly presented and adequately supported by the evidence adduced?
   yes/no

Conclusions

29. Are the conclusions logically valid and justified by the evidence adduced?
   yes/no

Graphics

30. Are all the figures and tables adequate and necessary?
   yes/no

References

31. Are the references up-to-date?
   yes/no

32. Have the most important previous studies been cited?
   yes/no