Reviewer’s report

**Title:** An unusual case of STEMI: bare metal stent fracture in native coronary artery.

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**Reviewer:** Yasuhiko Iwasaki

Which of the following best describes what type of case report this is?: An unexpected event in the course of observing or treating a patient

Has the case been reported coherently?: Yes

Is the case report authentic?: Yes

Is the case report ethical?: Yes

Is there any missing information that you think must be added before publication?: No

Is this case worth reporting?: Yes

Is the case report persuasive?: Yes

Does the case report have explanatory value?: Yes

Does the case report have diagnostic value?: Yes

Will the case report make a difference to clinical practice?: Yes

Is the anonymity of the patient protected?: Yes

**Comments to authors:**

Overall, this paper describes a very interesting and important feature for cardiovascular treatment. The referee is then able to accept this manuscript for publication in JMCR.

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable