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Dear Editor:

We are enclosing herewith the manuscript of a paper. The manuscript consists of 12 pages of text including 4 figures. We would be grateful if the manuscript could be reviewed and considered for publication in the “Journal of Medical Case Reports”.

Lumbar giant schwannoma in cauda equina is a rare pathology, and the treatment strategy, including the use of surgical procedures, for this condition is controversial. We herein a case of giant schwannoma with extensive scalloping of the lumbar vertebral body in which a good outcome was achieved following one-stage posterior surgery.

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Respectfully yours,

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