**Reviewer’s report**

**Title:** Rapid decline of renal function in patients with type 2 diabetes with heavy proteinuria: A Report of Three Cases

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**Reviewer:** Robert C. Stanton

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The manuscript by Lim et al reports 3 cases of rapid decline in GFR in diabetic patients. As such I have no particular comments on the cases or the discussion. Other than some improvement in word usage I have no suggestions. The main observations are that heavy proteinuria as well as increased blood pressure and uncontrolled diabetes can lead to very rapid decline in GFR. These reports are interesting but rapid decline in GFR due to these causes is reasonably well known to nephrologists. I think this would be more useful to be in a different journal to make general internists aware of the possibility of rapid decline in GFR.

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