



Figure S1 A brief procedure for ligature. After the fascia of Gerota was incised longitudinally close to the dorsal side, the adipose capsule of the kidney was separated from the lower, upper, and anterior surfaces near the hilum. The lymphatic vessels and adipose tissue from the upper ureter approximately 4 cm to around the renal pelvis were dissected and ligated (①). And then the lymphatic vessels surrounding the renal vessels (renal artery and vein) were isolated and ligated (②). The original figure was created using figdraw (www.figdraw.com) (permission ID: RRTSOaacb).