



SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

PART 1:

Journal Name:	Advances in Research
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AIR_31538
Title of the Manuscript:	GEOPHYSICAL AND GEOTECHNICAL EVALUATION OF AN EROSION SITE IN EBEM-OHAFIA AREA OF ABIA STATE, SOUTHERN NIGERIA.
Type of Article:	SHORT RESEARCH ARTICLES

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
<p>a) The abstract is better now (apply justification to the text)</p> <p>b) Make the introduction into three paragraphs</p> <p>c) Bring the study area under materials and methods. Your sub-titles under materials and methods should follow as;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Location and Physiology of the Study area (lines 69 to 85 should fall under this sub-title) - Geological Settings (lines 87 to 94 should fall under this sub-title) - Geophysical Investigation (lines 97 to 118 should be deleted or send to introduction) - Geotechnical Investigation (here, remove the sub-sub-titles of lines 159 and 178. Delete entire lines 187 to 232, they are just literature) <p>d) For me, I think line 351 should be deleted and cut the lines 352 to 398 and paste them under the Table 1: A summary of the VES interpretation results</p> <p>N/B- apply justification to all texts</p>	<p>a) The abstract has been justified.</p> <p>b) The introduction has now been arranged into three paragraphs: lines 25 to 46, 47 to 66, and 67 to 88.</p> <p>c) The study area has now been under materials and methods with the following sub-titles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Location and Physiography of the Study area (lines 91 to 109) - Geological Settings (lines 111 to 118) - Geophysical Investigation: The contents have been sent to introduction (lines 67 to 88) - Geotechnical Investigation: The sub-sub-titles have been deleted (lines 161 and 184). While the literature aspect deleted. <p>d) Since one of the reviewers insisted that a link should be made between geophysical and geotechnical techniques in the study. Therefore, the sub-heading "INTEGRATED EVALUATION OF THE EROSION SITES" is the only link between geophysical and geotechnical evaluation of the erosion site; so should likely remain as a sub-heading.</p> <p>All texts have been justified.</p>