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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments	Women undoubtedly are inevitable drivers for development in African in particular and the world at large. With the current research focus on sustainable development in all its forms, identifying the challenges facing women empowerment and prescribing a way forward is of the essence, thereby, justifying the need for increased research in this area. The author's sphere of focus is topical and interesting. The issues to an extent has been well articulated by the author. The methodology adopted is appropriate for the study and has been consistently and systematically applied to have arrived at the conclusion. The analysis of the data is robust and appropriately done. The language is clear and unambiguous. Above all, to the best of my alertness, no ethical issues identified.	
Minor REVISION comments	However, they are some minor issues which I recommend the author to address. The author has not clearly brought out the characteristics of rural women and their role in the communities concerned. Even though the author has brought out clearly in the analysis the challenges facing rural women empowerment in the New Valley Governorate, the author has not adequately recommended an action plan to improve upon the situation. The author should clearly and specifically recommend what should be done to enhance rural women empowerment in the New Valley Governorate in Egypt.	
Optional/General comments		

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