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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">American Journal of Experimental Agriculture</a>                                                                                                          |
| Manuscript Number:       | <b>Ms_AJEA_23004</b>                                                                                                                                                  |
| Title of the Manuscript: | <b>THE DIVERSITY OF GREEN BEAN BIOCHEMICAL COMPOUNDS IN ROBUSTA COFFEE (<i>Coffea canephora</i> Pierre ex A. Froehner) AS EVALUATED BY NEAR INFRARED SPECTROSCOPY</b> |
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**PART 1: Review Comments**

|                                            | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>Author's comment</b> (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) |
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| <b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments      | <p>The manuscript is well structured with its objectives well achieved. The discussion is well presented and consistent with the introduction and materials and methods. The following are some corrections to done:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. It's better to use "absolute values" in the "results section of the abstract" rather than just stating that: "... had higher concentrations ...."</li> <li>2. Write "NIRS" in full in the first paragraph in the "Introduction section" as you have done with "HPLC"</li> <li>3. Insert "error bars" in Figures 1, 2 and 5.</li> <li>4. Check the spacing between "districts," and "fifty" in first line of section 2.2</li> <li>5. Referencing in the text: The numbers should be separated by "commas" e.g, [5, 11] or [8, 9, 11, 12]</li> </ol> |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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