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PART 1:

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Environment & Ecology
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PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
1. I don't understand where the error bars come from in the Figures. How can there be error bars when the categories are definitive – each sample can only belong to one category? 2. You need to state in the paper that all the respondents were men. 3. The questionnaire was not attached so I cannot evaluate its suitability to the paper's objectives. 4. You need to state what it means if the respondents are 'educated' and 'not educated' 5. I don't understand the difference between Figure 4 and Table 2, since 2 of the categories are the same. Please make it clear in the manuscript why they are different, and what it means. 6. The manuscript would be much improved with better English because the message is often hard to decipher.	1. The error bars has been removed it each sample is related to only one sample. 2. Stated in Line 79. 3. It was attached in first review response and is also attached with 2nd response please check. 4. Stated in line 101. 102. 5. Figure 4 only shows percentage while the table 2 shows percentage along with the frequency and rate of deforestation. 6. The article has been checked for plagiarism and grammar corrections in Indonesia and was corrected according to the software highlights if there is still any grammar mistakes kindly highlight.