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**PART 1:**

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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Current Journal of Applied Science and Technology</a>                                                                                          |
| Manuscript Number:       | <b>Ms_CJAST_36814</b>                                                                                                                                      |
| Title of the Manuscript: | <b>Field Evaluation of Arbuscular Mycorrhizal Fungal Formulations on Production Performance of Potato (<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> L.) cv. Kufri Sindhuri</b> |
| Type of Article:         | <b>Original Research Article</b>                                                                                                                           |

**PART 2:**

| <b>FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Authors' response to final evaluator's comments</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| <p>There is some improvement on the manuscript but still it has failed in two fundamental areas;</p> <p>1. The study has no objectives – We cannot have a study with no objectives</p> <p>2. The author has explained the importance of mycorrhizae and there is no debate that mycorrhizae is important, however the author has failed to tell us the problem the study is trying to solve. There is no statement on the problem.</p> <p>This are fundamental issues that need to be addressed.</p> | <p>1. The objectives of the study is to investigate the effect of various mycorrhizae-based products on the growth, yield and yield components of potato as well as to find out the preferential association between the arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi and potato with respect to various parameters under investigation, which was mentioned in the introduction part.</p> <p>2. This issue was considered and accordingly revisions were made.</p> |

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