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Journal Name:	<a href="#">European Journal of Medicinal Plants</a>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_EJMP_26107</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Screening of fifteen mangrove plants found in Sri Lanka for in-vitro cytotoxic properties in breast (MCF-7) and hepatocellular carcinoma (HepG2) cells.</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> <i>(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)</i>
<b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments	<p>There are some important points that the author should add such as:</p> <p>1) positive control that have been used in cytotoxic activity</p> <p>2) IC<sub>50</sub> values for positive control for each cells.</p> <p>Explain why the author chooses only 48 hours incubation?</p> <p>The reference also is out dated. Only 9 out of 69 references are up to date.</p>	<p><b>Paclitaxel used as the positive control</b></p> <p><b>IC<sub>50</sub> values of the positive control were included in the table 2</b></p> <p><b>We tested cytotoxic effects of all extracts at 24h and 48h post incubations. Now it has been discussed in the discussion (rows: 163-174) And in the results section (row- 125)</b></p> <p><b>Most of the old references used to make table one including traditional uses and bio activities of mangrove plants. However now we have included few new references (67-69)</b></p>
<b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments		
<b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments		