



**SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1**

**PART 1:**

Journal Name:	<a href="#"><u>International Journal of Plant &amp; Soil Science</u></a>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_IJPSS_29016</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Effect of Urine Sources on Some Soil Health indicators, Maize yield and Its Heavy Metals Uptake in Abakaliki, Southeastern Nigeria</b>
Type of Article:	

**PART 2:**

<b>FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)</b>	<b>Authors' response to final evaluator's comments</b>
My advice to the author is that to avoid being penalised in the nearest future when the paper will be accessed by external assessor, he should compared the first and second trials and merged them together as a paper. This will make it different from the first published paper in IJAAR. I quite appreciate the work of the author, but under normal circumstances publishing 2 papers with the same methodology in a different journal is not accepted in any part of the world. (i.e is plagiarism).	I appreciate critical observation and advice of the reviewer. I have completely modified the methodology to be different from first publication in IJAAR Since merging the results of the two studies is not possible. This is because the parameters investigated in the two studies are different and to not agree to some extent. The modifications in this final revised paper are highlighted in yellow in addition to former modifications.