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**PART 1:**

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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Journal of Experimental Agriculture International</a>                                                |
| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_JEAI_45047                                                                                                    |
| Title of the Manuscript: | IN VITRO ANTIOXIDANT POTENCY AND ANTIFUNGAL EFFICIENCY OF FOUR LOCAL TERMINALIA SPECIES AGAINST FUSARIUM STRAINS |
| Type of Article:         | Original Research Article                                                                                        |

**PART 2:**

| FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Authors' response to final evaluator's comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| <p>Comment RVW 18: Authors should note that requesting for the details was to avoid making a wrong call on the research design and experimentation. The details are not expected to be fully written in the manuscript.</p> <p>Comment RVW21: Was there a comparison in the phytochemical abundance of the extracts prior and post heating to arrive at the conclusion of residual activity?</p> | <p>Comment RVW18: Well noted</p> <p>Comment RVW21: There wasn't a comparison in the phytochemical abundance of the extracts prior and post heating but it's known that high temperatures could degrade structures of secondary metabolites. It for this reason we talked about residual activity if we suppose that some actives compounds have been degraded.</p> |