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**PART 2:**

<b>FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)</b>	<b>Authors' response to final evaluator's comments</b>
<p><b>Introduction</b>  <b>Page 1 Line 1:</b> ..... purposes through manmade systems..... should read ..... purposes through <b>man-made</b> systems.....</p> <p><b>METHODOLOGY</b>  <b>Sample</b>  <b>Pre-treatment of Samples for analysis of metals in Vegetable Samples.</b>  <b>Determination of Heavy Metals.</b>            Author(s) need to report the work that they have done and not what they propose to do in this section. The technique for sampling is equally expected to be adequately reported.            Unless the author(s) report what they have done in clear terms, this manuscript remains a mere proposal.</p> <p><b>Results and Discussion</b>            Author(s) should include the units in which their concentrations of heavy metals were measured. They should also supply the WHO/FAO maximum permissible values of heavy metals with which they compared their results in order to validate their assertions.</p>	<p>The suggestions in the first review were apt, hence followed and implemented.</p>