

## Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	<a href="#">International Journal of Plant &amp; Soil Science</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJPSS_91054
Title of the Manuscript:	Genetic Variation among Varieties, Wild Species and Related Genera of Arecanut (Areca catechu L.) as Revealed by Microsatellite Markers
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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