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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	This manuscript has been well written and carried out statistical analysis for the land use change trends over the period of 1985-2019. Data utilised for the study is absolutely based on the published secondary data, and it has no spatial pattern of the land use changes in the state. Data incorporated in the study is pertaining to the land use / land cover categories (LULC) for more than 3 decades. It is recommended that the authors must include the temporal trend graph of each LULC category.	
Minor REVISION comments	Title of the manuscript may be suitably changed as " Land Use / Land Cover Changes in the Kerala State, India-A Temporal Analysis " Instead of " Land Use Pattern in Kerala-A Temporal Analysis "	
Optional/General comments	The spatial pattern is not shown anywhere in the manuscript. If the author is interested in keeping the same title, the decadal pattern of LULC must be shown in the map based on the decadal satellite data. It is recommended that Multispectral satellite data be required to be used for the decadal analysis of the spatial pattern and changes of the LULC in the state.	

PART 2:

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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