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| Journal Name:            | Asian Journal of Environment & Ecology   |
| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_AJEE_92592  |
| Title of the Manuscript: | DISTRIBUTION AND HUMAN HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT OF HEAVY METALS IN TISSUES OF CALLINECTES SAPIDUS FROM IKO RIVER, AKWA IBOM STATE, NIGERIA |
| Type of the Article      | Original Research Article  |

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