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Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_JGEESI_98476</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Quantifying the Environmental Impact of Standard Gauge Railway (SGR) on Land Cover Changes along the Nairobi-Kiambu Corridor: A Geospatial and Field-Based Investigation</b>
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