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Journal Name:	<b>European Journal of Medicinal Plants</b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_EJMP_101391</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Chrysophyllum albidum Collected in Nsukka, South-east Nigeria: Phytochemical Screening and Antibacterial Activity</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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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)
<p><b>Compulsory REVISION</b> comments</p> <p>1. <b>Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. <b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. <b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b></p> <p>4. <b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></p> <p>5. <b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b></p> <p>6. <b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b></p> <p><b>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</b></p>	<p>1. <b>Yes, It is important for scientific community</b> <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i> is widely used by African people for the treatment of various types of diseases empirically. Its benefits as a medicine for urinary tract diseases, skin diseases and diarrhea are the background for the importance of phytochemical screening and its activity as an antibacterial.</p> <p>2. <b>The alternative title:</b> Phytochemical Screening and Antibacterial Activity of Collected <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i> in Nsukka, South East Nigeria.</p> <p>3. <b>Yes, it is,</b> but It would be better if background comes before aims. However, it is also necessary to adjust the template that has been set.</p> <p>4. <b>Yes, the subsections and structure of manuscript are appropriate</b></p> <p>5. <b>Yes, the manuscript is scientifically correct.</b></p> <p>6. Some additional reference can use:            a. Emudainohwo, J. O. T., Erhirhie, E. O., Moke, E. G., &amp; Edje, K. E. (2015). A comprehensive review on ethno-medicine, phytochemistry and ethnopharmacology of <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i>. <i>Journal of Advances in Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences</i>, 3(4), 147-154.            b. GEORGE, O. A., ADENIPEKUN, E. O., FASOGBON, S. A., &amp; OPARANOZIE, J. A. (2018). Antimicrobial activities of <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i> leaves, fruits and seeds. <i>American Journal of Biomedical Sciences</i>, 10(1).</p> <p>7. In discussing the phytochemical content of <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i>, it is necessary to add the role of a number of compounds found in supporting antibacterial activity. It can also be added to a number of previous studies related to the antibacterial activity of <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i></p>	
<p><b>Minor REVISION</b> comments</p> <p>1. <b>Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></p>	<p><b>Yes, It is</b></p>	
<p><b>Optional/General</b> comments</p>	<p>The manuscript is important for scientific community to enrich references about the phytochemical content and antibacterial activity of <i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i>. Title needs to be corrected. The abstract is comprehensive but It would be better if background comes before aims. However, it is also necessary to adjust the template that has been set. The subsections and structure of manuscript is appropriate and scientifically correct. This needs to be added some references and discussion.</p>	

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