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| Journal Name: | South Asian Journal of Social Studies and Economics |
| Manuscript Number: | Ms_SAJSSSE_115898 |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Government expenditure and economic growth: does corruption and democracy matter? |
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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) |
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| <p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p> | <p>1. Yes, because corruption in democracy is the bane of most economies and has bedeviled the inherent possibilities of growth and development in democracy of most nations, especially in developing economies.</p> <p>2. Yes, the title is suitable.</p> <p>3. The abstract is adequate and comprehensive.</p> <p>4. Yes, the subsections are well structured to cover vital elements of research.</p> <p>Yes, please.</p> <p>Yes, the references are sufficient for the research.</p> | |
| <p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p> | <p>Very suitable for scholarly communication.</p> | |
| <p>Optional/General comments</p> | <p>The article is well and logically presented.</p> | |

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