

## Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Language, Literature and Culture Studies
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJL2C_106166
Title of the Manuscript:	Using Sentence Translation to assess Bilinguality of Bhutanese ESL Learners
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

### 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</b> REVISION 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-Yes, the influence of the mother tongue on the second language acquisition has always been of interest, particularly now when the whole world might be considered bilingual or multilingual</p> <p>2-Yes, the title reflects the content of the study</p> <p>3-Yes</p> <p>4-Yes, the article is well-structured and contains all the necessary sections for a research paper.</p> <p>5-Partially</p> <p>6-No</p>	
<p><b>Minor</b> REVISION comments</p> <p>1. <b>Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></p>	<p>Yes, the manuscript is well written and the language used is appropriate for an academic research paper.</p>	
<p><b>Optional/General</b> comments</p>	<p>1- The main drawback of this study is the literature which is really old. Because of that the author/s have failed to take into account the latest development in the field of multilingual acquisition and how it has challenged some of the existing approaches accepted so far in bilingualism and second language acquisition. The study by Ferreira which the present study replicates is published in 2003.</p> <p>2- The references are not presented according to APA style. Some of them lack the necessary information such as the year of publication, page number, publishing house and place of publication. Most of the studies cited in the literature review section are old.</p>	

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

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