

## Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Environment & Ecology
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Title of the Manuscript:	Molecular assessment of dominant genus in heavy metal contaminated dumpsite in selected dumpsite in Port Harcourt, Nigeria
Type of the 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 REVISION</b> 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>Yes</p> <p>The study is unique and conducted to characterize the dominant bacterial isolates retrieved from specific dump sites in Port Harcourt using a molecular approach.</p> <p>Two times use of dumpsite in the title may be avoided. Molecular assessment of dominant genus in heavy metal contaminated in selected dumpsite in Port Harcourt, Nigeria</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Figure 3 is not clear. Give serial numbers of discussion and conclusion.</p>	
<p><b>Minor REVISION</b> comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	Yes	
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