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Journal Name:	International Journal of Environment and Climate Change
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJECC_112404
Title of the Manuscript:	ECOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT OF RESTORED ROCK PHOSPHATE MINE SPOILS IN THE MALDEVTA AREA OF GARHWAL HIMALAYAS
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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>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>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p>	<p>1. Yes. Shrinking of the cryosphere, land use change, vegetation change and loss of biodiversity have adversely affected the ecosystem services of the region. So, it is important to study climate change which is impacting the Himalayas.</p> <p>2. Yes.</p> <p>3. Yes.</p> <p>4. Yes. Should include limitations of the study.</p> <p>5. Yes.</p> <p>6. Yes.</p>	
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