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Journal Name:	Journal of Geography, Environment and Earth Science International
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PART 1: Review Comments

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