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**PART 1:**

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| Journal Name: | Asian Journal of Agricultural Extension, Economics & Sociology |
| Manuscript Number: | **2012_AJAEES_2869** |
| Title of the Manuscript: | **Leadership Effectiveness among Farmers' Self-Help Groups in Central Agricultural Zone of Delta State, Nigeria and its Implication for Agricultural Extension Service** |

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**PART 2: 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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| **Compulsory** REVISION comments | **The methodology should be corrected to reflect Pearson correlation and not Spearman.**<br><br>**Merits and demerits of the proposed** multiple linkage theory **should be briefly discusses**<br>**Measures of group performance discussed in line 63-65 should be supported with literature for journals . In fact the authors can further enrich the paper by looking at journal on agricultural/microcredit groups' performance using the internet. Am sure they are more than enough. the practice of using mainly textbooks do not improve the rating of the paper**<br><br>**The recommendations should indicate what types/aspects of training for the leaders to improve their effectiveness eg proper awareness of the their functions, how to motivate their group members, how to increase satisfaction of group members so that interests and meeting attendance can be sustained; and the possible desirable results of such training**<br>**Who should organise the training eg the regulating body of the groups, Governments, NGOs**<br><br>**Also the paper needs editorial work to improve its readability** | These were accepted and the corrections effected. |

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| **Minor** REVISION comments | **The title can be: Leadership Effectiveness among Farmers' Self-Help Groups in Delta State, Nigeria and Implication for Improved Agricultural Extension Services** | |
| **Optional/General** comments | It is a fair attempt but needs improvements | |