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Subject: Re: Request for final decision for manuscript number 2012_AJEA_2914

In the revised manuscript entitled " EVIDENCE OF IMPROVING YIELD AND MORPHOLOGICAL ATTRIBUTES VIA HALF-SIB FAMILY RECURRENT SELECTION IN MAIZE" the authors tried to address all of the comments and suggestions raised by the reviewers. However, one important issue must be resolved. The authors did not follow the numbering style properly while citing the references. For instance, they started with reference# [40] which was supposed to start with [1]. Please use this pattern and rearrange all of the references both in text and list of references. Reference styles must be consistent and as per guidelines. Unfortunately the authors missed to follow the guidelines for all references. For example. South Afric. J. Plant and Soil should be replaced by " South Afri. J. Plant Soil". Again, 'J. Plant Breeding and Crop Scie'. Should be replaced by " J. Plant Breed. Crop Sci." .. and many more. Please check carefully.

After suggested correction this manuscript may be accepted as a full length research article.

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