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PART 1:

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PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors’ response to final evaluator’s comments
I noticed that the authors did not correct some of the wrong sentences. The wrong sentences are written in blue and they should all be corrected according to their new versions in red. I could not understand why the authors still insist on the mistakes. I also corrected the heading of the article as “The Profitability Analysis and Perceived Constraints of Farmers in Pineapple Production in Edo State, Nigeria” because it sounds and looks better. Blue parts are to be deleted and red parts are the corrected versions.	We have effected all the comments and/or corrections mentioned by the Reviewer except for the following under Reviewer’s Revised Paper 2014-AJEA-13489 –ZO comments: 1. Lines 84, 88, 91 and 94: State was employed in the Article as a Noun to represent the study area, hence the use of the capital letter S as against small letter s for State 2. Lines 43 to 46: We quoted FAOSTAT, 2011 directly and as such we feel it is still okay as originally written 3. Lines 102 to 103: Five communities each were purposively selected sounds better than the suggested Reviewer’s version 4. Line 212: The Reviewer’s correction did not reflect what we intended to achieve and left it as originally written while reflecting the corrections in lines 210 and 211 5. Lines 400 to 402: The Reviewer’s comments did not adequately capture what we intended to achieve and because we agreed with the Reviewer that the sentence was too long, we decided to recast the sentence noting some of the Reviewers’ comments