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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	Clearly, the author made a serious effort to carry out a study that has scientific and technical grounding The use of the English language in reporting the study is weak, especially with the lack of proficiency in the use of punctuation marks. This weakness undermines the clarity of intended communication and meaning thereof. Line 12 – replace “onto” with “to”. Line 14 – replace “to judge” with “and how it affects”; replace “via the” with “and”. Line 17 – delete “of”; delete “ed” from “design”. Line 21 – start the sentence with “One hundred and eight” not “108”. Line 22 - insert “namely ;” after “systems”. Line 26 – replace “bi-weekly” with “every two weeks”. Line 32 – replace “p=0.05” with “p<0.05 or p>0.05” throughout the report. Line 37 – insert a full stop “.” before “thereby”; replace “thereby confirmation indication of” with “This finding indicates” replace “with” with “among”. Line 39 – clearly state the preferred alternative housing system. Line 40 – replace “confirming” with “indicate”.	Done Done Done Done Done Done Done Done

Line 50 - delete "is an important aspect of general management that"; insert "as proper housing facilitates" after production"; delete "in order to get".	Done
Line 51 - replace "productivities" with "productivity".	Done
Line 52 - insert "of" after "level".	Done
Line 70 - insert a coma "," after "nesting".	Done
Line 81 - give some scientific meaning to "where issues on animal is still very unpopular" or delete it.	Deleted
Line 113 - replace semi-colon ";" with coma "," between " anticoagulant" and 'EDTA'.	Done
Line 119 - add "s" to "follow";.	Done
Line 144 - insert "content" after "crude protein"; replace "(CP %)" with "(%CP)"; delete "percentages".	Done
Line 145 - add "s" to "grower".	Done
Line 151 - replace "revealed" with "indicate".	Done
Line 157 - replace "revealed" with "observed".	Done
Line 160 - delete "enough to"; insert "for" after "suitable"; replace "assess" with "assessing"; replace "in terms of " with "under"; replace "although" with "since".	Done
Line 161 - delete "status".	Done
Line 162 - replace "in terms of " with "under"; replace "revealed with "showed".	Done
Line 165 - replace "mean to quantify" with "measure of".	Done
Line 194 - Author should maintain "P<0.05 or P>0.05" throughout the report.	Done
Line 205 - insert "significantly (P<0.05)" after "had"; add "s" to "concentration".	Done
Line 209 - replace "revealed" with "indicate".	Done
Line 241 - delete "For serum cortisol"; start the next sentence with "The"; insert "of serum cortisol" after "values".	Done



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	Line 250 – delete “our”; insert a fullstop “.” after “important”; delete “and the”; start the next sentence with “Housing, like other management specifications,” . Line 251 – delete “although”; replace “are” with “was”. Line 252 – insert a fullstop “.” after “strain”; delete “but”; start the next sentence with “However,”; delete “the” after “adopt”. Line 253 – delete “aviaries so as”.	Done Done Done Done
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	None	