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Type of the Article	Research Paper

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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments		
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<u>Optional/General</u> comments	The work is well written, original and methodology is appropriate. However, our main objection is the use of chitosan with absorbent to the waste treatment. We understand that chitosan is a noble substance that disables the application of the proposed process.	Chitosan is indeed a noble substance that has widely been used in medicine and for industrial purposes. Metal ions in water is however a menace especially at very low concentration. I believe there will be no limit to the quest for effective remediation.