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| Journal Name:            | <b><u>British Microbiology Research Journal</u></b>                                                                                                |
| Manuscript Number:       | <b>2013_BMRJ_6587</b>                                                                                                                              |
| Title of the Manuscript: | <b>Lipolytic Activity and Molecular Characterization of Pseudomonas aeruginosa and Lysinibacillus sphaericus from domestic oil rich wastewater</b> |
| Type of the Article      |                                                                                                                                                    |

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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) |
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| <b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments | <b>The manuscript must be reduced, particularly in the section Material and methods.</b>                                                                                                                                                               | The methodology must be comprehensive to be adopted for other researchers since the work is not a replica of any other work but a baseline work.                              |
| <b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments      | In section 2.1, are sure the Authors that only seven genera of bacteria were isolated?<br>Particularly, genera as Sphingobacterium is very frequent in wastewater.                                                                                     | During the course of the experimental and based on the biochemical and molecular identification carried out, seven genera of bacteria were isolated.                          |
| <b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments    | This study characterizes lipolytic bacteria recovered from oil-rich wastewater samples. Although the environmental use of these bacteria is well note, this work can be a point of start to shape a new policy of removal in particular area of world. | I agree with the reviewer's comment.                                                                                                                                          |