



## SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

### PART 1:

Journal Name:	<a href="#">European Journal of Medicinal Plants</a>
Manuscript Number:	2013_EJMP_6926
Title of the Manuscript:	Kaurenoic acid isolated from the root bark of <i>Annona senegalensis</i> induces cytotoxic and antiproliferative effects against PANC-1 and HeLa cells

### PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
As I pointed out previously, author should cite more references related to the cytotoxicity studies since there were already a lot of bioactivity studies of the kaurenoic acid. But author have not revised it satisfactorily, and not given suitable explanation. Second, in the cytotoxicity studies section (3.2), the values of $IC_{50}$ were too weak to be significant. In addition, there were a lot of similar studies and only MTT assay was performed in the present report. The compound identification is common and nothing new.	<b>Thank you so much for your valued comments.</b> <b>More references have now been added in the discussion section regarding the cytotoxicity studies of kaurenoic acid. The results of the <math>IC_{50}</math> showed that kaurenoic acid has activity which we stated in the aforesaid section.</b>