

Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	Biotechnology Journal International
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Title of the Manuscript:	EPIDEMIOLOGY OF EXTENDED SPECTRUM BETA-LACTAMASE (ESBL) PRODUCING Enterobacteriaceae OBTAINED FROM ANIMAL FECAL SAMPLES WITHIN OWERRI METROPOLIS
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PART 1: Review Comments

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