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Journal Name:	Asian Food Science Journal
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AFSJ_121356
Title of the Manuscript:	THE EFFECTS OF ADDITIONING TUNA MADIHANG BONE FISH TREATMENT ON THE GROWTH OF CATFISH (<i>Clariasgariepinus</i>) IN BIOFLOC POND IN TERNATE CITY NORTH MALUKU, INDONESIA
Type of the Article	Original research article

PART 1: Review Comments

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Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	The manuscript deals with the application of non- toxic, cost friendly organic substitutes in feeding of fishes under cultivation. On account of the increasing demand of catfishes for food and other commercial products, the idea of present research seems productive. Utilization of biofloc system also adds value to the research design. Overall, the manuscript has potential to contribute to scientific community as well as society.	Noted
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	THE TITLE APPEARS VAGUE AND COMPLEX. SOME MODIFICATION CAN BE DONE. SUCH AS- "THE EFFECTS OF SUPPLEMENTATION WITH TUNA MADIHANG BONE FISH ON THE GROWTH OF CATFISH (<i>Clariasgariepinus</i>) CULTURED IN BIOFLOC POND IN TERNATE CITY NORTH MALUKU, INDONESIA."	Noted
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