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Journal Name:	European Journal of Medicinal Plants
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Title of the Manuscript:	Adaptogenic botanicals with emphasis on Rhodiola rosea and Withania somnifera
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PART 1: Review Comments

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