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PART 1: Review Comments

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Minor REVISION comments 1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	The English writing should be revised.	
Optional/General	It is a very interesting manuscript about analysis of bioaccumulation of heavy metals in herbs. It is a high impact environmental topic leaded to discussion. It merits to be published as soon as possible. However, please consider the following observations and suggestions: i) in the abstract mention about sources of heavy metals; were they by fortification of soil samples? Or land under exposition of these metals? Add brief comments related. ii) in the introduction when it is mentioned the contamination, if it is applied add references; otherwise mention the needs in this important problem. iii) in the abstract and introduction consider to mention introduce techniques and methods applied in the detection and quantification. iv) Check English writing. v) consider to add in materials and methods the type of experimental design applied to choose samples and conditions. It seems to there is missing details to then reproduce the experiments. vi) There is missing details in the analytical methodology applied. Please add further description of procedures and references. vii) About results. The part focused on abundance of species is too short. Please consider to add more details related. viii) in the results about bioaccumulation of heavy metals should be showed some representative quantification. ix) about results and conclusions. In reference of the presence of high content of heavy metals; it should be added further discussion and conclusions related.	

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