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### **PART 1:** Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and
		highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<ul> <li>The manuscript is well structured</li> <li>However, It needs many improvements:</li> <li>The abbreviation Arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi (AMFs) is cited in the introduction part (it is unnecessary to use another abbreviation AM in the part 3.2)</li> <li>There are many sentences in th nanuscript very long → to simplify</li> <li>I highlighted in the manuscript "according to" four times, it is better to write according to "the author et al., "and to cite the reference in the end of the sentence</li> <li>I think it is necessary to include photos of these plants Caatinga and these Arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi to better illustrate what is written</li> <li>And why not if possible a table summarizing the studies used as references according to the species of AMF described, to the country, year</li> <li>The aim of your work is to discuss the importance of AMF in development and conservation of Caatinga Plant However in the part 3.2 there is no argument of that; you describe the implication and the benefits of AMF in general without liaison with Caatinga Plant</li> <li>And you have concluded without a good argumentation in discussion</li> <li>References should be checked according to the style recommended by the journal</li> </ul>	
Minor REVISION comments		
Optional/General comments		

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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