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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	<p>What empirical evidence supports the view of respondents in the selection of the study areas purported to have a natural distribution of the Tuyen Quang Ginseng? Enrich it with a literary support to make it more academic. Can you enlighten readers also of the soil/forest type and weather conditions in the study areas?</p> <p>What are the projected economic values of this new Ginseng in relation with the others already discovered in Vietnam?</p> <p>What are the pharmaceutical and antioxidant properties?</p> <p>Providing answers to these questions would nourish the paper and enhance its academic rigor.</p>	<p>We addressed to your concerns.</p> <p>Soil, forest type, and weather conditions of the sites of natural distributions of Tuyen Quang ginseng were added.</p> <p>We discussed that other ginseng, which has lower saponin content than that of Tuyen Quang ginseng, has high price and has been contributed to economic development of local people. Therefore, Tuyen Quang ginseng will also contribute to poverty reduction for local people.</p> <p>Next step, we are going to conduct research on the pharmaceutical and antioxidant properties of Tuyen Quang ginseng.</p>
Minor REVISION comments	The general syntax and grammar of the manuscript need to be improved.	It was improved.
Optional/General comments	It is an important discovery and needs to be published after the few corrections have been made. The methods, results and discussions are very scholarly and merits publication.	

PART 2:

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