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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Research in Agriculture and Forestry
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Title of the Manuscript:	Quantitative & Qualitative Perspectives of Forest-Water Interactions at Catchment Scales
Type of the Article	Policy Article

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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	Good policy article that could be considered for publication by AJRAF. However some shortcomings need to be fully addressed before the paper can be considered for publication.  An analytical approach should be used in discussing the ideas that run through the paper. It doesn't just suffice to describe the basic ideas of the study. Plausible justifications should be given and backed by the research works of other authors. Considering that it is a policy/review paper, it is of the essence to adopt a comparative approach when discussing ideas i.e. compare and contrast the findings of different authors with respect to the subject matter of the study.  Equally, more relevant research works (especially the most recent i.e. 2014 – 2019) should be used when discussing the main ideas that run through the paper. Considering that it is a policy/review study, it is imperative to seek for and cite the research works of various authors in	
Minor REVISION comments	Order to give the paper more weight.  Language and syntax used in the paper should be looked into once more.  It is imperative for the symbol "&" to be written in full i.e. "and". This should be rectified across the entire study.  Number of research works referenced in the study too small (just 18). More research works should be sought for and referenced.	
Optional/General comments	Good policy paper that could be considered for publication by AJRAF. However, the aforementioned points should be integrated in the work before the paper is considered for publication.	

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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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