SDI Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	**Asian Journal of Biology**
Manuscript Number:	**Ms_AJOB_46352**
Title of the Manuscript:	**Multidrug Resistance and Extended Spectrum Beta- Lactamase Producing Escherichia coli in Hostel Restrooms**
Type of the 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	**Add the purpose of the study in the introduction** **Mention the ethical measures concerning the study** **Number of toilets must be identified** **It's necessary to mention the duration to carry out swabs?**	The purpose has been added to the introduction Permission was taken from the occupants of the various hostels to carry out the research. No ethical issues were involved in this research The research was carried out on 6 toilets. **Swabs were collected in the morning hours and inoculated in the laboratory**
Minor REVISION comments	**Punctuation, capital letters at the beginning of sentences** **It is better to represent the results in a table** **Is E.coli the only isolated germ in swabs?**	*E. coli* was our interest in this study because we worked on ESBLs i.e. faecal *E. coli* that are ESBL producers. Other isolates were also isolated. *E. coli* had 33% occurrence while other isolates were 67%. Results were presented in tables
Optional/General comments	**Separate the results for the discussion**	Results have been separated from discussion.

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?	*(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)*	