



**SDI Review Form 1.6**

Journal Name:	<a href="#">International Journal of Pathogen Research</a>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_IJPR_46728</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>ATTEMPTED DETECTION OF WEST NILE VIRUS FROM WILD AND PERIDOMESTIC BIRDS WITHIN IBADAN METROPOLIS IN NIGERIA</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> (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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<b>This appears a good study which is well-written. My recommendations are for minor Revisions as below, besides some very minor language revisions required (in the manner I highlight in the attached manuscript).</b>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Structure the Abstract into Background/Introduction, Aim/Objective, Material and Methods, Results, Conclusions/Recommendations.</li> <li>2. Under Results in your Narrative, besides the title of the Figure 2 briefly describe (but in greater detail in prose) what the gel-picture is about and what is seen here in the gel-picture) – and, state that you did not detect WNV in any of the sample-specimens.</li> <li>3. In Line 126, you do not state whether that sentence of yours is about Lanciotti's study or your Study. Rectify</li> <li>4. Lines 130 – 131: How do anthropogenic (human) factors and epidemiology affect the amount of detectable virus in the bird-feces? Elaborate. If not, leave out discussing this</li> <li>5. Line 141: "Incidence" of WNV fever disease or virus-carriage in such birds?</li> </ol>	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	The Editor needs to decide whether the style of Referencing is acceptable or whether the year of publication should follow the name of the Journal and not the names of the Authors.	

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

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