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| Journal Name:            | Journal of Experimental Agriculture International                                      |
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| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_JEAI_46502  |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Effect of priming on physiological quality of Handroanthus serratifolius (Vahl.) seeds |
| Type of the Article      | Original Research Article  |

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| <u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments | The concept of priming is very useful both for agriculture and horticulture, hence the article has good potentials for application of the results. Nonetheless, the articles have lots of grammatical flaws in the English language, most of which I highlighted in my review in the text of the manuscript.  Secondly, the depth of the discussion must be improved upon. I have suggested two recent articles to help the author(s) in the revision. |   |
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