

Review Form 3

Journal Name:	International Journal of Environment and Climate Change
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Title of the Manuscript:	Gender analysis of vulnerability of rural smallholder farming households to climate change and variability in Zimbabwe's four major tobacco growing provinces
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PART 1: Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedback <i>(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
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Optional/General comments	The research idea is appreciated and methodologically sound, but the authors should justify why it is important to fill the gap identified. Lastly, they should state the unique challenges the tobacco farmers face in the region that informed this research.	Some sentences on page 2 have been added

PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(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)</i>
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