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Title of the Manuscript:	Impact of land uses on soil quality and microbial dynamics in eastern Indian Terai region
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Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	No, title is not suitable as per the study has been done. Because it just involve the physiochemical analysis of soil and Microbial load.	Title revised
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