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### ESPS Peer-review Report

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**Reviewer code:** 02529809

**Science editor:** Qi, Yuan

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CLASSIFICATION	LANGUAGE EVALUATION	RECOMMENDATION	CONCLUSION
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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B (Very good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Existed	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C (Good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: a great deal of	<input type="checkbox"/> No records	
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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Ther questions raised seem justified. All together, the letter seems a little long and would benefit from making it more concise.



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It is a good paper and I recommend that it would be accepted for publication in WJH



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In this article, the authors claim that some technical issue could be responsible for apparent toxicity of hydroxycitric acid previous described in a recent paper in WJG. Although it is relevant to see all potential explanation, the paper the way is written resemble more a reply than a review. It will be nice if the authors could reorganize the format in order to fit in a review style, including their questioning whenever it is suitable.