

Review of: "Assessment of Quality, Bacterial Population and Diversity of Irrigation Water in Selected Areas of Minna, Niger State, Nigeria"

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Potential competing interests: Minor revision

The authors have focused on an interesting topic. The following may improve the quality of the work.

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