Author's response to reviews

Title: Antimicrobial activity of selected South African medicinal plants

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Dear editor, thanks for sending to me the reviewer’s comments on the above manuscript. All corrections have now been done according to their recommendations. Below is point-by-point the revision made. They are also highlighted in recolor in the manuscript.

**From Associate Editor comments:**

Additionally I suggest following corrections:
1-P.6, lines 135, 138 and 139 Mycobacterium tuberculosis should be replaced by M. tuberculosis
2-P.9, line 208: Pseudomonas aeruginosa should be replaced by P.aeruginosa

*Answer: done*

**Reviewer: Jules-Roger Kuiate**

Reviewer’s report:
none
Level of interest: An article of importance in its field
Quality of written English: Acceptable
Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

*Answer: No revision requested*

**Reviewer: Eduardo Ruiz-Bustos**

Reviewer’s report:
Minor Essential Revisions
1) Background, last line of first paragraph reads “This will results in a higher probability....” and should be “This will result in a higher probability....”

*Answer: correction done*

2) Material and methods, Plant materials and extraction, reads “...room temperature with occasional shakings.”, and should be “room temperature with occasional shaking.”

*Answer: correction done*

3) Material and methods, Microplate susceptibility testing against M. smegmatis reads “...was also added to each well...”, and should be “were also added to each well...”

*Answer: correction done*

4) Results and discussion, last paragraph reads “ The activity of some of the extract on M. smegmatis...”, and should be “The activity of some of the extracts on M. smegmatis...”
Answer: correction done

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field
Quality of written English: Acceptable