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Subject: Revised submission of manuscript titled “Antimicrobial activities of the bioactive components of essential oils from Pakistani spices against Salmonella and other multidrug resistant bacteria”.

The subject stated research manuscript (man_id=1091291532969450) is being re-submitted after making changes in lieu of the reviewers comments. Following changes has been made in this revised manuscript:

**Corrections made as per suggestions of reviewer-1:**
1. Typographical mistakes have been removed.

**Corrections made as per suggestions of reviewer-2:**
1. Importance of synergistic effects of the essential oils with the existing antimicrobials have been discussed in conclusions.
2. Discussion about the potential toxicities of the active components have been incorporated in conclusions.
3. Chemical structures of the active components have been included in the manuscript as a Figure 1.
4. Corrections of the English contents have been made.

**Corrections made as per indication of authors and proof readers, as suggested by reviewer-2:**
1. Removal of typographical mistakes.
2. Improved title after addition of words "from Pakistani spices".

We hope that the aforementioned changes will satisfy the reviewers as well as Editorial Board Selection, which may lead our manuscript to be accepted for publication in your esteemed journal.

Yours truly,

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