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I have been trying for the past month to get advice from BMC as to the iThenticate document and the figures. My emails have been past onto the Editor but I have had no response.

(1) iThenticate: I have change the the text that is similar to my previous publication (Wakeham 2010). But the vast majority of text flagging on the iThenticate document makes no sense. For example the authors affiliations, the line numbers in the margins and my corresponding address.

(2) Figures - please see a new version of figures attached - are these good enough quality for publication?