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Dear Dr. Raúl Zornoza
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January 09, 2015

Greetings;

Referring your decision letter on my submitted manuscript (**soil-2015-40R5**) and encouraging me to revise the manuscript after addressing the comments and suggestions of the respected reviewer. Here, Please find enclosed the revised version of the manuscript entitled **"Potential effects of vinasse as a soil amendment to control runoff and soil loss"** by Z. Hazbavi and S.H.R. Sadeghi. All comments and suggestions of the respected reviewer have been addressed in the revised version as detailed below.The entire revisions were highlighted by red color in the manuscript. The acknowledge receipt of the same and informing me about the status of the progress in paper evaluation is much obliged in advance. Should you need to contact me, please use the address given above or in the manuscript.

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Response to respected Topical Editor (Dr. Raúl Zornoza)
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Include reference for this classification
Ans. The reference was added.

define this property, do not use the abbreviation.
Ans. It was done.

Include the average annual precipitation and average annual temperature of the exact place where you sampled.
Ans. The average annual precipitation and average annual temperature of Badranlou is 247 mm and 14 ºC, respectively. They were added to the content.

The soil used was a INCLUDE CLASSIFICATION (IUSS, 2014).
Brown soil is not a Word reference base classification.
Ans. We couldn't find the exact soil type based on IUSS (2014). The study soil type is regosols based on cimate-data.org reference.

Include a reference to support this

Ans. We already explained it previously for the reviewers. This conclusion is based on our laboratory observations. For better understanding, we clearly added it to the context.

Do not use decimals

Ans. It was done.

Replace "a" by "ns" in all cases

Ans. It was done.

It is impossible that statistics are correct. Please, see the graph. For cessation time, it is impossible that 0.5, 1 and 1.5 have the same letter and 0 treatment has different. It is totally impossible. I would understand a, a, a, b, but you show here a, b, b, b, which it is totally impossible.

I do not understand why you use so many letters for comencement time, you can use a, b, b, b. Why using c and d? It makes no sense.

Ans. Necessary corrections were done.

Replace "a" by "ns" in all cases

Ans. It was done.

"In final all comments of respected Topical Editor that mentioned on the MS pdf was addressed in the revised version with red color."

I hope the final emendations caused to consent the respected reviewers and made my paper well qualified for final acceptance and publication.

Sincerely,
S.H.R. Sadeghi

Enclosure