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| Manuscript Number: | **Ms\_BPR\_4257** |
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| PART 1: Comments | | |
|  | Reviewer’s comment | Author’s Feedback *(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)* |
| **Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.** | This manuscript holds considerable value for the scientific community, offering a detailed comparative analysis of the Sci-Bono Discovery Centre alongside other science centres in the SADC region. By evaluating how effectively these institutions promote STEM education and innovation, the study provides crucial insights into their role in boosting scientific literacy and encouraging regional collaboration. The findings could influence policy decisions, resource distribution, and the development of future science education initiatives throughout Southern Africa. Additionally, the manuscript contributes to the ongoing conversation about the impact of science centres on public engagement with science, laying the groundwork for future research and advancements in science outreach efforts. |  |
| **Is the title of the article suitable?**  **(If not please suggest an alternative title)** | I want to suggest an alternative title:"Assessing the Effectiveness of Sci-Bono Discovery Centre: A Comparative Analysis with Other Science Centres in the SADC Region" |  |
| Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here. | The abstract should be italicized and provide a succinct summary that highlights the main focus of the research. It should briefly outline the research methodology, key findings, and the key recommendations which was not well captured in the abstract. This overview allows readers to quickly grasp the essence of the study, including its purpose, approach, results, and potential implications, without delving into excessive detail. |  |
| **Is the manuscript scientifically, correct? Please write here.** | **Yes, the manuscript is scientifically correct as it addresses the relevant and significant aspect of research**  areas that align with current educational and scientific priorities. |  |
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