Editorial Expression of Concern: The bio-mitigation of acetochlor in soil using *Rhodopseudomonas capsulata* in effluent after wastewater treatment

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The Editors-in-Chief would like to alert readers that concerns have been raised regarding the authorship and data in this article (Wu et al. 2019). Authors Ying Zhang and Bo Cao state that they had no knowledge of the article and did not agree to its publication. In addition to this, the corresponding author has not been able to provide the raw data for this article. Because of these concerns, the Editors-in-Chief urge readers to interpret the results with caution. Pan Wu and Ying Zhang have agreed to this editorial expression of concern. Bo Cao, Wenbin Li, Yanling Wang, Yuan Wu and Ning Li have not responded to any correspondence from the editor/publisher about this editorial expression of concern.

Reference

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