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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments		
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Which data are come from secondary source? I think, authors highlighted, there was no cooperatives in study area. If this comes from secondary sources, put citation regarding it</li> <li>2. Why 10 small ruminant producers kebeles were selected. In multi stage sampling that control variables characteristics should be highlighted.</li> <li>3. How you differentiate small traders from larger one?</li> <li>4. Authors may highlight percentage of contribution of small ruminants from producers to consumers through different chain?</li> <li>5. Here authors highlighted value chain mapping through different actors but it is not cleared where and how value is added during movement of products.</li> <li>6. It is better, if value chain analysis is carried out by highlighting costs and selling price by different actors, time taken during movement of products and area of operation (whether products are consumed in same districts or move to different districts as well). If products are exported, then which country is the best destination?</li> <li>7. When skin of animals are processed, who are the customers and how it is marketed.</li> <li>8. How it is buyer driven?</li> <li>9. In value chain analysis, we also study the chain after product movement through processing industries (here it is leather processing).</li> </ol>	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments		



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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i> When products are deskinned and slaughtered any types of ethical practices have been taken in to consideration?	

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