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Dear Editor

Acta Scientiarum Technology

We present the manuscript **“Occurrence of Female Sexual Hormones in the Upper Iguaçu Basin – Curitiba, Brazil”** “ to be appreciate by the editorial board of this journal.

The manuscript is about the investigation of hormones (estradiol, estrone, ethynilestradiol and progesterone) in surface water samples in Iguasu watershed, located in Curitiba (south of Brazil). Hormones are increasing in surface waters coming

from untreated sewage.

We understand that the subject of this manuscript fit with the Scopus of Journal; also the subject studied here will reach a selected scientific audience and the focus of this article is water. For these reasons we hope that this article may be considered for publication in this outstanding journal.

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