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Physicochemical and Mineralogical Characterization of Silica Sand from the Lemi Region, Blue Nile Basin, Central Ethiopia: Evaluating Industrial Applications and Resource Potential

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Comments to the author(s)

The manuscript helps us better understand the silica sand in the Lemi Region, Blue Nile Basin, Central Ethiopia This manuscript can be accepted after a minor revision and add few more information as comments in the file attached.

Confidential feedback for the Editor

Your recommendation

- *Return for minor revisions*

Is the study design appropriate to answer the research question (including the use of appropriate controls), and are the conclusions supported by the evidence presented?

- **Yes**

Are the methods sufficiently described to allow the study to be repeated?

- **Yes**

Is the use of statistics and treatment of uncertainties appropriate?

- **Yes**

Has guidance been provided on how overstated claims should be rewritten?

- ***Yes, I have suggested how the text can be rewritten***

Is the presentation of the work clear?

- **Yes**

Are the images in this manuscript (including electrophoretic gels and blots) free from apparent manipulation?

- **Yes**

Confidential comments to the Editor

In my opinion, this manuscript is good and should be published in this journal after a minor revision.