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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<p>This paper touches on pertinent issues relating to poverty and the impact of job creation on poverty alleviation among the working poor in Nigeria. The authors observe that job creation does not alleviate poverty and propose that targeted social welfare programs which the outline in the paper be adopted instead. In their analysis they make pertinent observations with respect to gender disparities among the working poor. They, for example, highlight the gendered aspects of such impact by observing that female headed households, where women are the primary income earners, are disproportionately worse off than male headed households, where the men are the primary income earners. In addition to this they also delve in to the power dynamics in households where the income earners are women but the decisions on expenditure are made by men. Since this gendered perspective is examined in the paper it may be useful for the authors to consider how the proposed targeted social welfare programs will address these gender disparities and power dynamics.</p>	
Minor REVISION comments	<p>The authors make pertinent observations on the gender aspects of gender disparities on the impact o</p> <p>Page 3 first sentence needs to be revised (use of the word form) Page 10 paragraph 2 second sentence needs to be revised (use of the word change) Page 13 paragraph 2 third sentence needs to be revised (use of the word het) Page 13 paragraph 4 second sentence needs to be revised (use of the word pf)</p>	
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