**Response to reviewers’ Comments**

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**Title of paper Application of biocementation for augmentation of mechanical properties of fly ash concrete**

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The authors wish to thank the editors and reviewers for their time and effort in reviewing our extended abstract. We hope the changes listed have made the abstract suitable

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| Dosage of bacteria was not mentioned | Instead of measuring the bacterial dose, optical density of the supernatant was measured at 600nm in a spectrophotometer. It was found to be 0.87 which indicated sufficient growth of bacteria. The section of materials and methods has been modified accordingly giving these details. |
| Mix proportion was given in the test | Table (Table 2) has been added showing the mix proportion. |
| Rewrite the conclusions with appropriate reasons. | Conclusion has been rewritten as per the suggestion. |