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Genetic diversity and population structure of the African catfish, *Clarias gariepinus* (Burchell, 1822) in Kenya: implication for conservation and aquaculture – Corrigendum

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The second paragraph on page 118 included an error in the last sentence:

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before the UoE farm in the county was established. From these ponds, the fish were distributed widely in the region, and could be the source of SAG in the LVG and LBA clusters.

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