

Corrections and changes to the Diptera Checklist (40) – Editor

It is intended to publish here any corrections to the text of the latest Diptera checklist (publication date was 13 November 1998; the final ‘cut-off’ date for included information was 17 June 1998) and to draw attention to any subsequent changes. All readers are asked to inform me of errors or changes and I thank all those who have already brought these to my attention.

Changes are listed under families; names new to the British Isles list are in bold type. The notes below refer to addition of 8 species, resulting in a new total of **7178** species (of which 41 are recorded only from Ireland).

An updated version of the checklist, incorporating all corrections and changes that have been reported in *Dipterists Digest*, is available for download from the Dipterists Forum website. It is intended to update this regularly following the appearance of each issue of *Dipterists Digest*.

Chironomidae. The following genus and species are added in the present issue:

MOLLERIELLA Sæther & Ekrem, 1999

Mollerella calcarella Sæther & Ekrem, 1999

The following new synonymy results from J. MARTIN (2017. *Chironomus strenzkei* Fittkau 1968 is a junior synonym of *C. striatipennis* Kieffer 1910. *Chironomus Journal of Chironomidae Research* **30**, 19-25):

Chironomus striatipennis Kieffer 1910 = *C. strenzkei* Fittkau 1968

Conopidae. The following species is added in the present issue, as a probable adventive:

Leopoldius calceatus (Rondani, 1857 – *Brachiglossum*)

Lauxaniidae. The following changes result from M.J. EBEJER (2019. Taxonomic notes on West Palaearctic species of *Lauxania* Latreille, *Sapromyza* Fallén, *Calliopum* Strand and *Minettia* Robineau-Desvoidy, with a description of a new species of *Minettia* (Diptera, Acalyprata: Lauxaniidae) from Morocco. *Zootaxa* **4543**(1), 37-51):

Calliopum tuberculatum (Becker, 1895 – *Sapromyza*) = *Sapromyza halidayi* Shatalkin, 2000, new synonymy and new combination

Agromyzidae. The following species are added in the present issue:

Liriomyza latigenis (Hendel, 1920 – *Haplomyza*)

Liriomyza obliqua Hendel 1931

Liriomyza yasumatsui Sasakawa, 1972

Melanagromyza galegae Warrington, 2019

Sphaeroceridae. The following species are added in the present issue:

Rachispoda breviceps (Stenhammar, 1855 – *Limosina*)

Spelobia pappi Roháček, 1983